

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Larry
2 "Flash" Wilson.

3 WHEREAS, Larry Wilson was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, on August 12, 1959, the
4 cherished son of the late Geraldine Wilson; and

5 WHEREAS, Larry Wilson was an institution in the Russell County athletics
6 program. Beginning in the early 1970s, he served as manager and devout fan of the
7 Lakers programs, touching the lives of a generation of student-athletes and displaying a
8 servant attitude that was infectious to all that met him; and

9 WHEREAS, Larry Wilson was so instrumental to Russell County athletics
10 programs that the Russell County mascot, Larry the Laker, was named in his honor; and

11 WHEREAS, Larry Wilson followed student-athletes not only during their time at
12 Russell County High School, but he was known to continue his fandom of those young
13 athletes who were lucky enough to play college athletics; and

14 WHEREAS, Larry Wilson was a devout and active attendee of Welfare Baptist
15 Church; and

16 WHEREAS, Larry "Flash" Wilson, Russell County High School superfan; friend to
17 all he met; and beloved son, cousin, and friend, departed this earthly life and entered into
18 the kingdom of Heaven on January 14, 2021, leaving all those whose lives he touched in
19 solemn mourning; and

20 WHEREAS, Larry Wilson is survived by several cousins and a host of adoring
21 friends who will dearly miss his presence in their lives;

22 NOW, THEREFORE,

23 ***Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of***
24 ***Kentucky:***

25 ➔Section 1. The Senate hereby express their most profound sympathy upon the
26 passing of Larry "Flash" Wilson, and posthumously thanks him for his endearing support
27 of Russell County High School athletics.

1 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving
2 memory of Larry "Flash" Wilson.

3 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
4 Resolution to Senator Max Wise for delivery to the family.