

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 286

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROMERO

A RESOLUTION

To commend Jefferson Davis Parish sheriff, Ivy Woods, on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, Ivy Woods was born and raised in Jefferson Davis Parish, and he is a member of the Lake Arthur High School Athletic Hall of Fame; he attended McNeese State University on an athletic scholarship, starting as an offensive guard on the Cowboys football team, and he graduated in 1986 with a Bachelor of Science in agricultural business; and

WHEREAS, after graduating, Ivy began a distinguished twenty-one-year career with the Louisiana State Police; during that time, he received the 2004 Senior Trooper of the Year Award for Region II, and he received the 2006 Trooper of the Year Award from Jefferson Davis Parish District Attorney Michael Cassidy for his role in the largest illegal drug currency seizure in Louisiana's history; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff Woods has served the Jefferson Davis Parish Sheriff's Office since 2012; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff Woods enjoys hunting ducks, rabbits, and deer, fishing, and working on 4-H projects with his sons; he served as a volunteer youth football and baseball coach for Jeff Davis Youth; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff Ivy Woods is a community servant who is most deserving of the highest recognition for his dedication to protecting the people of Jefferson Davis Parish and Louisiana.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Jefferson Davis Parish sheriff, Ivy Woods, on the occasion of his retirement and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that he continue to prosper in all of his endeavors and enjoy good health for many more years to come.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES