

2026 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 77

BY SENATOR SELDERS

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH. Designates Monday, April 13, 2026, as Social Work Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To designate Monday, April 13, 2026, as Social Work Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

3 WHEREAS, social workers work diligently to positively impact the lives of millions
4 of Americans daily, in many settings, including hospitals, schools, child welfare agencies,
5 community centers, and government; and

6 WHEREAS, for more than a century, social workers have strived to improve human
7 well-being, advocate for their communities, and support basic needs with many having
8 reported that they entered the profession out of a deep commitment to uplift, defend, and
9 transform the lives of people, their families, and the community; and

10 WHEREAS, the Code of Ethics for social workers emphasizes service, integrity,
11 competence, the dignity and worth of every person, the importance of human relationships,
12 and fairness and opportunity in all communities; and

13 WHEREAS, social workers serve individuals, families, and communities of diverse
14 backgrounds, including those experiencing economic hardship, discrimination, displacement,
15 and other life changes, and help connect people to essential support and community
16 resources; and

17 WHEREAS, social workers assist individuals in navigating trauma, grief, health
18 concerns, natural disasters, and public health emergencies, while working to strengthen

