

2015 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 66

BY REPRESENTATIVES SEABAUGH, BURFORD, BURRELL, AND CARMODY

A RESOLUTION

To commend Benjamin Maxey upon earning the highly coveted perfect ACT score of thirty-six and being selected as Louisiana Nonpublic School Student of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is with great pride that the Louisiana House of Representatives recognizes the energy, intelligence, and self-motivation of Ben Maxey, a true leader and role model among his peers; and

WHEREAS, Benjamin Maxey is a Loyola College Prep student; his dedication to academic achievement and drive to do his best at all times are evident in his perfect ACT score and grade point average and his selection as Louisiana Nonpublic School Student of the Year; and

WHEREAS, more than 1.9 million students in the United States took the ACT in 2013 and less than one-tenth of one percent scored a perfect thirty-six; and

WHEREAS, in the state of Louisiana, only twenty-one out of over forty-nine thousand students earned a perfect score; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his perfect ACT score and his selection as Louisiana Nonpublic School Student of the Year, Ben Maxey won first place in the District Literary Rally in Biology I, Biology II, Algebra II, Pre-calculus, and Physics, and he also won first place in the State Literary Rally in Biology I-Division III, Biology II-Overall, and Physics-Division III, and received an excellent rating in Spanish IV Extemporaneous Speaking; and

WHEREAS, Ben also received first place in the Louisiana Association of Student Councils' Essay Contest and second place in the District and State National History Day Competitions; and

WHEREAS, he was selected as Loyola College Prep's Flyer of the Year, which is the most prestigious award bestowed by the faculty to the senior student who reflects the school's motto, "a man for others"; and

WHEREAS, Ben is a member of numerous school associations and clubs, some of which include serving as the student body president for the Student Government Association, vice president of the National Honor Society, co-founder and president of the Technology Club, and team captain and president of the Science Bowl Club; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his academic excellence, Ben enjoys playing the piano, pipe organ, and tennis; he also spent time tutoring children in his community and volunteering at Providence House's Child Development Center; and

WHEREAS, Ben Maxey is a truly talented Louisiana student who demonstrates outstanding academic excellence that is commendable.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Benjamin Maxey upon earning the highly coveted perfect ACT score of thirty-six and being selected as the Louisiana Nonpublic School Student of the Year; does hereby recognize and record for posterity his remarkable academic success; and does hereby wish Ben full measures of success and happiness in his future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Benjamin Maxey.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES