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### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 846

Offered February 6, 2019

*Commending Montana Gold Bread Company.*

Patrons—Carr, Adams, D.M., Bagby, Bourne, McQuinn and Rodman; Senators: Dance, McClellan and Sturtevant

WHEREAS, for 25 years, Montana Gold Bread Company has enriched the culinary landscape in Richmond by providing a wide range of baked delicacies, from everyday midday treats to baked goods for hearty home-made meals and events; and

WHEREAS, Montana Gold Bread Company was established in 1994 by owners Rich and Sher Lahvic, who chose to establish their new endeavor on Cary Street in Richmond because of the city residents' support of local businesses; since then the bakery has grown to employ 11 employees; and

WHEREAS, Rich and Sher Lahvic used their home baking experience, a handful of family recipes, a background in corporate restaurants, and a few months of intensive research to start Montana Gold Bread Company; and

WHEREAS, Montana Gold Bread Company's attention to detail shows in the fact that its employees mill wheat from Montana by hand each day; the Lahvics have enhanced the bakery's sweet and savory selection of muffins, cinnamon rolls, and cookies to include Ukrainian black bread, holiday bread, orange cranberry bread, pumpkin bread, cherry apple challah, and jalapeño cornbread; and

WHEREAS, Montana Gold Bread Company, in its 25th year, invested in an enclosed seating area for patrons to enjoy their delicacies with a cup of coffee as well as a cooling room to store rolling racks of breads, luring patrons in with tantalizing aromas, and further expanded its menu to include sandwiches, box lunches, and platters for catered affairs; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend Montana Gold Bread Company on the occasion of its 25th anniversary in 2019; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Montana Gold Bread Company as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration for its contributions to the culinary landscape in Richmond and best wishes for continued success in the future.

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