

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 103

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the organizers and volunteers of the 2014 Plaquemines Parish Fair and Orange Festival

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend the organizers and volunteers of the 2014 Plaquemines Parish Fair and Orange
3 Festival.

4 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend the organizers and volunteers of the
5 Plaquemines Parish Fair and Orange Festival, held annually in December in Buras,
6 Louisiana; and

7 WHEREAS, it was in 1947 that the citizens of Plaquemines Parish organized the first
8 Plaquemines Parish Orange Festival to promote the cultivation and marketing of the parish's
9 citrus crop; and

10 WHEREAS, renamed the Plaquemines Parish Fair and Orange Festival in 1955, this
11 unique event has long been a beloved tradition for the people of Plaquemines Parish and
12 beyond; and

13 WHEREAS, the Plaquemines Parish Fair and Orange Festival is a family-friendly
14 celebration featuring the parish's signature food, entertainment, contests, crafts, novelties,
15 and hospitality; and

16 WHEREAS, Jade Duplessis, a young woman of many gifts and talents, reigns as the
17 current Orange Queen with great distinction and dedication; and

18 WHEREAS, the organizers and volunteers of the Plaquemines Parish Fair and
19 Orange Festival have persevered through numerous freezes and hurricanes, earning the
20 respect, admiration, and enduring appreciation of their fellow citizens; and

1 WHEREAS, the organizers and volunteers of the 2014 Plaquemines Parish Fair and
2 Orange Festival merit a sincere and heartfelt measure of commendation for the tremendous
3 pride and honor that this wonderful annual event brings to the citizens of Louisiana.

4 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
5 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the organizers and volunteers of the 2014
6 Plaquemines Parish Fair and Orange Festival and does hereby recognize this extraordinary
7 fair and festival as an integral part of the culture and history of Plaquemines Parish and the
8 state of Louisiana.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
10 to Kim Turlich-Vaughan.

DIGEST

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