

Regular Session, 2011

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 115

BY SENATOR CHAISSON

COMMENDATIONS. Commends the River Region Caucus and its member parishes for their cooperative efforts toward improving the quality of life in the river region.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend the River Region Caucus and its member parishes for their cooperative efforts
3 toward improving the quality of life in the river region.

4 WHEREAS, formed in 1998, the River Region Caucus (RRC) is comprised of the
5 governing bodies of Ascension, St. Charles, St. James, and St. John the Baptist parishes; and

6 WHEREAS, the mission of the caucus is to seek regional cooperation among the four
7 participating parishes on various issues and to work together as a regional alliance to solve
8 common problems; and

9 WHEREAS, because the region shares similar challenges and values and because the
10 parishes are a part of the same economic region, the caucus has several collective goals,
11 including increasing awareness for state policy and decision makers on issues related to
12 infrastructure improvements, transportation and safety, traffic management, community
13 development, environmental planning, and economic development; working cooperatively
14 to maximize their images, services, and communities; improving the quality of life for their
15 citizens through better communication; identifying and planning opportunities to promote
16 and advance the culture and interests of the river region; and increasing awareness of and
17 educating the public and statewide decision makers about the region; and

18 WHEREAS, the River Region Caucus merits a special measure of commendation for

1 its significant contributions toward meeting the needs of the citizens of Ascension, St.
2 Charles, St. James, and St. John the Baptist parishes and for the pride and honor it brings to
3 the river region and to the state of Louisiana.

4 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
5 does hereby commend the River Region Caucus and its member parishes for their
6 cooperative efforts toward improving the quality of life in the river region.

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
8 River Region Caucus.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Jerry J. Guillot.

DIGEST

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