

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 63

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study traffic congestion on Louisiana Highway 449 and make recommendations for extensions.

WHEREAS, there has been a sizeable increase in traffic congestion on Highway 447; and

WHEREAS, the number of vehicles on this highway are at a rise throughout the city limits of Walker; and

WHEREAS, there is a proposal for Highway 449 to be extended to the I-12 carrier including an interchange East and West; and

WHEREAS, the alternative extension of Highway 449 will alleviate traffic congestion and promote safe traveling; and

WHEREAS, additionally, the extension of Highway 449 would improve accessibility and connectivity; and

WHEREAS, the proposal would allow rural communities to have more routes to access vital resources and opportunities.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study traffic congestion on Louisiana Highway 449 and its possible extension to I-12.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation and Development shall submit a written report detailing its findings to the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works prior to March 1, 2025.

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

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES