

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 43

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Recognize March 28, 2018, as National Federation of Independent Business/Louisiana Small Business Day at the capitol

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To recognize March 28, 2018, as National Federation of Independent Business/Louisiana
3 Small Business Day at the state capitol and to commend the National Federation of
4 Independent Business on its seventy-fifth anniversary.

5 WHEREAS, both governmental and private entities alike herald small businesses as
6 the backbone of the American economy; small businesses create a vast array of goods,
7 services, and jobs throughout Louisiana and across the United States; and

8 WHEREAS, federal law recognizes that encouraging and developing the capacity
9 of small business is essential to the free market competition upon which the economic well-
10 being and security of the nation depend; and

11 WHEREAS, founded in 1943, the National Federation of Small Business was created
12 to represent the interests of thousands of small businesses; in 1949, the National Federation
13 of Independent Business (NFIB) succeeded to the work of the National Federation of Small
14 Business; and

15 WHEREAS, today NFIB represents hundreds of thousands of small and independent
16 businesses, including many in Louisiana, and has advanced small and independent business
17 owners' ability to operate and grow their establishments; and

18 WHEREAS, the small and independent businesses and the people of Louisiana have
19 benefitted from the work of NFIB for three-quarters of a century.

1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
2 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize Wednesday, March 28, 2018, as National
3 Federation of Independent Business/Louisiana Small Business Day at the state capitol and
4 does hereby commend the National Federation of Independent Business on its seventy-fifth
5 anniversary.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
7 to Dawn Starns, the state director of the Louisiana Small Business Association.

DIGEST

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Designates Mar. 28, 2018, as National Federation of Independent Business/La. Small Business Day at the state capitol and commends the federation upon its 75th anniversary.