

2026 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 121

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH. Designates May 2026 as National Community Action Month in Louisiana and commends the Association of Community Action Partnerships of Louisiana.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To designate May 2026 as National Community Action Month in Louisiana and to
3 commend the Association of Community Action Partnerships of Louisiana and the
4 forty-two community action agencies serving the state of Louisiana for their
5 steadfast commitment to reducing poverty, strengthening communities, and
6 empowering individuals and families to achieve economic self-sufficiency.

7 WHEREAS, the Association of Community Action Partnerships of Louisiana
8 (ACAP-LA) serves as the statewide association representing the forty-two community action
9 agencies (CAAs) that provide services throughout the state; and

10 WHEREAS, ACAP-LA provides valuable training, technical assistance, and
11 advocacy on behalf of its member agencies, helping to ensure effective delivery of services
12 and resources to citizens in need; and

13 WHEREAS, CAAs are local private and public nonprofit organizations that carry out
14 the Community Action Program which was founded by the 1964 Economic Opportunity Act
15 to fight poverty by empowering the poor as part of the War on Poverty; and

16 WHEREAS, these nonprofit organizations work diligently to improve the quality of
17 life for countless Louisiana residents through programs and services designed to promote
18 economic stability, education, workforce development, housing assistance, nutrition, energy

