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Senate Resolution 982

By: Senator Bowen of the 13th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending the Slosheye Trail Big Pig Jig; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the Dooly County Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the twenty-third
- 3 Slosheye Trail Big Pig Jig in Vienna, Georgia, on October 1 and October 2, 2004; and
- 4 WHEREAS, this unparalleled "Cadillac of Barbecue Contests" attracts teams from across the
- 5 southeastern United States who match their culinary craftsmanship and highly refined skills
- 6 in the consummate art of pig cookery and the creation of one of the most exquisite, treasured,
- 7 and relished foods in Georgia; and
- 8 WHEREAS, this event, which has grown in magnitude each year since its inception, has
- 9 become one of the Southeast's most widely anticipated and popular annual festivals and was
- 10 recognized as the 1999 "Best Georgia Festival" by the Georgia Festivals and Events
- 11 Association; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the General Assembly designated this magnificent event as the "official state
- pork barbecue championship cookoff" in 1997; and
- 14 WHEREAS, the overall grand champion of the contest, whose tender, succulent, and peerless
- 15 pork preparation is deemed most delightful to the senses, pleasing to the palate, and
- 16 matchlessly mouth watering above all others, shall be chosen on Saturday, October 2, 2004,
- and shall represent this state in the 2004 World Barbecue Cooking Championship.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body recognizes the
- 19 Slosheye Trail Big Pig Jig and commends the organizers for going whole hog in broadening
- 20 the scope of the event.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed

2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Dooly County Chamber of

3 Commerce.