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House Resolution 386

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## **A RESOLUTION**

- 1 Commending the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce and recognizing February 10,
- 2 2021, as Clayton County Chamber Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce has promoted quality of life,
- 4 supported businesses, driven economic development that has served as a catalyst to elevate
- 5 quality of life in the community and region, and advocated for quality growth and a
- 6 pro-business climate of the county for the past 67 years; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the chamber unites businesses and professional individuals by empowering
- 8 local growth, improving business-to-business networking, and helping to strengthen our
- 9 community; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the chamber and its members provide citizens with a strong business
- 11 environment that increases employment, retail trade and commerce, and industrial growth
- 12 in order to make Clayton County a better place to live and work; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce continues to provide leadership and
- 14 educational opportunities with programs such as Leadership Clayton, a leadership
- 15 development program of the chamber since 1972 that has engaged over 850 emerging and

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16 existing leaders in a nine-month program that broadens their knowledge of community

- 17 issues, sharpens their leadership skills, and challenges them and others to seek solutions to
- 18 issues affecting our communities; and
- 19 WHEREAS, chamber members are invited to participate each year in the Clayton County
- 20 Chamber Day at the state capitol to meet with our state leaders during the legislative session,
- 21 discuss legislative priorities that are important to their businesses and the county, and see our
- 22 state government in action; and
- 23 WHEREAS, Clayton County provides a supportive environment for business and industry,
- 24 and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding leadership and diligence of the
- 25 Clayton County Chamber of Commerce as it influences growth and perpetuates the thriving
- of this superlative county be recognized.
- 27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 28 the members of this body commend the Clayton County Chamber of Commerce on its
- 29 distinguished leadership and recognize February 10, 2021, as Clayton County Chamber Day
- 30 at the state capitol.
- 31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 32 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
- 33 Clayton County Chamber of Commerce.