

BY SENATOR MYERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, this initiative is supported by key national organizations such as the

1 World Waterpark Association, the National Recreation and Park Association, the Pool & Hot
2 Tub Alliance, the American Red Cross, and the National Drowning Prevention Alliance; and

3 WHEREAS, public service announcements, educational programming, and
4 government proclamations during Water Safety Awareness Month help to promote life-
5 saving practices including active supervision, swim education, physical water barriers, and
6 the use of flotation devices; and

7 WHEREAS, among the most impactful advocates for water safety is Mazie Leah
8 Broussard, a radiant and spirited seventeen-month-old girl whose life was tragically lost to
9 accidental drowning in October 2020; and

10 WHEREAS, following this unimaginable loss, her parents, Heather and Adam
11 Broussard, founded Mazie's Mission, a nonprofit organization devoted to promoting water
12 safety education and drowning prevention throughout Louisiana; and

13 WHEREAS, under the tireless leadership of Heather and Adam Broussard, Mazie's
14 Mission has become a powerful force for public education and community action, equipping
15 families with vital knowledge and advocating for stronger safety measures in homes,
16 schools, and public spaces; and

17 WHEREAS, the dedication and resilience demonstrated by Heather and Adam
18 Broussard and Mazie's Mission stand as a moving example of turning grief into purpose and
19 a model of compassionate advocacy; and

20 WHEREAS, it is both fitting and proper for the state of Louisiana to formally
21 recognize and support these life-saving efforts and to honor the legacy of Mazie Leah
22 Broussard by advancing awareness and education that can prevent future tragedies.

23 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
24 recognize the month of May as Water Safety Awareness Month and designates May
25 fourteenth of each year as "Louisiana Water Safety Awareness Day".

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby honor
27 the life and spirit of Mazie Leah Broussard, does commend the vital work of Mazie's
28 Mission and its founders Heather and Adam Broussard, and expresses deep gratitude for
29 their continued efforts to save lives through education, outreach, and advocacy.

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

1 Heather and Adam Broussard, founders of Mazie's Mission.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Senate Legislative Services. The keyword, summary, and digest do not constitute part of the law or proof or indicia of legislative intent. [R.S. 1:13(B) and 24:177(E)]

	DIGEST	
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Recognizes the month of May as Water Safety Awareness Month in Louisiana and to designate May 14th of each year as "Louisiana Water Safety Awareness Day" to honor the life and enduring spirit of Mazie Leah Broussard, and to commend Mazie's Mission and its founders, Heather and Adam Broussard, for their unwavering dedication to promoting water safety education and preventing drowning deaths throughout the state.