

Senate Resolution 767

By: Senators Parent of the 42nd, Goodman of the 8th, Halpern of the 39th, Harrell of the 40th, Cowsert of the 46th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Ali's Cookies; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Ali's Cookies is a small business located in Emory Village and Marietta that
3 bakes cookies the "old fashioned" way from scratch, using the best and freshest ingredients;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, Ali's Cookies are certified kosher and are under supervision by the AKC
6 (Atlanta Kosher Commission) in order to better fulfill the needs of Atlanta's diverse
7 communities; and

8 WHEREAS, Ali's Cookies offers more than 20 mouth-watering varieties of gourmet cookies
9 that each weigh over 2.5 oz, are approximately three inches in diameter, and are also
10 available in a famous giant cookie cake version that can be uniquely decorated using custom
11 hand molded chocolates; and

12 WHEREAS, Ali's Cookies has a loyal customer base in Druid Hills, Marietta, and across the
13 metropolitan Atlanta region; and

14 WHEREAS, Nogar and Sagi Shablis relocated from Haifa, Israel, and bought Ali's Cookies
15 in 2022; and

16 WHEREAS, Ali's Cookies was grotesquely targeted with hateful anti-Semitic postcards on
17 Saturday, February 24, but they continue to persevere in their community-minded mission.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
19 recognize and commend Ali's Cookies for its service to the students, families, professors, and
20 university staff of its community and uphold the rights of business owners to operate their
21 enterprises without fear of discrimination or harm.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of this body wish to express both their
23 sincere outrage at this vile anti-Semitic attack and their firm support of Ali's Cookies as well
24 as Mr. and Mrs. Shablis.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
26 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Ali's Cookies.