

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 28

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Designates April 16, 2025, as AARP Louisiana Caregiver Day at the state capitol

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To designate Wednesday, April 16, 2025, as AARP Louisiana Caregiver Day at the state
3 capitol.

4 WHEREAS, Louisiana ranks forty-fifth in the nation on the Long Term Services and
5 Supports State Scorecard; and

6 WHEREAS, in Louisiana, there are an estimated six hundred thirty thousand family
7 caregivers who provide care to adult relatives or friends; the economic value of this care
8 amounts to around \$6.9 billion each year; and

9 WHEREAS, there are eleven thousand two hundred fifty individuals on waiting lists
10 to receive assistance with day-to-day activities and housework; and

11 WHEREAS, nearly 90% of elderly Louisianians in need of assistance wish to remain
12 in their homes and communities, where they can receive the support of friends and family
13 as they age; and

14 WHEREAS, nearly three out of every four elderly individuals who receive at-home
15 assistance rely exclusively on unpaid family caregivers.

16 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
17 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby designate Wednesday, April 16, 2025, as AARP
18 Louisiana Caregiver Day at the state capitol and does hereby encourage all Louisianians to
19 support caregivers and acknowledge their impact on the lives of the elderly in our state.

DIGEST

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