

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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Representative Nixon offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 38 and 39, insert:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the United States Congress is urged to use applicable resources to eradicate food deserts.

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Remove lines 3-7 and insert:

urging Congress to eradicate food deserts and to prohibit the use of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits to purchase soft drinks.

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WHEREAS, food deserts exist throughout the state in which healthy foods like fruits, vegetables, whole grains, dairy, peas, beans, meat, and fish are often expensive or unobtainable which can result in food insecurity and health issues, and

WHEREAS, solutions to eradicate food deserts include local markets, community gardens, surplus food sharing programs, federal food assistance programs, and food pantries, and

WHEREAS, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program

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