

1 A RESOLUTION honoring Ellen Niehoff upon being accepted into the Harvard
2 University High School Case Method Project workshop for civics teachers.

3 WHEREAS, Ellen Niehoff has been teaching at Central High School in Louisville
4 since 2005; and

5 WHEREAS, Ellen Niehoff received her undergraduate degree in sociology and
6 anthropology from Western Kentucky University before graduating from the University
7 of Louisville with a master's degree in teaching in 2005; and

8 WHEREAS, Ellen Niehoff furthered her education by earning a master's degree in
9 science from Western Kentucky University in 2015 and a master's degree in women's,
10 gender, and sexuality studies from the University of Louisville in 2019 while focusing her
11 research on how women and minorities are excluded from high school history curricula;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, Ellen Niehoff teaches civics and women's history and serves as Central
14 High School's social studies department chair and the Black Student Union sponsor; and

15 WHEREAS, the League of Women Voters of Louisville nominated Ellen Niehoff
16 for the Harvard University High School Case Method Project workshop; and

17 WHEREAS, the workshop equips teachers to lead case-method style discussions in
18 their classrooms and community forums and to train students to think critically about
19 civics issues;

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 recognizes Ellen Niehoff for being selected for the
24 Harvard University High School Case Method Project workshop for civics teachers and
25 for striving to further her knowledge and skills in educating high school students.

26 ➔Section 2. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
27 Resolution to Felicia Ray, League of Women Voters of Louisville, 115 South Ewing

1 Avenue, Louisville, Kentucky 40206.