

## House Resolution 603

By: Representatives Jasperse of the 11<sup>th</sup>, Ballinger of the 23<sup>rd</sup>, Powell of the 33<sup>rd</sup>, McDonald III of the 26<sup>th</sup>, McCollum of the 30<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Colt's Manufacturing Company for its commitment to safe and responsible  
2 firearms ownership; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Colt's Manufacturing Company has been a trusted name in the firearms industry  
4 for over 175 years; and

5 WHEREAS, Colt has demonstrated a steadfast commitment to promoting safe and  
6 responsible firearms ownership through various initiatives and programs; and

7 WHEREAS, Colt has recently launched the Safety Impact Award, a platform recognizing  
8 nonprofit organizations dedicated to firearm safety, and has engaged football legends Clay  
9 Matthews, Adam Vinatieri, Joe Thomas, and Fletcher Cox as ambassadors for this initiative;  
10 and

11 WHEREAS, each ambassador has made an initial donation of \$5,000 to support their  
12 respective charitable partners, including Project ChildSafe, Clays For Charity, Ducks  
13 Unlimited, and the International Hunter Education Association, thereby fostering a culture  
14 of safety and community education; and

15 WHEREAS, the Safety Impact Award emphasizes the importance of education, training, and  
16 community engagement in promoting safe and responsible firearm ownership; and

17 WHEREAS, Colt is further committed to encouraging secure storage solutions to prevent  
18 unauthorized access to firearms and accidents; and

19 WHEREAS, Colt supports education and training initiatives for individuals of all experience  
20 levels to foster a culture of safety and accountability.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
22 the members of this body commend Colt's Manufacturing Company for its unwavering  
23 commitment to promoting safe and responsible firearms ownership and for its efforts to  
24 enhance community education and engagement through the Safety Impact Award and other  
25 initiatives.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
27 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Colt's  
28 Manufacturing Company.