

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 112

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD), in conjunction with DOTD District 4, study the recent occurrences of rainwater flooding along the Louisiana Highway 1 corridor in Shreveport, Louisiana, extending from its intersection with East Stoner Avenue to its intersection with East Kings Highway and Louisiana Highway 3032.

WHEREAS, Louisiana Highway 1 is a major north-south business and residential thoroughfare in Shreveport; and

WHEREAS, this segment of Louisiana Highway 1 has experienced recent recurring and significant flooding during rain events; and

WHEREAS, the recurring flooding along this segment of Louisiana Highway 1 has impeded access to residences and businesses, disrupted vehicular traffic, and posed threats to public safety; and

WHEREAS, a coordinated study with the participation of affected neighborhoods and businesses and relevant local municipal entities is necessary to identify the causes of and solutions to the flooding along this corridor.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request that the Louisiana DOTD, in conjunction with DOTD District 4, study the recent occurrences of rainwater flooding along the Louisiana Highway 1 corridor in Shreveport, Louisiana, extending from its intersection with East Stoner Avenue to its intersection with East Kings Highway and Louisiana Highway 3032.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the DOTD shall organize and conduct no less than two public forums with affected residents and business owners to gather feedback and insight regarding the impacts of the recent recurring flooding along the corridor.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the DOTD shall incorporate the input, expertise, and support of relevant local municipal entities, including but not limited to the Shreveport Public Works Department, the Shreveport Department of Operational Services, Office of Water and Sewerage, Shreveport Traffic Engineering, and Caddo Parish Office of Homeland Security.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the DOTD shall submit a written report detailing its findings and recommendations, including proposed plans to mitigate the flooding during rain events, for inclusion in DOTD's Statewide Flood Control Program, to the joint transportation, highways, and public works committee at least sixty days prior to the convening of the 2027 Regular Session.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the DOTD shall submit a copy of the report to the state representative for Louisiana House District No. 2 and the state senator for Louisiana Senate District No. 39 at least sixty days prior to the convening of the 2027 Regular Session.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of the Resolution be transmitted to the secretary of the DOTD.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE