

2017 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 111

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

CONDOLENCES. Expresses condolences on the death of John M. Trahan Sr.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the
3 death of John M. Trahan Sr.

4 WHEREAS, it is with deep regret and profound sorrow that the citizens of Louisiana
5 learned of the death of John M. Trahan Sr. on May 3, 2017, at the age of seventy-three; and

6 WHEREAS, John M. Trahan Sr. was a compassionate person filled with the milk of
7 human kindness, a true gentleman, and genuine friend to all; and

8 WHEREAS, with his death, Louisiana has lost one of its finest sons, a quintessential
9 southern gentleman who loved his community, state, and nation; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Trahan was a man admired by all whose lives he touched, who
11 leaves behind a rich and unique legacy, and is greatly missed; and

12 WHEREAS, upon his untimely death, the Lafayette community lost an irreplaceable
13 individual who left an indelible mark upon the lives of all who knew and loved him and
14 benefitted from his thoughtful and generous spirit; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Trahan is survived by his loving wife of fifty-one years, Lavern
16 Trahan; four sons, Ceasar Trahan I, John M. Trahan Jr., Bryant Trahan I, and Alton Trahan
17 Sr.; one daughter, Trudy Trahan; thirteen grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and a
18 host of family and friends; and

1 WHEREAS, he was preceded in death by his mother, father, stepfather, three
2 brothers, and one sister; and

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Trahan left a substantial void in the Lafayette community and a
4 sense of loss in the citizens whose lives he touched, and his memory shall live forever in the
5 minds and hearts of all those who knew and loved this remarkable gentleman.

6 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
7 does hereby express sincere and heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of John M.
8 Trahan Sr., whose passing leaves a tear in the fabric of Lafayette and in the hearts of his
9 children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and all who knew and loved this extraordinary
10 man.

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
12 family of John M. Trahan Sr.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Nancy Vicknair.

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