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2025 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 79

BY SENATORS KLEINPETER AND PRICE

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH. To commend and recognize Iberville Parish for its rich history and designate May 6, 2025, as Iberville Parish Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

| 1 | A RESOLUTION |
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| 2 | To commend and recognize Iberville Parish, Louisiana, for its rich history, cultural |
| 3 | significance, and economic contributions, to reaffirm support for continued |
| 4 | investment in infrastructure that will shape the future of our region and state, and to |
| 5 | designate May 6, 2025, as Iberville Parish Day at the Louisiana State Capitol. |
| 6 | WHEREAS, Iberville Parish was established on March 31, 1807, as one of the |
| 7 | original nineteen parishes of Louisiana, marking it as a foundational cornerstone in the |
| 8 | history of our great state; and |
| 9 | WHEREAS, the parish was named in honor of the French explorer Pierre Le Moyne |
| 10 | d'Iberville, whose legacy of discovery and leadership is matched by the enduring spirit of |
| 11 | the people of Iberville; and |
| 12 | WHEREAS, Iberville Parish serves as the gateway to the eastern Atchafalaya Basin, |
| 13 | the world's largest river swamp, offering unique recreational and ecological assets that attract |
| 14 | visitors, support families, and proudly export the cultural richness of Louisiana to the world; |
| 15 | and |
| 16 | WHEREAS, Iberville Parish is home to major chemical and manufacturing partners |
| 17 | that drive our state's economy, providing thousands of jobs, supporting public services, and |
| 18 | strengthening communities throughout the parish; and |

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| 1 | WHEREAS, the citizens and leaders of Iberville Parish have long demonstrated |
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| 2 | resilience, innovation, and a deep commitment to the prosperity of both their parish and the |
| 3 | state of Louisiana; and |
| 4 | WHEREAS, the future growth and connectivity of this region would be significantly |
| 5 | enhanced by the construction of a new regional Mississippi River Bridge in Iberville Parish, |
| 6 | an investment that would serve as a catalyst for statewide economic development, |
| 7 | infrastructure modernization, and quality of life improvements; and |
| 8 | WHEREAS, Iberville Parish Day is a special occasion to celebrate the achievements, |
| 9 | culture, and history of Iberville Parish, and to acknowledge Iberville Parish's contributions |
| 10 | to the great state of Louisiana and establish a foundation upon which this alliance can |
| 11 | continue to grow. |
| 12 | THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana |
| 13 | does hereby commend and recognize Iberville Parish for its historic legacy, economic |
| 14 | contributions, and cultural vitality, and does hereby express its support for transformational |
| 15 | investments such as the construction of a new Mississippi River Bridge that would further |
| 16 | elevate the prosperity of Iberville Parish and the entire state. |
| 17 | BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does |
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hereby recognize and celebrate Iberville Parish Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Iberville Parish President and members of the Iberville Parish Council.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Senate Legislative Services. The keyword, summary, and digest do not constitute part of the law or proof or indicia of legislative intent. [R.S. 1:13(B) and 24:177(E)]

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Commends and recognizes Iberville Parish, Louisiana, for its rich history, cultural significance, economic contributions, and to reaffirm support for continued investment in infrastructure that will shape the future of our region and state, and designates May 6, 2025, as Iberville Parish Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.