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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 77

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

U.S.: Requests that the U.S. Postal Service consider assigning a new zip code to the town of Richwood in Ouachita Parish

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 To urge and request the United States Postal Service to consider assigning a new zip code
3 to the town of Richwood in Ouachita Parish.

4 WHEREAS, the town of Richwood in Ouachita Parish shares a zip code with one
5 used throughout the metropolitan Monroe area; and

6 WHEREAS, when zip code boundaries are not aligned with municipal boundaries,
7 there is potential for citizens to face higher home and automobile insurance rates, for
8 confusion with respect to voter registration, and for misdirected property and sales tax
9 revenues, among other problems; and

10 WHEREAS, the assignment of a new zip code for use in the town of Richwood
11 might reduce the potential for such problems; and

12 WHEREAS, additionally, having a unique zip code might grant the citizens of the
13 town of Richwood a stronger sense of independence and identity.

14 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
15 urge and request the United States Postal Service to consider assigning a new zip code to the
16 town of Richwood in Ouachita Parish.

17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
18 United States Postmaster General and to the mayor of Richwood.

DIGEST

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