

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 63

BY SENATOR PETERSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend Celton Hayden Jr. and CC's Coffee House for the contributions it makes to the state of Louisiana.

WHEREAS, since 1995, when CC's Coffee House first opened its doors on Magazine Street in the heart of New Orleans, it has preserved the time-honored tradition of bringing people together over a delicious cup of coffee; and

WHEREAS, CC's only brews their own speciality blends made from the highest quality beans in the world; and

WHEREAS, they have consistently been voted the favorite coffee house in all core markets for ten years running; and

WHEREAS, in a rich tradition of Southern hospitality and quality products, CC's puts love into every expertly crafted cup of coffee and welcomes their patrons to a warm surrounding with a familiar smile; and

WHEREAS, CC's doesn't just make coffee, but they craft experiences; and

WHEREAS, CC's was formally operated as Community Coffee, but is now operating as CC's Coffee House under the leadership of president Celton Hayden Jr.; and

WHEREAS, as a teenage grocery bagger, Celton Hayden Jr. never imagined that he would one day become the president of the leading speciality coffee house in southeast Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, throughout his thirteen years of working at CC's Coffee House, Hayden has served as general manager of retail operations and was named president of the company in 2013; and

WHEREAS, he believes that the strong foundation provided by his parents, combined with constant love and encouragement from his wife, Dana, made him into the servant leader and practical visionary that he is today; and

WHEREAS, CC's has a unique licensing concept in which quality operators are awarded agreements to open new locations; and

WHEREAS, though these stores are independently owned and operated, they deliver the same selection of classic beverages and great service that CC's is known for; and

WHEREAS, with more than thirty locations and seven hundred employees throughout Louisiana, CC's embarks on a journey to provide the very best coffee and concept to an eagerly waiting America; and

WHEREAS, CC's is all about getting people together and enjoying each other's company by weaving a fabric of positive relationships and experiences that stretch from their coffee houses, out into the world.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Celton Hayden Jr. and CC's Coffee House for the contributions it makes to the state of Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Celton Hayden Jr., president of CC's Coffee House.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE