

Regular Session, 2012

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 75

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRISON

A RESOLUTION

To commend Archie Manning and the Manning family for their contributions to Nicholls State University athletics, the South Louisiana Economic Council, the Lafourche Parish Tourism Recovery Program, and the state of Louisiana.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize the extraordinary accomplishments and contributions of the Manning family: the patriarch, Archie, the matriarch, Olivia, and their sons, Cooper, Eli, and Peyton; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Manning family exemplify the greatest qualities of sportsmanship, integrity, and benevolence on behalf of Nicholls State University athletics, the South Louisiana Economic Council, the Lafourche Parish Tourism Recovery Program, and the state of Louisiana as a whole; and

WHEREAS, for many years, the Manning Passing Academy, held at the Nicholls State University campus in Thibodaux, has brought positive recognition and economic growth to Nicholls State University, Lafourche Parish, and the entire Bayou Region, and it contributes to the personal, moral, and athletic growth of many of this nation's young athletes; and

WHEREAS, the Mannings serve as an inspiration to others because of their committed service to their fellow citizens and their steadfast dedication to excellence in all of their pursuits; and

WHEREAS, the strength of the state of Louisiana and the overall vitality of American society depend in great measure upon the gifts and talents of families like the Mannings, who bring tremendous pride and honor to all whose lives they have touched; and

WHEREAS, Archie Manning and the Manning family merit a special measure of commendation for their extraordinary achievements and singular contributions.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Archie Manning and the Manning family for their outstanding accomplishments and remarkable contributions to Nicholls State University athletics, the South Louisiana Economic Council, the Lafourche Parish Tourism Recovery Program, and the state of Louisiana and does hereby extend to them best wishes for continued success and happiness in their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Manning family.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES