

2016 Regular Session

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54

BY SENATORS GARY SMITH AND BROWN AND REPRESENTATIVES GREGORY
MILLER AND SCHEXNAYDER

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Detective Vernon Bailey Jr. of the St. John the Baptist Sheriff's Office on being named Officer of the Year.

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 To commend Detective Vernon Bailey Jr. for his dedicated service as an extraordinary law
3 enforcement officer and on being named 2015 Officer of the Year of St. John the
4 Baptist Sheriff's Office.

5 WHEREAS, it is appropriate that a sincere and heartfelt measure of commendation
6 be extended to Detective Vernon Bailey Jr. of the St. John the Baptist Sheriff's Office for his
7 dedication to public service and his consistent determination to serve and protect the citizens
8 of Louisiana as an outstanding law enforcement officer; and

9 WHEREAS, Detective Bailey has been with the St. John the Baptist Sheriff's Office
10 for nine years and was also named Officer of the Fourth Quarter for 2015 for his outstanding
11 service record; and

12 WHEREAS, Detective Bailey's impressive investigative record includes his
13 investigation of a May 2014 shooting which resulted in the arrest, plea of guilty, and
14 imprisonment for attempted murder of a suspect; and

15 WHEREAS, Detective Bailey also solved a December 2014 homicide through
16 thorough investigation, which resulted in the suspect pleading guilty and receiving a lengthy
17 prison sentence; and

18 WHEREAS, because of his extraordinary work ethic, commitment to excellence, and

