

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77

BY REPRESENTATIVE BOURRIAQUE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana 4-H Shooting Sports team on winning the 2023-2024 National Championship.

WHEREAS, the Louisiana 4-H Shooting Sports Team once again demonstrated excellence on a national stage, emerging as the reigning 2023-2024 national champions after prevailing against competitors from across the United States; and

WHEREAS, in the past four national competitions, the Louisiana 4-H Shooting Sports Team has secured first place in three instances, including notable victories in 2019 and 2021; and

WHEREAS, the nationals event held in Grand Island, Nebraska, witnessed the participation of 718 4-H youth aged between 14 and 18, representing 42 states, with Louisiana contributing 35 participants and nine dedicated coaches to the prestigious competition; and

WHEREAS, the nine discipline areas of the competition encompassed air pistol, air rifle, compound archery, hunting skills, muzzle loading, recurve archery, shotgun, small-bore pistol, and small-bore rifle, showcasing the diverse talents and skills of the Louisiana delegation; and

WHEREAS, the Louisiana delegation's remarkable performance resulted in an impressive first-place finish overall, securing the coveted sweepstakes award based on the cumulative performance of the nine teams representing the state; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana teams excelled across various categories, with four teams achieving first place overall and an impressive six out of nine teams securing positions in the top four, showcasing the depth of talent and dedication within the Louisiana 4-H Shooting Sports program; and

WHEREAS, individual participants from Louisiana also distinguished themselves, with two individuals securing first-place finishes and an impressive 16 out of 35 Louisiana participants achieving placement in the top 10 individually, highlighting the caliber of skill and commitment exhibited by Louisiana's young marksmen.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Louisiana 4-H Shooting Sports team on winning the 2023-2024 National Championship and for proudly representing the state on the national stage and does hereby extend its sincere appreciation to the participants, coaches, and parents for their dedication, hard work, and exemplary sportsmanship.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE