

2021 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 15

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A RESOLUTION

To commend Boys & Girls Clubs and to designate April 12-17, 2021, as Boys & Girls Clubs Week in Louisiana.

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Clubs in Louisiana serve more than 19,000 kids and teens annually; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Boys & Girls Clubs is to enable young people, especially those who need help, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, and responsible citizens; and

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Clubs work to ensure that each member reaches three priority outcomes: academic success (as evidenced by graduation from high school and readiness for subsequent experiences in college, trade school, military service, or full-time employment), good character and citizenship (as manifest in community engagement, voting registration, and the cultivation of a strong character), and a commitment to healthy lifestyles (as epitomized by the adoption of a healthy diet, the practicing of healthy lifestyle choices, and a lifelong commitment to fitness); and

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Clubs provided important services to youth and families throughout the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Clubs around the state of Louisiana provide valuable opportunities for youth; and

WHEREAS, the dedicated professionals in Boys & Girls Clubs provide important connections with caring and supportive adults for kids and teens who need them the most; and

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Clubs are committed to reaching more young people in the state in communities large and small.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Boys & Girls Clubs throughout the state for their outstanding commitment to children, teens, and families, and for ensuring that young people have a safe, fun, and positive place to go, especially during times of crisis, and hereby recognizes the week of April 12-17, 2021, as Boys & Girls Clubs Week in Louisiana.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES