

Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 157

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL

A RESOLUTION

To commend John P. Juneau upon his retirement after forty-five years of service with the Jefferson Davis Parish School System and to recognize and record his myriad accomplishments and contributions.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend John P. Juneau for a long and distinguished career in education; and

WHEREAS, since 1966, Mr. Juneau has been serving with great dedication and effectiveness as an educator with the Jefferson Davis Parish School System; and

WHEREAS, during his remarkable forty-five-year career with the school system, Mr. Juneau, who is retiring as the assistant superintendent, has served in a variety of vital positions, including serving as a teacher from 1966 until 1985, a principal from 1985 until 1994, and in the central office from 1994 until 2011; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his many years in the classroom and administration, Mr. Juneau was an extremely successful coach at Lacassine High School from 1968 until 1985; he led his girls basketball teams to six state championships, was named the National Girls Basketball Coach of the Year by the National High School Athletic Coaches Association in 1982, and was inducted into the Louisiana High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame in 1989; and

WHEREAS, in 2008, Mr. Juneau was awarded the Sue Hefley Educator of the Year Award by the Louisiana Library Association in recognition of his fine work as supervisor of librarians in the Jefferson Davis Parish School System; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Juneau is widely respected and admired for not only his excellence as an educator but for his unwavering generosity, kindness, compassion, and ability to inspire young people to follow their dreams; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Juneau has earned the enduring appreciation of many for the extraordinary ways in which he has devoted his energy and talents to the full development of students into informed, capable, and productive citizens of their community and the world; and

WHEREAS, John P. Juneau merits a special measure of commendation for his outstanding accomplishments in education and for the pride and honor he brings to the countless students whose lives he has touched, to Jefferson Davis Parish, and to the state of Louisiana.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend John P. Juneau upon his retirement after forty-five years of dedicated and highly productive service with the Jefferson Davis Parish School System, does hereby recognize and record his notable achievements and manifold contributions to the school system and to his students, colleagues, family, friends, and community, and does hereby extend to this wonderful gentleman best wishes as he embarks upon new challenges and endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to John P. Juneau.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES