

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 159

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

A RESOLUTION

To commend Anna Jusselin on her selection as a 2024 Louisiana Public Broadcasting Young Hero.

WHEREAS, Anna Jusselin is a freshman at St. Amant High School and native of Gonzales, Louisiana, who has displayed an unimaginable degree of perseverance since being born with a benign lung lesion that resulted in the removal of the lower lobe of her left lung; and

WHEREAS, fourteen years later, Anna is a vibrant teenager who does not let anything hold her back from accomplishing her goals; her goals include raising funds through her annual "Drink Pink Day" where she sells lemonade and breast cancer awareness t-shirts; and

WHEREAS, to date, Anna's donations to Mary Bird Perkins Cancer Center total over \$32,000; she also volunteers for Team of Dreams, a baseball league for persons with special needs, and says "To see the smiles on the players' faces when they hit the ball and make a run, is the best feeling in the whole world"; and

WHEREAS, Anna has participated in Youth Legislature advocating for teacher pay raises and serves on the Youth Advisory Committee to represent her school and classmates before members of the Ascension Parish School Board; and

WHEREAS, Anna is an avid equestrian; she and her horse, Dolly, participate in Hunter/Jumper competitions, and she plans to specialize in equine veterinarian medicine in college; and

WHEREAS, Anna Jusselin is a truly inspiring young woman who is most deserving of the highest recognition for her civic mindedness.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Anna Jusselin on her selection as a 2024 Louisiana Public Broadcasting Young Hero and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that she continue her excellent work and always strive for greatness.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES