

2024 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 161

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Palm Court Jazz Cafe for thirty-five years of outstanding contributions to the music and cultural heritage of New Orleans.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Palm Court Jazz Café for thirty-five years of outstanding contributions to the
3 music and cultural heritage of New Orleans.

4 WHEREAS, the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana acknowledges the profound
5 impact of local businesses that contribute to the cultural and historical fabric of our state; and

6 WHEREAS, the Palm Court Jazz Café, founded by Nina Buck and supported by her
7 late husband George Buck, has been an iconic establishment in New Orleans for thirty-five
8 years, fostering an environment where music and dining could be enjoyed together in a
9 nostalgic ambiance reminiscent of the 1930s and 1940s; and

10 WHEREAS, George Buck's dedication to preserving American music through the
11 Jazzology/GHB Jazz Foundation has ensured that many areas of American music endure in
12 perpetuity, with the foundation residing in the same building as Palm Court Jazz Café; and

13 WHEREAS, over its storied history, the Palm Court Jazz Café has been a platform
14 for many of New Orleans' greatest musicians and vocalists, featuring performances in a
15 venue adorned with a mahogany bar, Steinway piano, and a historic collection of photos,
16 creating a unique and cherished atmosphere; and

17 WHEREAS, the Palm Court Jazz Café fostered a sense of family among its
18 musicians, staff, and patrons, making it a beloved and integral part of the community; and

