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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 86

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAHAM

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the Reverend Andrew D. Martin, Sr., on his retirement

A RESOLUTION

2	To commend the Reverend Andrew D. Martin, Sr., for forty years of faithful service as
3	pastor of Grand Lake Faith Temple on the occasion of his retirement.
4	WHEREAS, on his retirement as pastor, it is appropriate to commend and celebrate
5	Reverend Andrew D. Martin, Sr., for his remarkable term of devotion to God and the
6	congregation of Grand Lake Faith Temple and to extend to him sincere and heartfelt
7	appreciation; and
8	WHEREAS, it pleased God to send Reverend Martin to Grand Lake Faith Temple
9	in 1979, where he faithfully and dutifully carried out the responsibilities assigned to him as
0	shepherd of the Grand Lake flock for forty years; and
1	WHEREAS, Reverend Martin began guiding a congregation of fifty members, which
12	has now blossomed into two-hundred followers of the gospel; and
13	WHEREAS, he has served his community in a wide variety of capacities, speaking
4	to Grand Lake High School graduates, visiting nursing homes, performing wedding
15	ceremonies, and laying the dearly departed to rest; and
16	WHEREAS, he has led over fifty mission trips to Mexico, building churches and
17	providing food, clothes, and toys to families; and
18	WHEREAS, Reverend Martin is widely respected and admired throughout his
19	community and has touched the lives of countless people with his singular gifts and talents.
20	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
21	Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Reverend Andrew D. Martin, Sr., on the

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- 1 occasion of his retirement after forty years of service as pastor of Grand Lake Faith Temple
- 2 and does hereby extend to him best wishes as he embarks upon the next stage of his spiritual
- 3 life.
- 4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
- 5 Reverend Andrew D. Martin, Sr.

DIGEST

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