2023 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 18

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

## A RESOLUTION

To commend the Trinity Episcopal School Youth Legislature.

WHEREAS, it is most fitting to recognize the Trinity Episcopal School in New Orleans and to commend the school's Youth Legislature program; and

WHEREAS, the Trinity Episcopal School Youth Legislature is a program designed for middle school students which aims to familiarize them with the legislative process; through the program, students have the opportunity to spend two days in the Old State Capitol, and they are also encouraged to develop their leadership skills and work together with their peers; and

WHEREAS, the Youth Legislature program also provides students with an opportunity to gain confidence and the self-assurance needed to become school leaders now and community leaders in their adult lives; and

WHEREAS, the members and roles of Trinity Episcopal School's 2023 Youth Legislature include Beau Dirks, candidate for governor; Katherine Aucoin, candidate for Senate president; and Ashton de Laureal, candidate for House speaker; students serving as bill sponsors are Mary Frances Baldwin, Ariana Bazan, TJ Green, Clyde Kolb, Isabel Messersmith, Madeleine Mondrinos, Quinn Ogg, Ryan Plunkett, Ann Schonberg, Thomas Smallpage, and Rhys Tyrrell; bill co-sponsors are Evelyn deMeyers, Ellie Kolb, Soren Loomis, Zoe McCall, Amelie Perkin, Tanner Robert, Mia Roberson, Holden Roubion, Reily Roubion, George Tournillon, and Lennon Wright; additionally, Kate Raymond serves as the photo journalist, and James Thayer and Wells Tucker serve as press delegates; and

WHEREAS, the Trinity Episcopal School Youth Legislature program is truly impressive, and the students and faculty involved in its activities are deserving of recognition.

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THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Trinity Episcopal School Youth Legislature and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that the example set by the members of the 2023 Trinity Episcopal School Youth Legislature serves to inspire more students to become involved with public service.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES