

2016 Second Extraordinary Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 28

BY REPRESENTATIVES BILLIOT, ABRAMSON, BAGNERIS, BOUIE, GARY CARTER, GAROFALO, JIMMY HARRIS, HILFERTY, LEGER, LEOPOLD, AND MORENO

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Louisiana House of Representatives upon the tragic death of Natasha Maria Hunter, a New Orleans Police Department officer.

WHEREAS, it was with deep regret and profound sorrow that the members of the Louisiana House of Representatives learned of the death of Natasha Maria Hunter, a New Orleans Police Department officer, on Tuesday, June 7, 2016, at the age of thirty-two; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hunter was a twelve-year veteran of the New Orleans Police Department and was highly committed to serving and protecting the community, the ideal of what a police officer should be; and

WHEREAS, she was a dedicated public servant who truly loved her job and her family; and

WHEREAS, the officers of the New Orleans Police Department deeply mourn the death of Ms. Hunter; she will forever be remembered for her ceaseless courage and concern for others; and

WHEREAS, she is survived by her parents, Linda Hunter Sherman and Nathaniel S. Sherman; her daughter, Jasmine Maria Hunter; her grandparents, Icola Hunter and Nathaniel and Lillian Sherman; her sisters, Nishe Caire and her husband James, Ayanna Hunter Davis and her husband Terrence, Sr., Oran Perrier, Sonya Pollard and her husband Brian, Kianka Hunter Harris and her husband Damond, Jacquen Hunter and her husband Frederick, Brittany Hunter, Nadia Emery, Nyshawn Emery, and Zoe Sherman; and numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends; and

WHEREAS, she was preceded in death by her grandfather, Edward Hunter, Sr.; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hunter, who was admired by all whose lives she touched, leaves behind a rich and unique legacy and is greatly missed; and

WHEREAS, although the death of Natasha Maria Hunter has left a tremendous void in her community, her memory shall live forever in the minds and hearts of those who knew and loved her.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the tragic death of Natasha Maria Hunter, a New Orleans Police Department officer; does hereby record for posterity her outstanding accomplishments and singular contributions; and does hereby extend enduring appreciation for the pride and honor that this wonderful woman will forever bring to her family and friends, her community, and the state of Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the family of Natasha Maria Hunter.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES