

2018 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 236

BY SENATOR WHITE

TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT. Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to submit a report to the Senate Committee on Finance and the Senate Select Committee on Homeland Security on the ability of the public works and water resources division in the department to receive and distribute federal funds for flood control, hazard mitigation grant program, and other disaster funds.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to submit a report
3 to the Senate Committee on Finance and the Senate Select Committee on Homeland
4 Security on the ability of the public works and water resources division in the
5 department to receive and distribute federal funds for flood control, hazard
6 mitigation grant program, and other disaster funds.

7 WHEREAS, the state of Louisiana experienced monumental flood events in 2016;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation and Development administers the
10 Statewide Flood Control Program; and

11 WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation and Development is a member of the
12 Floodplain Evaluation and Management Commission charged with development of a
13 systematic evaluation of drainage and flooding problems in the state; and

14 WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation and Development annually
15 administers millions of dollars of state and federal funds.

16 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
17 does hereby request the Department of Transportation and Development to submit a report
18 on or before October 1, 2018, to the Senate Committee on Finance and the Senate Select

1 Committee on Homeland Security on the ability of the public works and water resources
2 division in the department to receive and distribute federal funds for flood control, the
3 hazard mitigation grant program, and other disaster funds.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
5 secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Sharon F. Lyles.

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