#### Regular Session, 2013

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49

### BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER AND SENATOR PEACOCK

#### A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize April 30, 2013, as Junior League of Louisiana Day.

WHEREAS, the Junior Leagues of Louisiana have long been recognized as organizations of women across Louisiana committed to promoting volunteerism, developing the potential of women, and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers; and

WHEREAS, the Junior Leagues of Louisiana play a crucial role in promoting and improving women's and children's quality of life by addressing particular issues, primarily safety, education, childcare, health and nutrition, adoption, and foster care, throughout Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the Junior Leagues of Louisiana have identified these women's and children's issues because they have a significant impact on the current and future quality of life for the citizens of Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, Louisianians should be made aware of the importance of improving the lives of women and children in the state of Louisiana and the tremendous benefits associated with doing such; and

WHEREAS, Louisianians should be made aware of the thousands of dedicated Junior League volunteers and community partners who spend countless hours and human and capital resources aimed at improving the hundreds of communities throughout the state of Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the Junior Leagues of Louisiana, whose membership is comprised of homemakers, professionals, and community leaders, have tremendous influence on making the state of Louisiana a better place for all of us to live; and WHEREAS, the Junior Leagues of Louisiana, through their State Public Affairs Committee and community partners, are holding activities and special events to further educate and inform federal, state, and local government and community leaders, and the general public, on the importance of women's and children's issues including safety, education, childcare, health and nutrition, adoption, and foster care.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize April 30, 2013, as Junior League of Louisiana Day.

## SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

# PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE