

1 A RESOLUTION honoring Representative Sannie Overly upon her retirement from
2 the House of Representatives.

3 WHEREAS, Representative Sannie Overly was born on July 2, 1966. A graduate of
4 the University of Kentucky College of Engineering, where she received her bachelor's
5 degree in civil engineering, and the University of Louisville Brandeis School of Law, she
6 is a member of the Bourbon County and Kentucky Bar Associations; and

7 WHEREAS, Representative Sannie Overly was elected to represent Kentucky
8 House District 72, and has served in the House since 2008. During her decade of service
9 to this body, she has worked diligently to honor the best interests of her district and to
10 improve the quality of life for all Kentuckians; and

11 WHEREAS, Representative Sannie Overly has long championed issues that will
12 benefit Kentucky's most neglected and forgotten citizens. In 2013, she sponsored House
13 Bill 3, a landmark piece of legislation that held human traffickers accountable for their
14 actions and provided much-needed resources for victims of human trafficking; and

15 WHEREAS, Representative Sannie Overly was the first woman to serve in
16 Kentucky House Leadership. The former chair of the House Budget Review
17 Subcommittee on Transportation, she has also served on the Agriculture, Elections,
18 Constitutional Amendments, and Intergovernmental Affairs, and Small Business and
19 Information Technology Committees, and is a proud member of the Bourbon Trail,
20 Central Kentucky, Kentucky Sportsmen's, and Women's Caucuses; and

21 WHEREAS, a candidate for Kentucky Lieutenant Governor in 2015, Representative
22 Sannie Overly served as chairwoman of the Kentucky Democratic Party from 2016 until
23 2017; and

24 WHEREAS, Representative Sannie Overly is rightfully honored on this day for her
25 service to the Commonwealth as a member of the Kentucky House of Representatives;
26 and

27 WHEREAS, Representative Overly's tireless work on behalf of her constituents is

1 justly acknowledged, and for her 10 years of service as a legislator, for the countless
2 hours she has spent working on behalf of her district, and for her achievements as a
3 human being of the first order, she is commended and granted best wishes as she begins a
4 new chapter of her life;

5 NOW, THEREFORE,

6 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the*
7 *Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

8 ➔Section 1. The members of the House of Representatives hereby salute the Lady
9 from Bourbon 72, Representative Sannie Overly; express their sincere appreciation for
10 her service to her community, the General Assembly, and the Commonwealth of
11 Kentucky; and wish her Godspeed as she awaits new and exciting challenges.

12 ➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in
13 honor of Representative Sannie Overly.

14 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a
15 copy of this Resolution to Representative Rocky Adkins for delivery.