





HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1	A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION recognizing the first ever Senior
2	Ladies Professional Golf Association Championship at the Pete Dye
3	Course at the French Lick Resort.
4	Whereas, Women golfers began hitting the links as early as
5	1552, the year Mary Queen of Scots commissioned St.
6	Andrews Links, Scotland's famous golf course;
7	Whereas, Women first became a force in golf in the United
8	States in the 20th century when power players Babe
9	Didrikson Zaharias and Patty Berg were fixtures on the
10	Ladies Professional Golf Association tour and had
11	tournament appearances on French Lick Resort's historic
12	and beautiful Donald Ross Course;
13	Whereas, The Ladies Professional Golf Association was
14	formed in 1950 as a way to popularize the sport and provide
15	competitive opportunities for women golfers;
16	Whereas, The field of 81 players will feature a collection of
17	past greats in the women's game at the inaugural Senior
18	LPGA Championship on the Pete Dye Course and feature
19	upcoming Symetra Tour stars competing at another
20	tournament to be held on the nearby Donald Ross Course;
21	Whereas, Individuals and companies throughout the region
22	support the tournament in order to back Riley Hospital for
23	Children, a treasured Indiana healthcare provider to Hoosier
24	children and their families that has already received more
25	than \$500,000 from French Lick Resort golf tournaments;



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Whereas, French Lick Resort, which employs 1,300 1 2 Hoosiers, is a century-old American landmark resort that features state-of-the-art meeting space and renovations as 3 luxurious as any hotel in the world; and 4 Whereas, Southern Indiana, summer, and golf go together 5 like strawberries, cream, and shortcake, and events like the 6 inaugural Senior Ladies Professional Golf Association 7 Championship will once again lift an Indiana landmark 8 resort onto the world stage for millions to see and 9 appreciate: Therefore, 10 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives* 11 of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, 12 the Senate concurring: 13 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the 14 French Lick Resort, Old National Bank, Legends Tour, and the Senior 15 Ladies Professional Golf Association for joining forces to highlight the 16 17 sport of women's golf and to raise funds for Riley Hospital for 18 Children. 19 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit copies of this resolution to the following 20 people at the French Lick Resort: Steve Ferguson, Dave Harner, Chuck 21 Franz, Adina Cloud, Joseph Vezzoso, Brendan Sweeney, Diane Tomes, 22 Jan Tellstrom, Kim Kerby, Angie Carraro, Darin Burton; Riley 23 Hospital for Children: Jim Austin, Brad Moritz; Ladies Professional 24 Golf Association: Michael Whan, Mike Nichols, Dean Schneider, 25

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Kathy Lawrence; Legends Tour: Jane Blalock, Kris Ikella, Sue Fracker,

Robin Jervey; and Old National Bank: Bob Jones, Kathy Schoettlin,

Jim Sandgren, Kortney Blaylock, and Sara Miller.