

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 161

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREIBERG

A RESOLUTION

To commend Hunter Robertson on his selection as a 2024 Louisiana Public Broadcasting Young Hero.

WHEREAS, Hunter Robertson is junior at Denham Springs High School and native of Denham Springs, Louisiana; he was born four weeks early with a congenital anomaly covering his back that necessitated regular biopsies, which instilled in him a degree of empathy for other people's issues; and

WHEREAS, in October 2023, Hunter saved the life of a four-year-old girl who was struggling to stay afloat in the pond behind his house; after Hurricane Ida, he helped clean yards and delivered meals to the lineman restoring power; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Robertson is an active competitor in Junior Bassmaster, where he has placed first at competitions on five occasions; in 2020, he competed in the Junior National Bass Championship, and was also named Jr. Southwest Bassmaster Club "Fisherman of the Year"; and

WHEREAS, during the COVID-19 pandemic, Hunter befriended a young neighbor with Downs Syndrome and taught him how to cast a rod and spot a nibble; this became a daily activity for the two boys, and within a week, his new friend had caught his first fish; and

WHEREAS, Hunter Robertson is most deserving of the highest recognition for his inspiring selflessness and compassion.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Hunter Robertson on his selection as a 2024 Louisiana Public Broadcasting Young Hero and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that he continue his excellent work and always strive for greatness.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES