

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 152

BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Joseph "Joe" Siciliano, City of DeRidder District 5 Councilman and Council President for his dedicated public service.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend Joseph "Joe" Siciliano upon his retirement as a council member and president for the city of DeRidder and to recognize him for his unwavering dedication to public service; and

WHEREAS, Joseph "Joe" Siciliano has served the city of DeRidder as District 5 Councilman since 2006 and as Council President since 2012; and

WHEREAS, Joe Siciliano is a graduate of Bridgewater Raritan High School West in New Jersey, earned a Bachelor of Science in Public Administration from Upper Iowa University and a Master's of Science Degree in Administration with a concentration in Human Resource Management from Central Michigan University; and

WHEREAS, Councilman Siciliano is retired from the United States Army where he served his country for twenty years and then worked as the executive director of Operations for Environmental & Safety Professionals out of Kinder, Louisiana, and at Cubic Defense Inc., a defense contractor at Fort Polk, Louisiana, as a scenario writer; and

WHEREAS, an active council member, he serves or has served on most committees the city has formed, such as Ambulance Committee, Economic Restructuring Committee for DeRidder Main Street Program, Insurance Committee, and Budget Committee; and

WHEREAS, Joe Siciliano, married to Candace Siciliano with three children; Aron, Alison, and Joey, and four grandchildren; Dylan Craig, Alyssa Jewel, Madison Nicole, and Isabella Grace, will leave public service with the end of his current term on June 30, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Joe Siciliano merits a special measure of commendation for the tremendous pride and honor that he brings to his family, friends, and community, the city of DeRidder, and the state of Louisiana.



THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and congratulate Joseph "Joe" Siciliano, City of DeRidder District 5 Councilman and Council President, for his dedication upon his retirement from public service, does hereby recognize and record for posterity his accomplishments and contributions to his community, and does hereby extend best wishes for his continued success and happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Joseph "Joe" Siciliano.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE