

2019 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 293

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES

A RESOLUTION

To recognize October 21-27, 2019, as Safe Schools Week in Louisiana.

WHEREAS, Safe Schools Week, which occurs on October 21-27, 2019, is sponsored by the National School Safety Center, or NSSC, state governors, and state superintendents; and

WHEREAS, Safe Schools Week is also actively supported by local, state, and national public officials and various professional organizations; and

WHEREAS, the goal of NSSC in this campaign is to motivate education and law enforcement policymakers, as well as students, parents, and community residents, to advocate for school safety; and

WHEREAS, school safety includes keeping campuses free of crime and violence, improving discipline, and increasing student attendance; and

WHEREAS, in order to ensure the well-being of all children and to ensure that they receive a quality education, schools must be safe and free of violence, weapons, and drugs; and

WHEREAS, independent bus operators also play a pivotal role in school safety by safely transporting students to and from school, but unfortunately, this important role is not always fully appreciated.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize October 21-27, 2019, as Safe Schools Week in Louisiana and does hereby encourage all citizens of the state of Louisiana to recognize the pivotal contributions of transportation workers and others in helping to make the state's schools safe.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES