

2022 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 93

BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Douglas Anderson, Sr.

WHEREAS, it is with immense sadness and profound regret that the House of Representatives has learned of the passing, on March 16, 2022, of Douglas Anderson, Sr.; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Anderson was born on September 7, 1954, to Paul Douglas "Jack" Anderson and Violet "Neatsie" Barr Anderson; after graduating high school, he first worked as the owner and operator of a trucking business that hauled asphalt and gravel; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Anderson later became a Louisiana state trooper and served the state for twenty-five years before retiring from service as a trooper; during his tenure, he was twice recognized as "Trooper of the Year" and received the Attorney General Award; and

WHEREAS, after retiring, Mr. Anderson went on to serve three terms as the Avoyelles Parish sheriff; he was a very civically involved individual throughout his life; he was most passionate about his service on the Drug Control and Violent Crime Board, the Avoyelles Council on Aging, and Rotary Club; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Anderson was also a very faithful man and was a lifelong, active member of Simmesport First United Methodist Church; he was an extremely devoted family man who truly cherished his grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Anderson leaves to cherish his memory his wife of forty-nine years, René Brouillette Anderson; daughter, Pauline A. Daigre, and her husband Brian; son, Douglas A. Anderson, Jr., and his wife Carrie; grandchildren, Jaxon, Zachary, and Emily; step-grandchildren, Walker, Lola, and West; brother, Don Anderson, and his wife Adele; two nieces; one nephew; and many cousins and friends; he will be deeply missed.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express heartfelt condolences on the death of Douglas Anderson, Sr., and does hereby recognize him for his service as a Louisiana state trooper and Avoyelles Parish sheriff; and does hereby extend sincere wishes that his family find comfort in their shared memories of his life during this difficult time.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the family of Douglas Anderson, Sr.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES