

BY REPRESENTATIVE GOUDEAU AND SENATOR CORTEZ

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 To commend Alechia Randle on being selected as the 2022 Direct Support Professional of

3 the Year in Louisiana by the American Network of Community Options and

4 Resources.

5 WHEREAS, Louisiana's essential workforce of Direct Support Professionals, or

6 DSPs, constitutes the backbone of the state's community-based services delivery system and

7 allows individuals with disabilities to lead fulfilling lives in their communities; and

8 WHEREAS, DSPs offer individuals with disabilities a broad range of supports to

9 assist them in managing complex medical and behavioral health needs; they have also played

10 an instrumental role in ensuring the health and safety of the vulnerable populations they

11 support during the COVID-19 pandemic; and

12 WHEREAS, the American Network of Community Options and Resources annually

13 recognizes the nation's class of Direct Support Professional of the Year award recipients for

14 their excellence in providing long-term supports and services to individuals living with

15 intellectual and developmental disabilities; and

16 WHEREAS, Alechia Randle of Lafayette, Louisiana, was recently honored as

17 Louisiana's 2022 Direct Support Professional of the Year for her unrelenting commitment

18 to meeting the needs of all of the individuals she serves and for her selfless dedication to

19 helping others reach their goals; she currently works for ResCare Community Living

20 Services and consistently and comprehensively prioritizes the well-being and happiness of

1 the individuals she supports by going above and beyond to ensure that they have every need
2 met; she is most deserving of the highest recognition for her incredible work.

3 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
4 commend Alechia Randle on being selected as the 2022 Direct Support Professional of the
5 Year in Louisiana by the American Network of Community Options and Resources; does
6 hereby further recognize Ms. Randle for her commitment to individuals with disabilities in
7 Louisiana; and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that she continue her inspiring work as
8 she serves as a genuine example of selfless service in the community.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
10 Alechia Randle.

DIGEST

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