

2018 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 190

BY SENATOR BARROW

COMMENDATIONS. Commends and congratulates The Life of a Single Mom for its many accomplishments and to declare May 24, 2018, The Life of a Single Mom Day in Louisiana.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend and congratulate The Life of a Single Mom (TLSM) for its many  
3 accomplishments and positive effects on the lives of single mothers and on the  
4 occasion of its first TLSM Day at the capitol.

5 WHEREAS, TLSM, an award-winning, fully accredited, global 501(c)(3) nonprofit  
6 organization, headquartered in Baton Rouge, LA, exists to see that "No single mom walks  
7 alone"; and

8 WHEREAS, TLSM has served as a catalyst and established more than one thousand  
9 five hundred support groups across Louisiana, the United States, and across the globe  
10 through their multifaceted approach to supporting single mothers; and

11 WHEREAS, TLSM's mission is to educate and train community leaders, pastors, and  
12 the general public on the plight of the single parent family, while helping single parents  
13 achieve self-sufficiency and success in parenting, finances, and overall health and wellness;  
14 and

15 WHEREAS, TLSM believes that it is possible to make a difference in the lives of  
16 single mothers and their children while minimizing a family's need for governmental  
17 assistance through education and opportunities which will empower single mom's families;  
18 and

1           WHEREAS, TLSM further believes that the faith-based community has the ability  
2 to radically change the lives of single parents across Louisiana and beyond; and

3           WHEREAS, the core of TLSM are the support groups which serve all sixty-four  
4 parishes across the state of Louisiana and throughout the United States serving more than  
5 seventy-two thousand single mothers each year; and

6           WHEREAS, TLSM helps single parents connect to a local support group, provides  
7 churches with effective ministry tools for single mothers groups, provides fresh produce,  
8 exercise classes, home improvements for single moms, and online education through the  
9 Single Moms University which is a collection of ten-minute online courses taught by experts  
10 in the field of financial literacy, parenting, and health and wellness; and

11           WHEREAS, TLSM is considered the nation's leading authority on single mom  
12 training and support group establishment.

13           THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana  
14 does hereby congratulate The Life of a Single Mom for its accomplishments and positive  
15 effects on the lives of single mothers and their children and on the occasion of TLSM Day  
16 at the capitol on Thursday, May 24, 2018.

17           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Ms.  
18 Jennifer Maggio, Chief Executive Officer of TLSM.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part  
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Ann S. Brown.

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