

2022 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 13

BY REPRESENTATIVE HORTON

CONDOLENCES: Expresses condolences on the death of firefighter Jessie Andre Henry

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of firefighter  
3 Jessie Andre Henry.

4 WHEREAS, it is with immense sadness and profound regret that the House of  
5 Representatives has learned of the tragic and untimely line-of-duty death, on December 18,  
6 2021, of South Bossier Fire District #2 firefighter Jessie Andre Henry; and

7 WHEREAS, Jessie Andre Henry was born on August 24, 1993, in Aschaffenburg,  
8 Germany; he was raised in Shreveport, Louisiana, graduated from Captain Shreve High  
9 School, and attended Bossier Parish Community College; and

10 WHEREAS, Jessie joined the United States Army in 2012 and deployed on a year-  
11 long assignment in Afghanistan in 2013; after he completed his four years of service to the  
12 Army, he joined the Army National Guard, where he reached the rank of Sergeant and  
13 remained an active member until his untimely passing; and

14 WHEREAS, Jessie became a firefighter at South Bossier Fire District #2 in 2019; he  
15 excelled in every aspect of his job, from emergency medicine and rescue to firefighting and  
16 public safety diving; he was most passionate about firefighting, going above and beyond to  
17 help the communities he served and always striving to achieve his next goals; and

18 WHEREAS, in addition to serving his community as a firefighter, Mr. Henry was  
19 also incredibly civic-minded; in 2020, he created a non-profit organization called Four  
20 Quarters Club, which donates school supplies to underprivileged children; his generosity

1 knew no bounds, and his plans for the charity included expanding its services to include  
2 financial literacy courses for children; and

3 WHEREAS, Jessie was tragically lost in the line of duty on December 18, 2021; his  
4 loss spread waves of grief throughout the entire Bossier community; he was an incredibly  
5 driven and generous man who lived to serve others; he will be deeply missed, but his  
6 incredible, albeit brief, work with Bossier-area youth will leave a lasting legacy for many  
7 years to come.

8 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the  
9 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express heartfelt condolences on the untimely death  
10 of firefighter Jessie Andre Henry; does hereby recognize Mr. Henry for his truly  
11 inspirational charitable contributions to the Bossier community through his organization,  
12 Four Quarters Club; does hereby further recognize him for his military service to our country  
13 in Afghanistan; and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that his family, friends, colleagues,  
14 and the entire Bossier community find some sense of comfort in the shared memories of his  
15 life.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
17 Captain Robert Whiteman of South Bossier Fire District #2.

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#### DIGEST

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