

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 CONCURRENT
3 RESOLUTION NO. 82

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Rabon, Reynolds, Rice, Riley,
Schulz, Sparks, Sweeden, Sykes,
Wilcoxson, Williamson, Wilson and
Wyrick of the Senate

10 and

11 Cox of the House

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14 A Concurrent Resolution aligning the Legislature with
15 Oklahoma dieticians, producers and businesses to
16 promote healthy eating using Oklahoma agricultural
products and introducing Oklahoma's 2nd Century Meal;
and directing distribution.

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18 WHEREAS, Oklahoma is embarking upon its second century as a
19 state; and

20 WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Legislature seeks to continue to improve
21 upon and maintain a vibrant and productive state in the next
22 century; and

23 WHEREAS, Oklahomans suffer a high incidence of chronic diseases
24 such as heart disease, stroke, cancer, and diabetes, which are among

1 the most prevalent, costly, and preventable of all health problems;
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3 WHEREAS, poor nutrition is a major contributor to these chronic
4 diseases; and

5 WHEREAS, 85.7% of Oklahomans reported eating less than five
6 servings of produce per day; and

7 WHEREAS, Oklahoma produces abundant agricultural products
8 beneficial to a healthy diet; and

9 WHEREAS, an opportunity exists to engage Oklahoma producers,
10 dietitians, health care providers, and communities in promoting
11 healthy eating; and

12 WHEREAS, a campaign to promote and protect health by guiding the
13 development of an environment that supports healthy food choices
14 would be appropriate and timely.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION
16 OF THE 51ST OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
17 CONCURRING THEREIN:

18 THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature aligns itself with Oklahoma
19 dietitians, producers, and businesses to establish healthy meal
20 options prepared from Oklahoma's natural resources to improve the
21 health of Oklahomans through promotion of healthy eating and
22 introducing these efforts as Oklahoma's 2nd Century Meal.

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