1	HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION
2	STATE OF OKLAHOMA
3	1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)
4	HOUSE CONCURRENT
5	RESOLUTION 1002 By: Kerbs
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8	AS INTRODUCED
9	A Concurrent Resolution relating to meat and poultry;
10	encouraging Oklahomans to consume and enjoy meat and poultry.
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13	WHEREAS the production of beef, pork, and poultry in Oklahoma
14	contributes \$18 billion annually to the state's economy;
15	WHEREAS animal agriculture and the direct care of livestock is a
16	meaningful way of life to more than 110,000 Oklahomans;
17	WHEREAS there are proven health benefits of eating lean meat and
18	poultry. Research shows that eating lean beef as part of a heart
19	healthy dietary pattern can help maintain normal cholesterol levels.
20	The pork sirloin roast joins the pork tenderloin with this
21	designation as an extra lean cut of meat certified by the Heart-
22	Check Food Certification. Chicken provides vital nutrients such as
23	potassium, magnesium, choline, vitamin B12 and iron;
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1	WHEREAS the Oklahomans involved in producing beef, pork and
2	chicken have a proven track record of sustainability and caring for
3	our state's natural resources; and
4	WHEREAS the Oklahoma Legislature resolves that meat just tastes
5	good.
6	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
7	OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 58TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE
8	CONCURRING THEREIN:
9	THAT the Oklahoma Legislature encourages Oklahomans to consume
10	and enjoy meat and poultry for the week beginning March 22, 2021,
11	and as often as they desire.
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