

1 state capitol on September 8, 1935; a bomb exploded in the Louisiana Senate Chamber in
2 the 1970s; U.S. House majority leader Steve Scalise was shot and wounded during the
3 annual Congressional Baseball Game in 2017; and

4 WHEREAS, political violence subverts the will of democracy and creates greater
5 division within the state and country, and it is vitally important that American citizens stand
6 against such acts.

7 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
8 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby condemn political violence in the United States and
9 does hereby encourage Americans to embrace discourse in the spirit of democracy as a
10 necessary alternative to acts of violence against elected officials and other political figures.

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