Regular Session, 2013

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Recognizes Saturday, May 4, 2013, as Lemonade Day Louisiana

## A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Saturday, May 4, 2013, as Lemonade Day Louisiana.

WHEREAS, Lemonade Day Louisiana is a free, community-wide program that fosters entrepreneurship and character development among Louisiana's youth by supporting them in establishing and operating their own lemonade businesses; and

WHEREAS, Lemonade Day Louisiana was founded in 2010 by John Georges and Todd Graves and has grown tremendously over the last few years; and

WHEREAS, over ten thousand youth across south Louisiana from New Orleans to Lafayette participated in last year's Lemonade Day Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, on Saturday, May 4, 2013, thousands of lemonade stands will be set up throughout the state, and the young entrepreneurs are encouraged to donate a portion of their proceeds to charity; and

WHEREAS, Lemonade Day Louisiana has become an annual tradition and will have a lasting impact on the more than thirteen thousand youth across Louisiana who will participate; and

WHEREAS, citizens around the state are encouraged to purchase lemonade from the many stands that will be set up; and

WHEREAS, Lemonade Day Louisiana is sponsored by many major businesses and companies throughout the state, including Raising Canes, Chevron, Liberty Bank, Century Link, and United Healthcare; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana is one of over forty regions in the United States and Canada to participate in Lemonade Day.

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THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize Saturday, May 4, 2013, as Lemonade Day Louisiana and does hereby commend the organizers and volunteers of Lemonade Day Louisiana for their hard work and contributions to the youth of this state.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Lemonade Day Louisiana statewide director.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE