

2019 Regular Session

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 100

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Frederick "Bear" McHenry on 50 years of service to high school athletics in Louisiana.

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 To commend Frederick "Bear" McHenry on fifty years of service to high school athletics in
3 Louisiana.

4 WHEREAS, Frederick "Bear" McHenry is a Certified Athletic Administrator and has
5 been affiliated with several high schools, including Booker T. Washington High School from
6 1968 to 1970, Richwood High School from 1970 to 1978, McCall High School from
7 1978 to 1981, Carroll High School from 1981 to 1982, Richwood High School as its athletic
8 director and head football coach from 1983 to 1987, and Ouachita Parish High School as its
9 athletic director from 1987 to 2019; and

10 WHEREAS, from 1992 to 2019, he served on the Louisiana High School Athletic
11 Directors Association (LHSADA) Executive Committee, and from 2007 to 2009, he served
12 on the Louisiana High School Athletic Association Executive Committee; and

13 WHEREAS, Coach McHenry has received numerous awards, including LHSADA
14 Athletic Director of the Year in 1999, and in 2000, he was awarded the National Council of
15 Secondary Schools Athletic Directors Southern Region Athletic Director of the Year; and

16 WHEREAS, in 2008, he was named LHSADA District V Athletic Director of the
17 Year and NIAAA Louisiana High School Athletic Director of the Year, and in 2019, he was
18 awarded the prestigious Distinguished Service Award by the Louisiana High School Athletic

1 Association; and

2 WHEREAS, as a coach and athletic director, Coach McHenry won state
3 championships in football, basketball, and softball; and

4 WHEREAS, he has proven himself to be a leader of the highest caliber, a catalyst
5 who motivates young athletes to work together to exceed personal expectations, attempt
6 seemingly unattainable goals, and perform as a team made of many cohesive parts; and

7 WHEREAS, Coach McHenry has been an inspiration to many generations; and

8 WHEREAS, he has demonstrated, in countless ways, his dedication to the welfare
9 of others and has earned the respect and affection of all who know him.

10 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
11 commend Frederick "Bear" McHenry on fifty years of service to high school athletics in
12 Louisiana, does hereby record his outstanding achievements and his hard work, dedication,
13 and continuous commitment to his community, and does hereby extend best wishes for
14 success in his future endeavors.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
16 Frederick "Bear" McHenry.

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

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