

Regular Session, 2012

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 117

BY SENATOR PERRY

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Mike Moss for his service with the DOTD and congratulates him on his retirement.

A RESOLUTION

To commend Michael C. Moss for thirty-five years of dedicated public service with the Department of Transportation and Development and for his continued commitment to the success of the department.

WHEREAS, Michael C. Moss, a native of Louisiana, first joined the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development in 1977 as an engineer-in-training; and

WHEREAS, however, he was no stranger to infrastructure, having spent his college summers as engineer's aide for Boh Brothers Construction; and

WHEREAS, after four years as an engineer-in-training, Michael Moss went on to serve as a project engineer, maintenance engineer, and ADA of Operations for District 03; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure as the maintenance engineer, his responsibility for natural disaster response activities was influential in helping Acadiana get back on track after hurricanes Katrina and Rita; and

WHEREAS, on June 20, 2011, Michael Moss was named District Administrator for District 03 where he managed all infrastructure-related activities throughout Acadiana which includes Acadia, Evangeline, Iberia, Lafayette, St. Landry, St. Martin, St. Mary and Vermilion parishes and encompassed 2,252 road miles, 1000 off-system bridges, 1200

1 on-system bridges and 33 movable bridges; and

2 WHEREAS, he officially retired from the department on April 1, 2012, with thirty-
3 five years of service having spent his entire professional career with the department; and

4 WHEREAS, Michael Moss is married to the former Celeste Matte and they are the
5 proud parents of three daughters Rachel, Sarah and Lauren; and

6 WHEREAS, in addition to the title of retiree, he recently gained another title, that
7 of grandfather; and

8 WHEREAS, Michael Moss is a member of the Louisiana Society of Professional
9 Engineers in Civil Service and holds a bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering from the
10 University of Southwestern Louisiana.

11 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
12 does hereby commend Mr. Moss for thirty-five years of dedicated service to this state and
13 continued commitment to the success of the Department of Transportation and Development.

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Senate extends best wishes for success in his
15 future endeavors.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
17 Michael Moss.

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

DIGEST

Perry

SR No.

Commends Michael Moss for 35 years of dedicated service to this state and continued
commitment to the success of DOTD.