

1 A RESOLUTION recognizing October as Breast Cancer Awareness Month in
2 Kentucky and acknowledging the contributions of Hope in the Fight KY.

3 WHEREAS, breast cancer remains one of the most commonly diagnosed cancers
4 among women, and early detection, education, and emotional support are critical to
5 improving outcomes and strengthening families across the Commonwealth; and

6 WHEREAS, Hope in the Fight KY is a youth-founded nonprofit organization
7 dedicated to supporting individuals undergoing breast cancer treatment through
8 community-driven programs, including the distribution of "Pink Packs" containing
9 comfort items, encouraging notes, and informational resources; and

10 WHEREAS, Hope in the Fight KY also leads educational initiatives such as
11 "Debunk Wednesdays" to provide accurate information about breast cancer and reduce
12 misinformation, highlights survivor and fighter experiences through Story Spotlights, and
13 promotes community awareness through Hope Week each October; and

14 WHEREAS, the annual Hope in the Fight Pageant serves as a fundraising and
15 educational platform to engage the public, support patients, and promote breast cancer
16 awareness across Kentucky; and

17 WHEREAS, youth-led service initiatives like Hope in the Fight KY exemplify
18 leadership, compassion, and civic engagement providing tangible benefits to patients,
19 families, and communities;

20 NOW, THEREFORE,

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

23 ➔Section 1. The Senate hereby recognizes October as Breast Cancer Awareness
24 Month in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

25 ➔Section 2. The Senate acknowledges and commends the contributions of Hope
26 in the Fight KY for its dedication to supporting individuals affected by breast cancer and
27 fostering education, awareness, and community engagement.

1 ➔Section 3. The Senate encourages all Kentuckians to support early detection,
2 raise awareness, and participate in programs that provide emotional and practical support
3 to those affected by breast cancer.

4 ➔Section 4. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
5 Resolution to Senator Julie Raque Adams for delivery to the Board of Directors of Hope
6 in the Fight KY.