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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 175

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COMMENDATIONS: Commends the River Region Caucus and its member parishes for their cooperative efforts toward improving the quality of life in the river region

A RESOLUTION

2	To commend and congratulate the River Region Caucus and its member parishes for their
3	cooperative efforts toward improving the quality of life in the river region.
4	WHEREAS, formed in 1998, the River Region Caucus is comprised of the governing
5	bodies of Ascension, St. Charles, St. James, and St. John the Baptist parishes; and
6	WHEREAS, the mission of the River Region Caucus is to seek regional cooperation
7	among the four participating parishes on various issues and to work together as a regional
8	alliance to solve common problems; and
9	WHEREAS, because the region shares similar challenges and values, and the
10	parishes are a part of the same economic region, the caucus has several common collective
11	goals, including increasing awareness for state policy and decisionmakers on issues related
12	to infrastructure improvements, transportation and safety, traffic management, community
13	and economic development, environmental planning, coastal erosion, and port facility
14	improvements; and
15	WHEREAS, the River Region Caucus continues to work cooperatively to improve
16	the quality of life for its citizens through better communication and by maximizing its image,
17	services, and communities; and
18	WHEREAS, the River Region Caucus identifies opportunities to promote and
19	advance the culture and interest of the river region, and educate the public and statewide
20	decisionmakers about the region; and

- 1 WHEREAS, the River Region Caucus merits a special measure of commendation for
- 2 its significant contributions toward meeting the needs of the citizens of Ascension, St.
- 3 Charles, St. James, and St. John the Baptist parishes and for the pride and honor it brings to
- 4 the river region and to the state of Louisiana.
- 5 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
- 6 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the River Region Caucus and its member
- 7 parishes for their cooperative efforts toward improving the quality of life in the river region.
- 8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
- 9 to the River Region Caucus.

DIGEST

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