

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Jared
2 Lorenzen.

3 WHEREAS, Jared Lorenzen was born in Covington, Kentucky, and graduated from
4 Highlands High School where he played football, basketball, and baseball; and

5 WHEREAS, during his senior year, Jared Lorenzen led Highlands to a 15-0 record
6 and the Class 3A state title in 1998; and

7 WHEREAS, Jared Lorenzen finished his senior season with 168 completions on
8 271 pass attempts for 3,393 yards with 45 touchdowns and six interceptions, rushed for
9 904 yards and an additional 15 touchdowns, and earned Mr. Football honors in 1998; and

10 WHEREAS, Jared Lorenzen continued his football success at the University of
11 Kentucky, where he broke school and NCAA freshman records during the 2000 season,
12 accumulating 3,687 passing yards with 19 touchdowns and 21 interceptions; and

13 WHEREAS, during his junior year at the University of Kentucky, Jared Lorenzen
14 led the Cats to a 7-5 record, including a 22-17 victory over then-ranked No. 17 Louisville
15 to start the 2002 season; and

16 WHEREAS, Jared Lorenzen holds the UK career records for total yards,
17 completions, and passing yards. His record of 10,637 total yards eclipses the next-closest
18 player by nearly 2,000; and

19 WHEREAS, Jared Lorenzen backed up Eli Manning with the New York Giants
20 during their 2008 Super Bowl victory. However, his career in the NFL ended after he
21 broke his leg playing for the Northern Kentucky River Monsters in 2013; and

22 WHEREAS, because of his personal struggles with weight, Jared Lorenzen took
23 part in the Kroger Health and Wellness tour this year, often making public appearances
24 with his mobile gym, speaking to children about nutrition, and advocating for people to
25 be healthier, whatever that looked like; and

26 WHEREAS, Jared Lorenzen departed this earthly life on July 3, 2019, leaving his
27 family, his friends, and his community in solemn mourning; and

1 WHEREAS, Jared Lorenzen is survived by his mother, Janet Barth Hermes; his
2 father, Joe Lorenzen; his children, Taylar and Tayden Lorenzen; his siblings, Jordan
3 Lorenzen, Jennifer Lorenzen Lee, Kyle Hermes, Braden Hermes, Joe Konen, Jeff Konen,
4 and Katie Mason; his grandparents, Paul and Celia Lorenzen and George Lonneman; and
5 his nieces and nephews, Tucker Lee, Madelyn Mason, Flynn Konen, Thomas Mason,
6 Cooper Konen, Jack Mason, Grace Konen, and Carter Lorenzen. He is preceded in death
7 by his grandparents, Ray and Mary "Biz" Barth, Charyn Lonneman, and John and Emily
8 Hermes;

9 NOW, THEREFORE,

10 ***Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of***
11 ***Kentucky:***

12 ➔Section 1. The members of the Senate hereby express their most profound
13 sympathies upon the passing of Jared Lorenzen and extend heartfelt condolences to his
14 family, his friends, and his community for their loss.

15 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving
16 memory of Jared Lorenzen.

17 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
18 Resolution to Senator Will Schroder for delivery.