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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 222

BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT

HIGHWAYS: Urges and requests the Department of Transportation and Development increase the size of signage honoring veterans on the Veterans Memorial Bridge

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to design and
3 install signs on the Veterans Memorial Bridge.

4 WHEREAS, the Veterans Memorial Bridge is dedicated to our veterans, who have
5 nobly served our country; and

6 WHEREAS, our veterans deserve the utmost respect and appreciation; and

7 WHEREAS, the current signs on the Veterans Memorial Bridge are simple, small,
8 and similar to "highway marker" signs; and

9 WHEREAS, the current signs on the Veterans Memorial Bridge are not befitting of
10 the honor and respect our veterans deserve; and

11 WHEREAS, when the Huey P. Long Bridge was re-engineered and widened, the
12 "Huey P. Long Bridge" signs were restored and reinstalled; and

13 WHEREAS, the signs on the Huey P. Long Bridge are twenty-eight feet long, four
14 feet wide, and weigh two thousand five hundred pounds each; and

15 WHEREAS, the signs on the Veterans Memorial Bridge should be similar in scope
16 and visibility to those on the Huey P. Long Bridge.

17 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
18 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the Department of Transportation and
19 Development to design and install signs on the Veterans Memorial Bridge that are similar
20 in scope and visibility to those on the Huey P. Long Bridge.

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

DIGEST

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