

2023 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 47

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, April 18, 2023, as Louisiana Oncology Society Day at the state capitol.

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Oncology Society (LOS) was founded in 1992 and is the largest professional oncology organization in the state; the organization is made up of a powerful community of oncologists, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, pharmacists, and other multi-disciplinary care providers involved in the treatment of cancer patients; and

WHEREAS, LOS is an affiliate of both the Association of Community Cancer Centers and the American Society of Clinical Oncology; as such, its members receive valuable educational content and innovative resources that are designed to keep them ahead of the local and national challenges and trends directly impacting the high-quality care their patients deserve; and

WHEREAS, LOS collaborates with internal and external organizations to support its mission of improving patient outcomes and the treatment of cancer in Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, LOS's goals are to advocate for state and federal legislation that is directed at resolving issues impacting patient access to care, providing an education forum for its members on the current technologies and medical best practices in cancer care delivery, and communicating changes and updates in oncology practice to its members and the community at-large; and

WHEREAS, to carry out its mission, LOS provides effective representation for clinical oncologists practicing in Louisiana, encourages the improvement of community facilities used for the care and treatment of cancer patients, fosters collegial relationships between oncologists in the state, and much more; and

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Oncology Society is most deserving of the highest recognition for its incredible work to improve cancer treatment in the state.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize Tuesday, April 18, 2023, as Louisiana Oncology Society Day at the state capitol and does hereby extend sincerest wishes for the organization's continued success as it works to improve the outcomes in the treatment of cancer patients.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES