## 2024 Regular Session

### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 116

## BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIAQUE

# COMMENDATIONS: Commends Lynn Guillory on the occasion of her retirement

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To commend Lynn Guillory on the occasion of her retirement.
3	WHEREAS, Lynn Guillory was born in Abbeville, Louisiana, and she is a 1969
4	graduate of Abbeville High School; she received a bachelor of science degree from the
5	University of Southwestern Louisiana in 1973; and
6	WHEREAS, Ms. Guillory worked as an educator for the first thirty-three years of her
7	professional career; she began as a teacher at Maurice High School where she served from
8	1973 until 1978 and taught at Louisiana Technical College from 1979 until 2006; and
9	WHEREAS, after more than three decades in education, Ms. Guillory accepted the
10	executive director role with the Vermilion Chamber of Commerce in January 2007; under
11	her leadership, the chamber implemented its new and improved website with a searchable
12	database, links to its economic development partners, a calendar for chamber membership
13	activities and events, and a job posting page; and
14	WHEREAS, Lynn also oversaw the development of the first-ever Vermilion
15	Community Guide for providing information about the community to prospective residents
16	and businesses; she led the chamber to establish the Leadership Vermilion Program with the
17	mission of "developing a better-informed citizen" and which already has one hundred forty-
18	eight graduates; and
19	WHEREAS, the Vermilion Chamber of Commerce has received numerous awards
20	and honors as a result of Ms. Guillory's incredible leadership; the chamber was recognized
21	as the Louisiana Association of Chamber of Commerce Executive's 2011 Chamber of the

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- 1 Year in the Small Chamber Category, and it also received recognition from the LSU E.J.
- 2 Ourso College of Business as the 2009 Louisiana Business & Technology Center Mobile
- 3 Classroom Community of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Lynn has also served on the board of the Louisiana Association of
Chamber of Commerce Executives, and she is presently a member of the board of the
Vermilion Library Foundation; she is most deserving of the highest recognition for her
inspiring leadership of the Vermilion Chamber of Commerce and for her dedication to
Vermilion Parish and the state of Louisiana.
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the

- 10 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Lynn Guillory on the occasion of her
- 11 retirement and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that she continue to prosper in all of her
- 12 endeavors as she begins a new journey in retirement.

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