

1 provided a foundation for generations as Nancy was the mother of John Valluzzo (wife Jan),
2 Mary Rebecca Montes de Oca (husband Fermin), Timothy Valluzzo (wife Mary Kate),
3 Christopher Valluzzo (wife Krista) and Patrick Valluzzo (wife Rebecca); and

4 WHEREAS, she was the Nana/Nanny of nineteen grandchildren: Nicholas Valluzzo,
5 Michael Valluzzo, FM Montes de Oca, Mellody Buford, Christina Pipes, Anthony Montes
6 de Oca, Charles Valluzzo II, Mary Katherine Montes de Oca, Caroline Valluzzo, Mary
7 Alexandra Montes de Oca, Virginia Valluzzo, Harrison Valluzzo, Murphy Valluzzo, Locke
8 Valluzzo, Pierson Valluzzo, Sean Valluzzo, Clare Valluzzo, Gabriel Valluzzo, and Mary
9 Emery Valluzzo, and great grandmother of fifteen; and

10 WHEREAS, from the day the family arrived in Baton Rouge, Nancy provided
11 impactful leadership and commitment to the many organizations she was involved with: she
12 was a Board Member of the American Diabetes Association of Baton Rouge, YWCO, and
13 McMains Children's Development Center; and

14 WHEREAS, she was the proud recipient of the Mother Seaton Award for her tireless
15 efforts at St. Thomas More School and Parish; and

16 WHEREAS, Nancy's passion for her Irish heritage was evident in her home, her
17 faith, and her cooking; on St. Patrick's Day it was common practice to relocate the "o" at the
18 end of Valluzzo and move it to the front; and

19 WHEREAS, she had many dear friends in life, Birthday Group, Bridge Group, Book
20 Club, Destin Group, and more over the years; she loved to faithfully toast the sunset during
21 Golden Hour; and

22 WHEREAS, she was a voracious reader, an avid tennis player, an accomplished
23 Bridge player, and an incredible cook who loved to snow ski and play golf; and

24 WHEREAS, she went by many names: Sweetsie, Mom, Nana/ Nanny, and Nancy;
25 she truly loved living life and will forever be missed; and

26 WHEREAS, the death of Nancy Valluzzo has evoked a tremendous sense of loss
27 within the Baton Rouge community, recalling her many years of public service and personal
28 interactions - a remarkable and magnificent woman and a Baton Rouge treasure.

29 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
30 express its heartfelt sympathies at the passing of Ann Theresa "Nancy" Mellody Valluzzo,

