

2026 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11

BY SENATOR HODGES

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Rachel Henry on being selected "Student of the Year" at Live Oak High School in Livingston Parish.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend and congratulate Rachel Henry on being selected the 2025-2026 "Student of
3 the Year" at Live Oak High School in Livingston Parish.

4 WHEREAS, Rachel Henry has been named the 2025-2026 "Student of the Year" for
5 Live Oak High School, an honor that reflects her exceptional character, leadership, and
6 dedication to excellence; and

7 WHEREAS, Rachel has demonstrated remarkable academic achievement, earning
8 an impressive ACT score of 31 and maintaining an outstanding 4.2 grade point average,
9 reflecting diligence, discipline, and a strong commitment to learning; and

10 WHEREAS, Rachel has distinguished herself academically by earning more than
11 forty hours of college credit through advanced placement and dual enrollment course work,
12 demonstrating both intellectual curiosity and a strong work ethic; and

13 WHEREAS, Rachel has been recognized as the Livingston Parish 2025-2026
14 "Student of the Year" and honored as a Louisiana Department of Education 2025-2026
15 "Students of the Year Regional Honoree"; and

16 WHEREAS, Rachel's commitment to the arts is evident through twelve years of
17 piano study at Rushing Piano Studios and eleven years as a member of the Livingston Parish
18 Public Schools gifted and talented music program; and

1 WHEREAS, Rachel has faithfully served for six years as a vocalist and pianist on
2 the Live Oak Church worship team and has actively contributed to her church community
3 through service in children's, student, and worship ministries; and

4 WHEREAS, Rachel also worked for two years as an administrative assistant at Live
5 Oak Church, where she organized summer camps, coordinated mission trips, assisted with
6 volunteer coordination, and helped manage church events, demonstrating initiative,
7 responsibility, and leadership; and

8 WHEREAS, Rachel has been actively involved in athletics as a four-year member
9 of the Live Oak High School track and field team, competing in the javelin and discus events
10 and earning two varsity letters and being named a Louisiana High School Athletic
11 Association All-Academic athlete in track and field; and

12 WHEREAS, Rachel has shown exceptional leadership among her peers through her
13 service as a three-year officer in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes Club and as an active
14 member of the Beta Club and Ambassador Club; and

15 WHEREAS, Rachel plans to attend Louisiana Christian University where she plans
16 to pursue a degree in psychology and ultimately earn a master's degree in counseling, and
17 where she has also earned the prestigious Smith Scholarship Award, a full four-year
18 scholarship that includes tuition, room, and board; and

19 WHEREAS, Rachel Henry's academic accomplishments, leadership qualities, and
20 vision for service bring honor to Live Oak High School, Livingston Parish, and the state of
21 Louisiana, and exemplify the promise of the next generation of leaders.

22 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
23 does hereby commend and congratulate Rachel Henry on being selected the 2025-2026
24 "Student of the Year" at Live Oak High School in Livingston Parish.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
26 Rachel Henry.

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