

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 To designate Wednesday, May 13, 2015, as School Board Member and School

3 Superintendent Recognition Day at the state capitol.

4 WHEREAS, the Louisiana School Boards Association (LSBA) strives daily to fulfill

5 its mission of leadership, service, and support for local school boards; and

6 WHEREAS, the Louisiana Association of School Superintendents (LASS) strives

7 daily to fulfill its mission of promoting strong and professional educational leadership; and

8 WHEREAS, LSBA and LASS recognize that an effective educational system

9 requires meaningful collaboration; and

10 WHEREAS, local school boards in the state of Louisiana help determine goals for

11 the education of approximately seven hundred thousand children in prekindergarten through

12 twelfth grade; and

13 WHEREAS, Louisiana's local school board members, who represent all sixty-nine

14 school districts in Louisiana, serve as advocates for public school students as they work with

15 administrators, teachers, and parents to improve public schools; and

16 WHEREAS, Louisiana's sixty-nine school superintendents work with school boards

17 and educational stakeholders in the community for the overall betterment of public education

18 for students; and

19 WHEREAS, school boards and superintendents strive to provide the resources

20 necessary to meet the needs of all students, including students with special needs; and

1 WHEREAS, school boards and superintendents also provide accountability to the
2 public, communicate the needs of the school district to the public, and convey to school
3 administrators the public's expectations for the schools; and

4 WHEREAS, it is imperative that all citizens of Louisiana work with their local
5 school boards and school superintendents toward the improvement of public education for
6 students in Louisiana; and

7 WHEREAS, the LSBA appreciates the efforts of all legislators, especially
8 Representative Edward C. "Ted" James II, the 2014 Louisiana School Boards Association
9 Legislator of the Year from the House of Representatives; and

10 WHEREAS, the members of the Legislature of Louisiana sincerely appreciate the
11 important contributions of local school board members and school superintendents.

12 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
13 commend local school board members and school superintendents for their extraordinary
14 services to the state of Louisiana and does hereby designate Wednesday, May 13, 2015, as
15 School Board Member and School Superintendent Day at the state capitol.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
17 to the presidents of the Louisiana School Boards Association and the Louisiana Association
18 of School Superintendents.

DIGEST

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