

2021 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 97

BY REPRESENTATIVES MCFARLAND AND MIKE JOHNSON

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Samantha Paul on winning the 2021 Louisiana Agriscience Teachers Association Essay Contest

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Samantha Paul on winning the 2021 Louisiana Agriscience Teachers  
3 Association Essay Contest.

4 WHEREAS, Samantha Paul is a sophomore FFA member and chapter president at  
5 Tioga High School where Ms. Debbie McFarland serves as the agriscience teacher and FFA  
6 advisor; and

7 WHEREAS, the National FFA Organization prepares and trains students for  
8 leadership and professions in the science, business, and technology of agriculture in public  
9 schools throughout our nation with over eleven thousand members in two hundred and four  
10 chapters here in Louisiana; and

11 WHEREAS, the mission of the FFA organization is to make a positive difference in  
12 the lives of young people by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal  
13 growth, and career success through agricultural education; and

14 WHEREAS, the Louisiana Agriscience Teachers Association (LATA) represents the  
15 interests of the agriscience teaching profession in the state and provides resources for  
16 strengthening middle school and high school agriscience programs by enhancing the skills  
17 of agriscience teachers; and

18 WHEREAS, the LATA sponsors an annual essay contest for current agriscience  
19 students and FFA members to participate; and

20 WHEREAS, the 2021 LATA Essay Contest writing topic was "Why should  
21 agricultural literacy be taught in every grade level?"; and

1           WHEREAS, out of the numerous competitors statewide, Samantha Paul was selected  
2 as the 2021 LATA Essay Contest state winner on February 28, 2021.

3           THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the  
4 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Samantha Paul of the Tioga High School  
5 FFA Chapter on winning the 2021 LATA Essay Contest and exemplifying the excellence  
6 of Louisiana agriscience students.

7           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted  
8 to Samantha Paul.

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DIGEST

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