

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 215

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARMODY

HISTORIC PRESERVATION: Commemorates the listing by the United States Department of the Interior of the Caddo Parish Confederate Monument on the National Register of Historic Places on January 29, 2014

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commemorate the official listing by the United States Department of the Interior of the
3 Caddo Parish Confederate Monument on the National Register of Historic Places.

4 WHEREAS, the National Register of Historic Places is the official list of the Nation's
5 historic places worthy of preservation, and, as authorized by the National Historic
6 Preservation Act of 1966, the National Park Service's National Register of Historic Places
7 is part of a national program to coordinate and support public and private efforts to identify,
8 evaluate, and protect America's historic and archeological resources; and

9 WHEREAS, the commitment of the parish of Caddo to the preservation of its history
10 and obtaining the listing of the Caddo Parish Confederate Monument on the National
11 Register on January 29, 2014, reflects the community's desire to build and grow from a base
12 of understanding its own past; and

13 WHEREAS, the Caddo Parish Confederate Monument is of statewide significance
14 as one of four major Louisiana monuments representing what is known by historians as "the
15 Cult of the Lost Cause," representing the Memorial Period of the Civil War Commemorative
16 Sculpture Movement, and reflecting the introduction and presence of Civil War monument
17 construction in Louisiana and the role women played in the memorial period; and

18 WHEREAS, all those who played a role in creating and preserving this monument
19 exemplifying art as history deserve recognition for their contribution to the community and
20 to history.

1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
2 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commemorate the official listing on January 29, 2014,
3 by the United States Department of the Interior of the Caddo Parish Confederate Monument
4 on the National Register of Historic Places.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Mr.
6 Woodrow Wilson, Jr., Caddo Parish Commission Administrator.

DIGEST

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