SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 4266

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

WHEREAS, the football team that is affiliated with a university that shares its name 2 with the state of Kansas has a stadium that is under construction and cannot hold games in 3 such stadium: and 4 5 WHEREAS, the team named after an imaginary blue chicken mascot has scheduled four Big 12 Conference home games at GEHA Field at Arrowhead Stadium against TCU, 6 7 Houston, Iowa State, and Colorado; and 8 9 WHEREAS, the great state of Missouri has the honor of being the location of Arrowhead Stadium, home of the 2024 American Football Conference champions and four-10 11 time Super Bowl champion Kansas City Chiefs; and 12 13 WHEREAS, the official K. C. Wolf Day is designated as November 23rd under Section 9.377, RSMo, and the game against Colorado could interfere with the citizens of this 14 state participating in appropriate events and activities to celebrate the mascot of the Kansas 15 City Chiefs football team; and 16 17 18 WHEREAS, the football team affiliated with Kansas is encouraged to visit the east 19 end zone to honor the ending of the 2007 Border Showdown game where the Kansas 20 quarterback was sacked for a safety, thus icing a 36 to 28 win by the University of Missouri and propelling Mizzou to a number one ranking and a trip to the 2007 Big 12 Championship; 21 22 and 23 24 WHEREAS, the great state of Missouri appreciates the opportunity for Kansas citizens to spend money in our state and visit other notable points of interest in the Kansas 25 City, Missouri, area including the Negro Leagues Baseball Museum, the Nelson-Atkins 26 27 Museum of Art, the National WWI Museum and Memorial, the Truman Library, historic Union Station, the best BBQ in the country, and the use of the Truman Sports Complex; and 28 29

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WHEREAS, the use of Arrowhead Stadium and GEHA Field would create potential damage to such field that could impact the performance of the official Missouri NFL team on any subsequent Sunday and therefore ask that the play surface and facilities are returned to the pristine shape to which the two-time consecutive Super Bowl MVP quarterback, Patrick Mahomes, and Taylor Swift's boyfriend, Travis Kelce, are accustomed:

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36 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the members of the House of 37 Representatives of the One Hundred Second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, 38 while not thrilled with Kansas crossing state lines, do hereby support the spending and 39 tourism related to the use of Arrowhead Stadium and GEHA Field for any specified home 40 games by any football team affiliated with the university that shares the name Kansas in the 41 2024 football season; and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the board of the Jackson County Sports Complex Authority; Chancellor Douglas Girod of the University of Kansas; Chancellor of the University of Missouri and President of the University of Missouri System, Dr. Mun Choi; and Missouri State Representative Kurtis Gregory.

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