

;2022 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 170

BY SENATOR REESE

COMMENDATIONS. Commends the Cal-Cam Fair on the celebration of its one hundredth anniversary.

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Cal-Cam Fair on the celebration of its one hundredth anniversary.

WHEREAS, it is with great pleasure that the members of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana have learned of the Cal-Cam Fair's one hundredth anniversary; and

WHEREAS, the Cal-Cam Fair was founded in 1922 in Lake Charles, Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Alvan LaFargue formed the original Cal-Cam Fair Board in 1924 and served as board president for many years, with his wife, Florestine Richard LaFargue, serving as the board secretary; and

WHEREAS, the fair has been held in several historic locations in the past century including its site of origin in Lake Charles and in locations throughout the city of Sulphur; and

WHEREAS, the fair spent more than sixty years at its location on Highway 27 and moved to its final home at the West-Cal Arena in 2014 on the Cal-Cam Fair's ninetieth anniversary; and

WHEREAS, the original bi-parish fair was designed for farmers with booths displaying crops, livestock, various farming implement exhibits, and local products such as jams, jellies, and clothing; and

WHEREAS, today, the Cal-Cam Fair is one the few fairs that invites the public to

