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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 38

BY SENATOR FESI

CONDOLENCES. Expresses condolences upon the death of Mr. Walton "Buddy" Daisy Jr.

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the
3	death of Walton "Buddy" Daisy Jr.
4	WHEREAS, it is with deep regret and profound sorrow that the members of the
5	Senate have learned of the passing of Walton"Buddy" Daisy Jr., on January 22, 2021, at age
6	seventy-six; and
7	WHEREAS, Mr. Daisy worked as a commercial fisherman from a very young age,
8	growing into an oysterman, and eventually creating his own oyster business, Buddy's
9	Seafood, in 1996 which continues to thrive today; and
10	WHEREAS, he was a champion for the oyster industry and a great mentor, always
11	available to discuss the oyster industry, providing advice and guidance; and
12	WHEREAS, Mr. Daisy served on the board of commissioners of the Terrebonne
13	Parish Levee District for thirty years as Planning & Projects Committee Chairman; and
14	WHEREAS, he loved the still waters on the bayou and was very proud to be from
15	Terrebonne Parish; he was a true Cajun man who cared for all; and
16	WHEREAS, a longtime resident of Bayou Dularge; through his leadership and
17	passion to protect his neighbors and friends from flooding and storm surge, Mr. Daisy
18	became lovingly known as "The Lion of Dularge", tirelessly dedicating his life to serving

1	his native community; and
2	WHEREAS, he was a devoted volunteer, an active community leader, a dedicated
3	public servant to the citizens of Terrebonne Parish as a warden of St. Andrews Episcopal
4	Church, a volunteer fireman, and a member of the Oyster Task Force; and
5	WHEREAS, Buddy Daisy was a loving, caring, fun, very generous man who loved
6	his family dearly, enjoyed special occasions, and imparted great ethical values to his family;
7	and
8	WHEREAS, he was preceded in death by his parents, Walter Daisy Sr. and Delia
9	DeHart Daisy; sons, Dan and Toby Daisy; grandson, Gregory Songe; brothers, James Daisy
10	and his wife Angeline Daisy, and Hillary "T-Man" Daisy; sisters, Velma Daisy and Maria
11	DeHart and her husband Herbert DeHart; and brother-in-law, Norman "Micky" Henry; and
12	WHEREAS, Mr. Daisy is survived by his wife, Jeanette DeHart Daisy; children, Jeff
13	Daisy and wife Vickie, Tabatha Daisy Pitre and husband James, Shantele Daisy and
14	companion David; and their mother, Shirley Daisy; Jeanette's children, Becky Moore and
15	husband Rocky, Darla Voisin, and Gary Lirette Jr.; twenty grandchildren, eleven
16	great-grandchildren; and sister, Florence "Teet" Henry; and
17	WHEREAS, his passing has created a void in the hearts of his family and extended
18	family, as well as his many friends and colleagues who knew and loved him.
19	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
20	does hereby extend sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Walton "Buddy"
21	Daisy Jr.
22	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
23	Jeannette Daisy.

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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