

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 84

BY SENATOR HEWITT

A RESOLUTION

To recognize the Junior Auxiliary of Slidell and to designate April 15-21, 2018, as Junior Auxiliary Week at the Louisiana Senate.

WHEREAS, the Junior Auxiliary of Slidell, a chapter of the seventy-seven year old National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc., represents a serious endeavor on the part of women to be active and constructive participants in the community and to assume responsible leadership in meeting community needs; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc. is to encourage member chapters to render charitable services which are beneficial to the general public, with particular emphasis on children, and to cooperate with other organizations performing similar services; and

WHEREAS, the Junior Auxiliary of Slidell is a nonprofit service organization made up of women committed to serving the greater Slidell community; and

WHEREAS, those women are active leaders in the community who strive to focus their service projects on children, families, and elderly in the area; and

WHEREAS, the Junior Auxiliary of Slidell is presently performing nine service projects that touch children of all ages throughout the community and impact entire families; and

WHEREAS, those projects include Children's Life Skills, Backpacks4Kids, Slidell Cyber Seniors, Happy Feet, Hearts United, Juniors in Service, Know Your Child, Literacy Liaisons, and Spelling Bee; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Junior Auxiliary of Slidell, through their fifty-one years of community service, have touched the lives of thousands of people in the Slidell community and are committed to being active and constructive participants in the public life of their city and its residents; and

WHEREAS, in the 2016-2017 school year, the Junior Auxiliary of Slidell performed 1,555 hours of service and helped 1,791 children and elderly adults in the community.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize the Junior Auxiliary of Slidell for its commitment to serving the greater Slidell community and does hereby designate April 15-21, 2018, as Junior Auxiliary Week at the Louisiana Senate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Junior Auxiliary of Slidell.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE