

A RESOLUTION commemorating National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day.

WHEREAS, the members of this chamber rightfully acknowledge the selflessness and courage of this Commonwealth's and nation's law enforcement officers; and

WHEREAS, on January 9, 2016, Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. (C.O.P.S.) and partnering organizations will unite in support of law enforcement officers nationwide to promote a National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day (L.E.A.D.); and

WHEREAS, citizens are urged to support L.E.A.D. in myriad ways, from sending a card of support to their local law enforcement agency, to wearing blue clothing in support of officers, to sharing a positive story about law enforcement on social media; and

WHEREAS, the members of the House of Representatives commemorate National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day; send their profound gratitude to the men and women in this Commonwealth who give of their own personal safety to protect others; and grant best wishes to all those law enforcement officers who strive to make our families, our communities, and our workplaces safe;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

➔Section 1. The House of Representatives hereby commemorates National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day (L.E.A.D.) on January 9, 2016, and dutifully honors the law enforcement officers who are so integral to our way of life here in Kentucky.

➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in commemoration of National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Representative Sannie Overly for delivery.