

2016 First Extraordinary Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 15

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Saturday, March 12, 2016, as Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Youth Day in the state of Louisiana.

WHEREAS, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., is a 90,000-member nonprofit collegiate sorority dedicated to the encouragement and promotion of high scholastic achievement, community service, and improvement in the quality of life through its chapters, members, and affiliates located throughout the United States, Korea, Bermuda, Africa, Bahamas, Germany, Canada, and the Caribbean; and

WHEREAS, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., through its programs and projects, seeks to address concerns that impact society educationally, socially, politically, and economically; and

WHEREAS, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., is sponsoring its nineteenth annual Adolescent Youth Symposium, held simultaneously in local communities across the nation on Saturday, March 12, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the local members of Mu Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., will hold their symposium at True Light Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., has called upon the participation of a panel of community authorities to share facts regarding some of the consequences that may be faced by young people who have self esteem and peer pressure issues; and

WHEREAS, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., is requesting all junior and senior high schools, sororities and fraternities, social and civic organizations, and youth services agencies to support this symposium by promoting the attendance and participation of their students and youth groups.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby proclaim Saturday, March 12, 2016, to be Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Youth Day in the state of Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of the House of Representatives congratulate and recognize the members of Mu Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., for their efforts to encourage and guide our young people and wish the chapter and sorority much success in all of their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the president of Mu Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES