

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 129

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Tuesday, May 22, 2012, as YMCA Day in Louisiana.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend the volunteers and members of the Louisiana YMCAs and to recognize Tuesday, May 22, 2012, as YMCA Day in Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the commitment of the YMCA is to nurture the potential of kids, promote healthy living, and foster a sense of social responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the YMCA's core values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility, unite citizens as a movement and guide individuals' behavior, interactions with each other, and decision making; and

WHEREAS, in Louisiana YMCAs, more than one hundred thousand children and adults throughout the state have access to the essentials necessary to learn, grow, and thrive; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana's YMCAs support the development of integrated, community-based strategies for serving children and families; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana's YMCAs stand ready to support state government efforts to provide developmental programs for children and youth, strengthen families, and mobilize and coordinate broad efforts to support children and families through partnerships that meet community needs; and

WHEREAS, on Tuesday, May 22, 2012, representatives of Louisiana's YMCAs are meeting in the Louisiana State Capitol with their state representatives and senators to discuss and exchange ideas on issues facing youth and families.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize Tuesday, May 22, 2012, as YMCA Day in Louisiana and does hereby commend the members and volunteers of Louisiana's YMCAs for their dedication to families throughout the state.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the chairman of the Louisiana Statewide Alliance of YMCAs.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE