

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 104

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A RESOLUTION

To recognize Monday, May 4, 2026, as Louisiana Firefighter's Appreciation Day and to commend firefighters across the state for their dedication to public safety and their service to the residents of Louisiana and the citizens of the United States of America.

WHEREAS, May fourth is traditionally observed as Saint Florian's Day, honoring Saint Florian who is believed to have been one of the first commanding firefighters of a Roman battalion and is recognized as the patron saint of firefighters; and

WHEREAS, firefighting is a vital service to our communities and firefighters play a critical role in preserving life and property; and

WHEREAS, firefighting is a high-risk profession exposing firefighters to many dangerous elements and hazardous materials; and

WHEREAS, whenever a crisis occurs, firefighters selflessly answer the call, putting their lives at risk in dangerous and hazardous conditions; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana firefighters respond to all types of disasters, whether natural or man-made, not only in their respective communities but in those throughout the state and the nation; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize and support firefighters as they strive to preserve life and property from the ravages of fire and other disasters and to celebrate the proud history of the American fire service and the sacrifices made by firefighters and their families across this great nation.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize Monday, May 4, 2026, as Louisiana Firefighter's Appreciation Day and does hereby commend all firefighters across the state for their dedication to public safety and service to the people of Louisiana and the citizens of the United States of America.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE