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2016 Regular Session

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80

BY SENATOR ALARIO

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LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS. Designates May 11, 2016, as Louisiana Housing Council Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2	To designate May 11, 2016, as "Louisiana Housing Council Day" at the Louisiana
3	Legislature and commend the organization for its accomplishments.
4	WHEREAS, the Louisiana Housing Council is composed of over two hundred public
5	housing entities that are subdivided into six regions across the state; and
6	WHEREAS, the Louisiana Housing Council promotes and advances the availability
7	of affordable housing to approximately two hundred thousand low-income residents, of
8	which more than fifty thousand are elderly and handicapped; and
9	WHEREAS, many of its member agencies provide a number of services related to
10	housing issues, which include job training, home ownership assistance, protective services,
11	child care, educational assistance, and youth services; and
12	WHEREAS, the Louisiana Housing Council strives to create stronger, more dynamic
13	communities and works together with other local agencies to enhance the quality of life for
14	citizens throughout the state; and
15	WHEREAS, the council awards scholarships to high school students based on
16	academic achievement, extracurricular activities, family need, and community involvement;
17	and
18	WHEREAS, the organization honors the achievements of its outstanding members

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1	who promote excellence in housing administration with exemplary leadership, high ethical
2	standards, and exceptional management skills with the presentation of the Philip W. Miller
3	Award; and
4	WHEREAS, the council constantly strives to provide decent, safe, and sanitary
5	housing and to reduce crime, poor health, and blighted property, thereby benefitting society
6	as a whole; and
7	WHEREAS, the Louisiana Housing Council will hold its annual Legislative
8	Conference in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, May 10-13, 2016.
9	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
10	designate May 11, 2016, as "Louisiana Housing Council Day" at the Louisiana Legislature
11	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Louisiana Housing Council is hereby
12	commended for its outstanding accomplishments.
13	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
14	Tonya Mabry, president of the Louisiana Housing Council.
	The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Nancy Vicknair.

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