

2023 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 140

BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Sergeant Nicholas Pepper of the Lafourche Parish Sheriff's Office.

WHEREAS, it is with immense sadness and profound regret that the House of Representatives has learned of the tragic passing, on April 2, 2023, of Sergeant Nicholas Pepper; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Pepper embodied the most revered qualities of an honorable peace officer; he began working with the Lafourche Parish Sheriff's Office on October 15, 2007, and served his entire LPSO career in the investigations division, most recently as a supervisor in adult investigations; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Pepper was an integral part of nearly every major criminal investigation in Lafourche Parish for more than a decade; prior to joining the sheriff's office he served in both the Houma Police Department and the Terrebonne Parish Sheriff's Office; his career in law enforcement spanned nearly twenty-four years; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Pepper leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife, Christie Ordoyne Pepper; his children, Patience Pepper, Gracie Pepper, and Nicholas Pepper, Jr.; and his mother, Sharon Pepper; he will be deeply missed, but the legacy of his inspiring memory will live on forever in the hearts and minds of both his family and the communities he passionately served and protected.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express heartfelt condolences on the death of Detective Sergeant Nicholas Pepper of the Lafourche Parish Sheriff's Office; does hereby recognize his sense of duty in serving to protect his community as a law enforcement officer; and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that his family, friends, and loved ones find comfort in their shared memories of his beautiful life.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES