

First Extraordinary Session, 2011

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Croix Sather upon his Run Across America and to welcome him to the state of Louisiana.

WHEREAS, upon the occasion of his visit to Louisiana while on his Run Across America, the citizens of the state are pleased to recognize and welcome Croix Sather; and

WHEREAS, Croix Sather is in the process of running three thousand one hundred miles – more than thirty miles a day for one hundred consecutive days; and

WHEREAS, this unique journey commenced on February 26, 2011, in San Diego, California, and will conclude in New York City in June of 2011; and

WHEREAS, Run Across America is designed to inspire people to rise up and demand an extraordinary life; and

WHEREAS, at the age of fourteen, Mr. Sather was severely injured when hit by a drunk driver while riding his bike, and against all odds, he recovered and is now not only an elite athlete but an inspiration to countless people around the world; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Sather's pledge to Dream Big, Act Big positively portrays the spirit of hope and change that is embodied by Mr. Sather and which is being celebrated throughout today's Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, Run Across America is taking Mr. Sather not only through the Shreveport-Bossier area of Louisiana but to the Louisiana State Capitol; and

WHEREAS, Croix Sather merits a special measure of commendation upon his outstanding accomplishments as he is welcomed with the utmost admiration and respect to the state of Louisiana.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Croix Sather upon his Run Across America, does hereby welcome him to Louisiana, does hereby express to him enduring appreciation for the tremendous joy, pride,

and honor that he brings to the state with his visit, and does hereby extend to him best wishes for continued success and happiness in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Croix Sather.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE