

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 322

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Emily "Emmy" Ella Rabalais on her many accomplishments and on being named the first-ever Miss Teen Wheelchair Louisiana USA

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Emily "Emmy" Ella Rabalais on her many accomplishments and on being
3 named the first-ever Miss Teen Wheelchair Louisiana USA.

4 WHEREAS, Emily "Emma" Ella Rabalais of Metairie, Louisiana, is a junior at The
5 Oaks Private School and is very involved in fundraising and giving back to the community;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, Emmy is currently fundraising for Mardi Paws/Scott's Wish in
8 Covington, Louisiana; she serves as an alumni and ambassador for Give Kids the World in
9 Kissimmee, Florida; last year, she raised over \$16,000 for the organization so that other
10 children could receive wish trips; and

11 WHEREAS, Emmy is sincerely passionate about politics, and she has been heavily
12 involved in Lt. Governor Billy Nungesser's campaigns since she was eight years old; she is
13 arguably one of the best sign wavers in the state; and

14 WHEREAS, Emmy plans to attend law school so that she can work as a disability
15 rights attorney and become a trailblazer in the push for increased rights for individuals with
16 disabilities; and

17 WHEREAS, Emmy was recently recognized as the first-ever Miss Teen Wheelchair
18 Louisiana USA, and she will travel to Ohio in July 2024 to represent the state in the national
19 pageant; she is most deserving of the highest recognition for her inspiring activism and
20 civic-mindedness and for her many incredible achievements.

1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
2 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Emily "Emmy" Ella Rabalais on her many
3 accomplishments and on being named the first-ever Miss Teen Wheelchair Louisiana USA
4 and does hereby extend sincerest wishes for success at the national pageant.

DIGEST

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