

Senate Resolution 388

By: Senator Bowen of the 13<sup>th</sup>

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the Slosheye Trail Big Pig Jig as the state's Official Barbecue Cooking Contest;  
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Dooly County Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the twentieth annual  
4 Slosheye Trail Big Pig Jig in Vienna, Georgia, on October 18 through October 20, 2001; and

5 WHEREAS, this unparalleled "Cadillac of Barbecue Contests" attracts teams from across the  
6 southeastern United States who match their culinary craftsmanship and highly refined skills  
7 in the consummate art of pig cookery and the creation of one of the most exquisite, treasured,  
8 and relished foods in Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, this event, which has grown in magnitude each year since its inception, has  
10 become one of the Southeast's most widely anticipated and popular annual festivals and was  
11 recognized as the 1999 "Best Georgia Festival" by the Georgia Festivals and Events  
12 Association; and

13 WHEREAS, the overall grand champion of the contest, whose tender, succulent, and peerless  
14 pork preparation is deemed most delightful to the senses, pleasing to the palate, and  
15 matchlessly mouth watering above all others, shall be chosen on Saturday, October 20, 2001,  
16 and shall represent this state in the 2002 World Barbecue Cooking Championship.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body recognizes the  
18 Slosheye Trail Big Pig Jig as the state's Official Barbecue Cooking Contest and commend  
19 the organizers for going whole hog in broadening the scope of the event.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Dooly County Chamber of  
22 Commerce.