

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 230

BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE

CONDOLENCES: Expresses condolences on the death of Minnie Marilyn B. Crews

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Minnie
3 Marilyn B. Crews.

4 WHEREAS, it is with deep regret and profound sorrow that the members of the
5 House of Representatives have learned of the death of Minnie Marilyn B. Crews, a teacher,
6 volunteer, and councilwoman, on May 6, 2018, at the age of eighty-four; and

7 WHEREAS, Minnie Marilyn B. Crews was born February 9, 1934, to William and
8 Aretha Bolton Bailey Jr.; she attended Central Memorial High School and graduated at the
9 age of sixteen, then earned her bachelor of arts degree from Southern University; she moved
10 to Los Angeles to continue her studies at University of California at Los Angeles and
11 Pepperdine; and

12 WHEREAS, in Los Angeles she met and married Charles Crews; of their union was
13 born a son, Keith; and

14 WHEREAS, Mrs. Crews worked dutifully for twelve years as a postal clerk, tour
15 guide, and seasonal supervisor; and

16 WHEREAS, Mrs. Crews became a teacher for the Los Angeles Unified School
17 District where she worked in the English and Social Studies departments for twenty-seven
18 years at three schools: Jordan High School, Reiley High School, and Westchester High
19 School; and

20 WHEREAS, the leadership skills she cultivated as seasonal shift supervisor paved
21 the way for her service in the Dean's office at Westchester High School where she

1 coordinated all multi-cultural and human relation activities for the student body and was the
2 crisis counselor during the riot of 1992; and

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Crews returned to Bogalusa in 2000 and served on the Bogalusa
4 City Council from 2006-2010; she was a member of the Bogalusa Rotary Club and a Court
5 Appointed Special Advocates volunteer; she always enjoyed interacting with people; and

6 WHEREAS, she was an active member of St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal
7 Church, singing in the choir and serving as school superintendent; she served on several
8 church committees, including Lay Organization, Missionary Society, Stewardess Board, and
9 St. Paul Centennial Committee; she also was a devoted member of Brookin African
10 Methodist Episcopal Church during her years in Los Angeles; and

11 WHEREAS, she is survived by her brother, Joseph Bailey; grandson, Kasey B.
12 Crews; nephews Brandon Bailey and Shawn Owens; nieces Wanderlynn Evans Weary
13 Shannon W. Owens, Lillie Owens, Yolanda Magee, and her husband Albert, and Terrie W.
14 Robinson; caregivers Patricia and Martin Felton; and numerous other relatives and friends.

15 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
16 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express its genuine sorrow at the loss of Minnie
17 Marilyn B. Crews; does hereby extend condolences to her family upon her death; and does
18 hereby offer thoughts and prayers for comfort and peace.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
20 to the family of Minnie Marilyn B. Crews.

DIGEST

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