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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 110

BY REPRESENTATIVES PRESSLY, BAGLEY, BUTLER, CREWS, ECHOLS, FIRMENT, FISHER, GADBERRY, GLOVER, HARRIS, HORTON, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, TRAVIS JOHNSON, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCMAHEN, PHELPS, RISER, SCHAMERHORN, SEABAUGH, THOMPSON, AND TURNER

A RESOLUTION

To commend Chuck Meehan on the occasion of his retirement from Volunteers of America North Louisiana.

WHEREAS, Chuck Meehan is a native of McGregor, Iowa; he earned a master's degree in social work from Louisiana State University in 1976 and previously worked for the Louisiana Department of Health; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Meehan joined Volunteers of America North Louisiana as president and chief executive officer in 1988, and during his tenure, he led efforts to expand the organization's mission; today, the North Louisiana branch is one of the largest human services organizations in its area, employing nearly four hundred professional staff members to operate programs that provide annual assistance for more than six thousand individuals, including veterans, children, families, senior adults, and people with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Chuck is an incredibly civic-minded individual who is very involved in his community; he served on the pastoral council of St. Joseph's Catholic Church and as president of Rotary Club of Shreveport; he was inducted into the Junior Achievement of North Louisiana Business Hall of Fame in 2009 and is a past recipient of numerous awards including the National Conference for Community and Justice Brotherhood/Sisterhood Award and the Shreveport Bar Association Liberty Bell Award; and

WHEREAS, Chuck has lived out what it means to be a true Louisiana citizen; he always places his community ahead of himself and is most deserving of recognition on the occasion of his retirement. THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Chuck Meehan on the occasion of his retirement from Volunteers of America North Louisiana; does hereby further recognize his role in helping improve the North Louisiana branch of Volunteers of America; does hereby thank him for his service to the people of North Louisiana; and does hereby extend sincere wishes that he continue to enjoy prosperity as he begins his new life in retirement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Chuck Meehan.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES