

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1794

A RESOLUTION recognizing the Kansas Small Business Development Center's  
2014 Businesses of the Year.

WHEREAS, The mission of the Kansas Small Business Development Center (KSBDC) is to increase economic prosperity in Kansas by helping entrepreneurs and small business owners start and grow their businesses through professional consulting, training and resources; and

WHEREAS, The KSBDC regional directors and staff select eight Emerging Business of the Year award recipients and eight Existing Business of the Year award recipients; and

WHEREAS, The Kansas Small Business Development Center's Business of the Year awards are designed to recognize KSBDC clients for superior performance; and

WHEREAS, Business of the Year award recipients have achieved major accomplishments, overcome significant obstacles, shown growth and impact based on the KSBDC Economic Impact Tracking spreadsheet, a record of profitability and demonstrated good corporate citizenship through community contributions; and

WHEREAS, The 2014 KSBDC Emerging Businesses of the Year are: After Hours Auto Repair, Inc. in Wichita, Kansas, owned by Mark and Summer Guerrero; Bolling's Meat Market and Deli in Iola, Kansas and Moran, Kansas, owned by Mitch and Sharon Bolling and Cara Bolling Thomas; Cardinal Pharmacy, LLC in Hoisington, Kansas, owned by Richard Bieber and Marla and Gene Mooney; Fulton Valley Farms, LLC in Towanda, Kansas, owned by David and Betty Corbin; Grip EQ in Lawrence, Kansas, owned by Justin Atwater-Taylor; Keltic Star Public House in Manhattan, Kansas, owned by Perry, Shirley and Darren McCall; notes to self, llc in Prairie Village, Kansas, owned by Laura Schmidt; and Wasinger Chiropractic and Acupuncture, LLC in Garden City, Kansas, owned by Dr. Blake Wasinger; and

WHEREAS, The 2014 KSBDC Existing Businesses of the Year are: Condray & Young Landscape and Professional Groundskeeping in Topeka, Kansas, owned by Kelly Condray, Matt Young and Michael Young; Great Plains Quilt Company in Burlingame, Kansas, owned by Kathy and Larry Smith; Hooked on Ornaments in Olathe, Kansas, owned by Nicki Pierce; Independence Pharmacy in Independence, Kansas, owned by Terry Scott and Bonnie Tucker; Sander Furniture and Gifts in Norton, Kansas, owned by Bradley and Kim Sander; 6<sup>th</sup> Street Fashions & Footwear in Concordia, Kansas and Belleville, Kansas owned by Shari Haug; Studio 54 in Greensburg, Kansas, owned by Scott and Susan Reinecke; and Sunlite Science & Technology in Lawrence, Kansas, owned by Jeff Chen; and

WHEREAS, The KSBDC Businesses of the Year serve as examples of the success that the KSBDC and small business owners across Kansas can achieve: Now, therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas:* That we recognize the Kansas Small Business Development Center's 2014 Emerging and Existing Businesses of the Year and wish all of them and the KSBDC continued success in the future; and

*Be it further resolved:* That the Secretary of the Senate shall send 20 enrolled copies of this resolution to Senator Holland.

Senate Resolution No. 1794 was sponsored by Senators Holland, Abrams, Apple, Arpke, Bowers, Faust-Goudeau, Francisco, Haley, Hawk, Hensley, Kelly, Kerschen, King, Lynn, Ostmeyer, Petersen, Pettey, V. Schmidt, Tyson and Wolf.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the SENATE, and was adopted by that body

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*President of the Senate.*

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*Secretary of the Senate.*