

2020 Second Extraordinary Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31

BY SENATOR JOHNS

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Jackie DeVall upon his retirement from the Office of Conservation after more than 54 years of service.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Jackie DeVall for more than fifty-four years of dedicated public service with  
3 the state of Louisiana.

4 WHEREAS, Joseph "Jackie" DeVall, Shreveport District Manager of the Office of  
5 Conservation in the Department of Natural Resources, is retiring after serving more than  
6 fifty-four years with the state of Louisiana; and

7 WHEREAS, an icon in the Office of Conservation, he is highly respected by both the  
8 public and the industry and always helpful when called upon; and

9 WHEREAS, Jackie DeVall has helped manage the Shreveport and Monroe  
10 Conservation District Offices during difficult times; and

11 WHEREAS, he is proactive with orphan well identification and plugging operations;  
12 and

13 WHEREAS, Jackie DeVall, a generous, friendly, and always upbeat individual, is  
14 a great storyteller, sportsman, and supporter of high school athletics, particularly his home  
15 team of Evangel Christian; and

16 WHEREAS, the success of the state of Louisiana, the strength of its communities,  
17 and the overall vitality of American society depend in great measure upon people like Jackie  
18 DeVall; and

1           WHEREAS, Jackie DeVall has earned the respect and admiration of the countless  
2 citizens whose lives he has touched.

3           THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana  
4 does hereby commend Jackie DeVall for more than fifty-four years of dedicated service with  
5 the state of Louisiana and does hereby extend to him best wishes for continued success and  
6 happiness in all of his future endeavors.

7           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
8 Jackie DeVall.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part  
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Jerry J. Guillot.

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Department of Natural Resources, for more than 54 years of dedicated service with the state.