

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Vikki
2 Denise Akers.

3 WHEREAS, Vikki Denise Bartley Akers was born on July 11, 1952, to loving
4 parents, Victor and Maudie Bartley; and

5 WHEREAS, Vikki Akers devoted her whole life to loving and taking good care of
6 all around her; she was crucial to creating a community that all could feel loved in; and

7 WHEREAS, Vikki Akers had an unwavering love for dogs. Beginning as a young
8 girl, she adopted numerous dogs, including Speck, Spider, Pixie, Giger, Rags, Jake,
9 Punkin, Harper, Rhoda, and Country. Her intense love was reflected by her animals as
10 they followed her closely wherever she went; and

11 WHEREAS, Vikki Akers leaves behind a legacy of warmth, generosity, and deep
12 connection for the animal world; and

13 WHEREAS, on April 5, 2024, Vikki Akers passed away peacefully at home,
14 surrounded by her family. She was preceded in death by her parents; sister, Brenda
15 Bartley Clevinger; and son, Eric Akers; and

16 WHEREAS, Vikki Akers is survived by her loving husband of 52 years, Jim; her
17 daughter, Lindsey Akers (Nick) Lynch; three adorable grandchildren, Jax, Bailey, and
18 Cash; and a sister, Sharon Bartley Sammons;

19 NOW, THEREFORE,

20 ***Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of***
21 ***Kentucky:***

22 ➔Section 1. The Senate hereby extends its most profound sympathy upon the
23 passing of Vikki Denise Akers and expresses heartfelt condolences to her family and
24 community in this time of loss.

25 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving
26 memory of Vikki Denise Akers.

27 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this

- 1 Resolution to Senator Phillip Wheeler for delivery to the family.