

2024 SPECIAL SESSION I

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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 851

Commending the Virginia Independent Consumers and Farmers Association.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, April 2, 2025

WHEREAS, the Virginia Independent Consumers and Farmers Association supports direct trade between farmers and consumers to foster the availability of locally grown food products; and

WHEREAS, the Virginia Independent Consumers and Farmers Association is a grassroots organization that promotes food choice and strives to create more opportunities for Virginia's farmers; and

WHEREAS, the Virginia Independent Consumers and Farmers Association is a nonpartisan organization that welcomes farmers and people from all walks of life and backgrounds who are united in a common goal of providing more nutrient-dense food sources; and

WHEREAS, the Virginia Independent Consumers and Farmers Association holds an annual meeting at Polyface Farms in Augusta County, as well as quarterly meetings at other farms throughout the Commonwealth, building a strong sense of camaraderie and fellowship; and

WHEREAS, the Virginia Independent Consumers and Farmers Association has helped local farmers and small businesses better serve their communities and bring more food products to the market; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That the Virginia Independent Consumers and Farmers Association hereby be commended for its service to the agricultural community in the Commonwealth; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the Virginia Independent Consumers and Farmers Association as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for the organization's commitment to preserving opportunities for trade between farmers and families.

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