

1 investigate opportunities to provide curbside voting in Louisiana and other tactics to
2 streamline the processes for voters with disabilities to receive assistance when voting.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force shall be composed of the
4 following members:

5 (1) The director of the office on disability affairs, or his designee, who shall chair
6 the task force.

7 (2) The secretary of state, or his designee.

8 (3) The commissioner of elections.

9 (4) The Clerks of Court Association shall appoint one member.

10 (5) The Registrars of Voters Association shall appoint one member.

11 (6) The secretary of the Louisiana Department of Health, or his designee.

12 (7) The executive director of Disability Rights Louisiana, or his designee.

13 (8) The chief executive officer of the Split Second Foundation, or his designee.

14 (9) The executive director of the Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council, or
15 his designee.

16 (10) The executive director of The Arc Louisiana, or his designee.

17 (11) The executive director of Power Coalition for Equity and Justice, or his
18 designee.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the first meeting of the task force shall be called
20 by the chair, and at its first meeting the task force shall select other officers as it deems
21 appropriate.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force shall meet at such times and
23 places as determined by its chair.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of the task force shall serve
25 without compensation, except per diem or expenses reimbursement to which they may be
26 individually entitled to as members or employees of their constituent organizations.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a majority of the total membership shall
28 constitute a quorum of the task force, and any official action by the task force shall require
29 an affirmative vote of a majority of the quorum present and voting.

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force shall be staffed at the discretion
2 of the chair.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force shall make a written report of its
4 findings, and any recommendations it may have, to the Legislature of Louisiana as required
5 by R.S. 24:771 and 772, by February 1, 2023.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution shall be transmitted
7 to the governor and the secretary of state.

DIGEST

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Creates a task force to study the voting rights of persons with disabilities and the procedures available to assist those persons to cast their ballots and to report to the legislature by Feb. 1, 2023.