

Title of Resolution

Submitted by _____

WHEREAS, pizza is one of the most popular food items with approximately 3 billion pizzas sold in the United States each year¹, and

WHEREAS, ninety-three percent of Americans eat pizza at least once a month², and

WHEREAS, pizza is also an educational tool to teach fractions, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Medical Society of Virginia support adding pizza as its own food group.

Fiscal Impact: none

Existing Policy: none

¹ How Stuff Works. (2020). 12 Facts About Pizza. Retrieved from <https://recipes.howstuffworks.com/12-facts-about-pizza.htm>

² The Chicago Tribune (June 2006). Slim Down that pizza. Retrieved from <https://www.chicagotribune.com/news/ct-xpm-2006-06-06-0606060330-story.html>