

Regular Session, 2013

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19

BY SENATORS WALSWORTH AND PEACOCK

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Lauren Vizza on her successful reign as Miss Louisiana 2012.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Lauren Vizza on her reign as Miss Louisiana for 2012 and to recognize
3 Wednesday, May 22, 2013, as Miss Louisiana Organization Day at the Louisiana
4 Senate.

5 WHEREAS, in June of last year, Lauren Vizza competed with other aspiring young
6 women from across the state, was crowned Miss Louisiana, and has graciously represented
7 her state both nationally and internationally during that time; and

8 WHEREAS, Lauren Vizza, whose local pageant titles included Miss Louisiana Tech
9 and Miss Monroe, was selected by the Miss Louisiana pageant judges to compete in the 2013
10 Miss America Pageant in Las Vegas, where she eloquently presented her platform of
11 community service during the on-stage question and answer competition; and

12 WHEREAS, Miss Vizza used her pageant platform, "Be a S.T.A.R.", to promote
13 enrichment programs that encourage youth to volunteer within their communities; and

14 WHEREAS, Lauren Vizza has applied her many skills to activities that include
15 participation in Rock Solid Sports Camp, FDDOC Winners' Circle, (Fully Devoted
16 Developer of Children), and GREAT, (Great Results Equine Assisted Therapies), all of
17 which are nonprofit organizations for the developmentally challenged; and

18 WHEREAS, Lauren, a Shreveport native, who attended Caddo Parish Magnet High

1 School, now pursues a degree in political science and history at Louisiana Tech University;
2 and

3 WHEREAS, while at Louisiana Tech University Miss Vizza engages in numerous
4 extracurricular activities that include service as president and external affairs officer of
5 College Republicans, vice president of the Louisiana Federation of College Republicans,
6 vice president of Philanthropic Services for Sigma Kappa Sorority, student recruiter, director
7 of community services for the Student Government Association, a member of 88 Magnolias,
8 and as spokesman for the Louisiana March of Dimes, the Governor's Council on Physical
9 Fitness and Sports, and Louisiana Cares for Children; and

10 WHEREAS, Miss Vizza aspires to continue her education, to pursue a juris doctorate
11 degree, and perhaps to secure a career in international diplomacy; and

12 WHEREAS, Lauren Vizza is to be congratulated for the tremendous honor she
13 imparts to her family, community, and state.

14 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
15 does hereby commend Lauren Vizza, Miss Louisiana for 2012, for her many
16 accomplishments and talents and does hereby extend its best wishes to her for continued
17 success in future endeavors.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does
19 hereby recognize Wednesday, May 22, 2013, as Miss Louisiana Organization Day at the
20 Louisiana Senate.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
22 Lauren Vizza.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Susan P. Montague.

DIGEST

Walsworth

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