2020 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAGLEY

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Woody's Home for Veterans

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To commend Woody's Home for Veterans in Caddo Parish for providing shelter for United
3	States military veterans suffering from mental illness.
4	WHEREAS, since August 2003, Woody's Home for Veterans has provided a stable
5	home for veterans suffering with mental illness; and
6	WHEREAS, according to the Veteran's Administration, approximately twenty-three
7	percent of the United States' homeless population are military veterans, and seventy-six
8	percent of veterans struggle with addiction or suffer from mental health problems; and
9	WHEREAS, Woody's Home provides a safe haven for homeless veterans where they
10	can interact with one another and receive the care they need; and
11	WHEREAS, in sixteen years of operation, Woody's Home has provided more than
12	three hundred thousand meals, nearly sixty thousand nights of lodging, and more than two
13	hundred thirty thousand employee hours in services to veterans; Woody's Home also
14	provides veterans with the opportunity to receive mental health counseling and medication
15	management; and
16	WHEREAS, Woody's Home for Veterans is most deserving of recognition for its
17	dedication to caring for the men and women who have served in our great nation's military
18	and protected our freedom.
19	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
20	Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Woody's Home for Veterans for its service
21	and dedication to our nation's veterans.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to

2 Woody's Home for Veterans.

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Commends Woody's Home for Veterans in Caddo Parish for providing shelter and mental health services to homeless veterans.