

1 A RESOLUTION honoring 2024 Kentucky Teacher of the Year, Kevin Dailey.

2 WHEREAS, this august body holds in highest esteem those educators who go
3 above and beyond their daily duties to become standard-bearers in their profession, and
4 whose work touches their students' lives in profound and indelible ways; and

5 WHEREAS, in this spirit, the members rightfully congratulate and commend Kevin
6 Dailey upon being named the 2024 Kentucky Teacher of the Year; and

7 WHEREAS, a proud graduate of the University of Kentucky where he received
8 both his bachelor's and master's degrees in Social Studies Secondary Education, Kevin
9 Dailey teaches United States History at Ballyshannon Middle School in Union,
10 Kentucky; and

11 WHEREAS, Kevin Dailey is a lifelong learner himself, having attended the Foreign
12 Policy Association's Great Decisions Teacher Training Institute and the University of
13 Louisville's McConnell Center for Teaching Scholars. He has also been certified to teach
14 the "We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution" program; and

15 WHEREAS, Kevin Dailey has taught in China through the University of
16 Kentucky's Confucius Institute and went on to teach at Gallatin County High School
17 before coming to Ballyshannon Middle School, where he has taught for more than two
18 years; and

19 WHEREAS, Kevin Dailey is known as an advocate for fact-based instruction and
20 equity and for empowering his students to move on to high school well prepared for the
21 Advanced Placement courses the majority of them take; and

22 WHEREAS, this body stands on this day to honor an educator of the first order,
23 Kentucky's 2024 Teacher of the Year, Kevin Dailey; and

24 WHEREAS, in so doing, the members congratulate Kevin Dailey on this
25 extraordinary honor and grant him very best wishes as he continues to serve as an
26 inspiration to the students of Ballyshannon Middle School;

27 NOW, THEREFORE,

1 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of*
2 *Kentucky:*

3 ➔Section 1. The Senate hereby honors Kevin Dailey upon being named the 2024
4 Kentucky Teacher of the Year.

5 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and utmost
6 commendation of Kevin Dailey.

7 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
8 Resolution to Kevin Dailey, 5607 Woolper Road, Petersburg, Kentucky 41080.