

1 A RESOLUTION honoring the 150th anniversary of the charter of Masonic Lodge
2 543 in Calvert City, Kentucky.

3 WHEREAS, the Masons are the oldest fraternity in the world, with the earliest
4 known grand lodge formed in England in 1717; and

5 WHEREAS, the first grand lodge of Kentucky was chartered on November 17,
6 1788, in Lexington, eventually chartering lodges representing the entire Commonwealth;
7 and

8 WHEREAS, the Masons' jurisdiction of Kentucky is composed of 30 districts and
9 10 regions; and

10 WHEREAS, Masonic Lodge 543 was chartered on October 24, 1873, in Calvert
11 City, Kentucky, in District 2, Region 1, and is currently being led by Nathan Freeman;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, Masons from Calvert City, throughout the Commonwealth, and across
14 the world, come together as a united brotherhood to celebrate their unwavering
15 commitment to God and kindness toward mankind to exhibit unparalleled integrity;

16 NOW, THEREFORE,

17 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of*
18 *Kentucky:*

19 ➔Section 1. The Senate hereby honors the 150th anniversary of the charter of
20 Masonic Lodge 543 in Calvert City, Kentucky.

21 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day it does so in honor of the 150th
22 anniversary of the charter of Masonic Lodge 543 in Calvert City, Kentucky.

23 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
24 Resolution to Senator Danny Carroll for delivery to Masonic Lodge 543 in Calvert City,
25 Kentucky.