

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 152

BY REPRESENTATIVE LACOMBE

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Charles Wilson.

WHEREAS, it is with immense sadness and profound regret that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana has learned of the passing, on April 3, 2026, of Charles Wiley Wilson; and

WHEREAS, Charles Wiley Wilson was born on March 13, 1941, to Ozeale "Mudge" Hall and Charles Wesley "Paw-Paw Pete" Wilson; he was a native of Delhi, Louisiana, and was raised in a hard-working farming family from whom he inherited a legacy of resilience and a deep devotion to family; and

WHEREAS, after graduating from high school, Mr. Wilson attended Northeast Louisiana State College in Monroe, Louisiana, where he earned a bachelor of science degree in agriculture; he went on to complete a master of science degree in agriculture at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Wilson worked as a county extension agent for more than thirty-five years; he served in East Carroll, Texas, and provided more than twenty-five years of service in West Feliciana Parish; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Wilson was a forestry expert, skilled woodworker, dedicated youth baseball coach, and loyal LSU fan; he was a fifty-year Mason of Feliciana Lodge #31 and an avid outdoorsman who cherished hunting, fishing, and gardening; he also loved to cook, especially while sharing a beer with his friends at Possum Corner Hunting Club; and

WHEREAS, Charles Wiley Wilson is survived by his loving wife of sixty-four years, Judith Caffery Wilson; children, Angela Wade (Ted), Charles Frank Wilson (Lynn), Susan Causey, and Teresa Andrews (Charles); grandchildren, Lesleigh Silvey (Ryan), Lauren Pike

(Josh), Landon Wade (Amanda), Olivia Wilson, Alex Causey (Kourtney), Andy Causey (Carol), Caroline Causey (Bryce), Claire Norrell (Marcus), Chas Andrews, Cameron Andrews, and Cate Andrews; great-grandchildren, Ryleigh Silvey, Sadee Silvey, Georgia Pike, Whitley Pike, Charlie Wade, Tate Wade, Evelyn Causey, Caffery Causey, Chloe Causey, Bruin Norrell, and Elouise Norrell; and sisters, Virginia Dare Barron and Shirley Ann Dean; he will be deeply missed, but his legacy of love and service shall live on in perpetuity in the hearts and minds of those who were privileged to have known him.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express heartfelt condolences on the death of Charles Wilson and does hereby extend sincere wishes that his family, friends, and loved ones find comfort in their shared memories of his beautiful life.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES