

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 40

BY SENATOR ADLEY

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Concrete and Aggregates Association of Louisiana and declare April 27, 2015, as "Concrete Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol.

WHEREAS, the Concrete and Aggregates Association of Louisiana (CAAL) works to safeguard the interest of its members in the ready mix, aggregate, cement, concrete pipe, and admixtures industries; and

WHEREAS, CAAL is aligned with the National Ready Mix Concrete Association, the Portland Cement Association, the American Concrete Paving Association-Louisiana Chapter, the American Concrete Pipe Association, and the National Stone Sand and Gravel Association; and

WHEREAS, CAAL educates the construction community about environmentally friendly concrete products and practices, including ways that building with concrete can help a project achieve Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design certification, reduce the urban heat effect, and recycle materials that would otherwise have to be placed in a landfill; and

WHEREAS, the concrete industry includes ready mix producers, contractors, cement, and admixture sales, block producers, concrete pipe, precast, flatwork finishers, stone, sand and gravel, equipment and material suppliers, bulk haulers, and testing labs that represent twenty-seven thousand employees for an estimated industry impact of more than four billion dollars; and

WHEREAS, the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana recognizes the concrete industry as an industry that is important and vital to furthering the economic development in the state and appreciates the hard work, dedication, and the efficiency of its employees.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Concrete and Aggregates Association of Louisiana, and declares April 27, 2015, as "Concrete Day" at the Louisiana State Capitol.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Concrete and Aggregates Association of Louisiana.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE