## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 229**

Expressing appreciation for the hospitality extended by the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 1, 2016 Agreed to by the Senate, February 1, 2016

WHEREAS, on January thirtieth, two thousand sixteen, the General Assembly of Virginia met in the Reconstructed Capitol at Williamsburg for the Twenty-sixth Commemorative Session as the guests of the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation; and

WHEREAS, the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation also offered special interpretive instructional programs along the landmark Duke of Gloucester Street, hosted an elegant reception and dinner, including a special presentation by the Honorable James Madison and Patrick Henry, and arranged with the historic First Baptist Church of Williamsburg to provide morning religious services; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that this body express its appreciation of the gracious and generous hospitality extended by the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly express its appreciation for the many courtesies extended to this body, its members, and guests by the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation upon the occasion of the holding of the session of the General Assembly of Virginia in the Reconstructed Capitol at Williamsburg on January thirtieth, two thousand sixteen; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Dr. Mitchell B. Reiss, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, and Thomas F. Farrell II, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, as a token of the appreciation of the General Assembly of Virginia.