

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 100

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOMANGUE

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Designates April 15, 2024, as National Association of Social Workers Day at the state capitol

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To designate Monday, April 15, 2024, as National Association of Social Workers Day at the  
3 state capitol.

4 WHEREAS, the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) is a professional  
5 organization that provides guidance, research, up-to-date information, advocacy, and other  
6 resources for its members and for social workers in general; and

7 WHEREAS, the NASW was established in 1955 through the consolidation of the  
8 American Association of Social Workers, the American Association of Psychiatric Social  
9 Workers, the American Association of Group Workers, the Association for the Study of  
10 Community Organization, the American Association of Medical Social Workers, the  
11 National Association of School Social Workers, and the Social Work Research Group; and

12 WHEREAS, today, the NASW has around 120,000 members to whom it provides  
13 a number of exclusive services including members-only publications, discounts on products  
14 and services, and continuing education; and

15 WHEREAS, the NASW has fifty-five chapters, with chapters in each of the fifty  
16 states: New York City, Washington, D.C., Puerto Rico; and the U.S. Virgin Islands, the  
17 Louisiana Chapter (NASW-LA) works to promote the social work profession and its efforts  
18 to ensure justice and equality for the state's diverse citizenship; and

19 WHEREAS, NASW-LA annually recognizes regional leaders throughout the state  
20 with its leadership awards; Ronald P. McClain of the New Orleans region received the  
21 Dorothy Schenthal Leadership Award, Gina Rossi of the Baton Rouge region received the

1 Social Worker of the Year Award, Brittany Moore of the Monroe Region received the MSW  
2 Student of the Year Award, and Beacon Community Connections in the Lafayette region  
3 received the Agency of the Year Award; and

4 WHEREAS, the National Association of Social Workers is a truly valued  
5 organization, and the Louisiana Chapter is most deserving of recognition for its support of  
6 the social work profession in the state.

7 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the  
8 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby designate Monday, April 15, 2024, as National  
9 Association of Social Workers Day at the state capitol and does hereby encourage all  
10 Louisianians to recognize and support all of the state's social workers and acknowledge their  
11 value to the community.

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