

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 101

BY SENATOR BARROW

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Robert Showers for his loyal and dedicated service with the Department of Health, Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities, upon his retirement.

WHEREAS, Robert Showers served at the Department of Health and Hospitals North Lake Supports and Services Center for over five years, the Department of Health and Hospitals Gary W. Project Office for over four years, the Department of Health and Hospitals Bureau of Protective Services for over seven years, the Department of Health and Hospitals Office of Primary Health for two years, and Department of Health Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities (OCDD) for over eighteen years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Showers provided effective and efficient services to the developmental disabilities population and made a lasting contribution at OCDD by interacting with providers, local governing entities, support coordinators, and Department of Health program offices, as well as his colleagues, serving as an information source and a friend to them throughout his career; and

WHEREAS, Robert Showers is an extraordinary, hardworking, dutiful, and loving husband, father and grandfather; and

WHEREAS, he is a faithful member of the Greater Mt. Vernon Missionary Baptist Church, Hammond, Louisiana, and President of the Dr. Lavanner Showers Brown Scholarship Fund; and

WHEREAS, during his time at OCDD, Robert Showers displayed exemplary pride in every phase of his job and, as a result, he was respected for his professionalism, wisdom, and knowledge; and

WHEREAS, his professionalism and willingness to assist others will be missed by the developmental disability community, staff, and friends; his service with OCDD was laudable and worthy of special notice.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and congratulate Robert Showers for his loyal and dedicated service with the Department of Health, Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities, express appreciation to Robert Showers for his loyal and dedicated service, and extend best wishes upon his retirement, and for continued success in his life's pursuits.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Robert Showers.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE