## BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

## A RESOLUTION

To recognize the achievements of the Reginald F. Lewis Scholars.

WHEREAS, the University of Louisiana System, Louisiana's largest higher education system, is comprised of nine-member institutions; and

WHEREAS, the Reginald F. Lewis Scholars serve as a beacon of academic excellence, dedicated to fostering leadership, scholarship, and community engagement; and

WHEREAS, the Reginald F. Lewis Scholars uphold the values of community service, encouraging participants to make positive impacts through volunteerism, service-learning initiatives, and civic engagement activities; and

WHEREAS, Reginald F. Lewis Scholars are provided exceptional opportunities to excel academically, achieve their highest potential, and actively contribute to their communities; and

WHEREAS, Reginald F. Lewis Scholars are steadfast in their commitment to academic success which has resulted in notable achievements, including high retention and graduation rates, academic honors, and successful post-graduate pursuits; and

WHEREAS, Reginald F. Lewis Scholars are prepared for the workforce through career development resources, research and internship opportunities, and professional skills training to enhance their employability and success in their chosen fields.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize the achievements of the Reginald F. Lewis Scholars.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the University of Louisiana System Board of Supervisors and Presidents, with the request that it be shared with all participants and stakeholders as a testament to the Reginald F. Lewis Scholars' achievements and ongoing impact.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE