

2023 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 105

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Recognizes May 4, 2023, as Zeta Phi Beta Day at the state capitol

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To recognize Thursday, May 4, 2023, as Zeta Phi Beta Day at the state capitol and to  
3 commend the members of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated.

4 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend the members of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority,  
5 Incorporated, for their outstanding community service and to recognize Thursday,  
6 May 4, 2023, as Zeta Phi Beta Day at the state capitol; and

7 WHEREAS, founded at Howard University in Washington D.C., in 1920, Zeta Phi  
8 Beta Sorority has the distinction of being the first sorority cofounded by African American  
9 college men of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity desiring sisters representing finer womanhood,  
10 scholarship, service, and sisterhood; and

11 WHEREAS, throughout the past one hundred three years, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority has  
12 expanded internationally to more than eight hundred seventy-five chapters in eight  
13 intercontinental regions; and

14 WHEREAS, the state of Louisiana hosts thirty of these chapters, which are located  
15 on college and university campuses and have active graduate groups in communities  
16 throughout the state; and

17 WHEREAS, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority is action oriented and committed to community  
18 service and actively contributes to the educational, civic, and social life of Louisiana's  
19 citizens; and

1           WHEREAS, Zeta Phi Beta chapters encourage their members to become informed,  
2 involved, and committed community volunteers in one of their service initiatives, including  
3 education, family, health, politics, the economy, and the arts; and

4           WHEREAS, the current program of Zeta Phi Beta is honoring "The Year of the  
5 International Woman: Serving and Advocating for Health Justice Home & Abroad"; and

6           WHEREAS, Zeta Day at the state capitol is part of Zeta Phi Beta's political initiative  
7 across the country through which members network with legislators to address issues that  
8 are relevant to their communities.

9           THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the  
10 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize Thursday, May 4, 2023, as Zeta Phi Beta  
11 Day at the state capitol and does hereby commend and express enduring appreciation to the  
12 members of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, for the tremendous service, honor, and  
13 pride that they bring to their families, friends, communities, the state of Louisiana, and the  
14 United States of America.

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