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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 123

BY SENATOR HEWITT

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Ray Dupuy, posthumously, for his service to the Slidell Police force and community.

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To commend Ray Dupuy, posthumously, for his service to the Slidell Police force and
3	community.
4	WHEREAS, Ray Joseph Dupuy Jr. was born in Marksville, Louisiana, to Ray Dupuy
5	Sr. and Dorothy Dupuy on October 8, 1964; he lost his father when he was four and then the
6	family moved to Slidell, Louisiana, where he attended St. Tammany Jr. High and graduated
7	from Salmen High School in 1982; and
8	WHEREAS, in 1987, Ray Dupuy met the love of his life, Connie, and they were
9	married in August 1989; in 1989, he enlisted in the United States Navy and was a flight deck
10	operator; and in 1990 the Dupuys moved to Lemoore, California, until 1993, when they
11	returned to Slidell to be close to their families; and
12	WHEREAS, in September 1994, Ray Dupuy joined the Slidell Police Department
13	and served for twenty-three years, earning the rank of lieutenant, until his accident; he was
14	passionate about his job as a police officer and loved his job almost as much as he loved his
15	family; during his service he was a hostage negotiations officer, supervisor for the train
16	wreck team, supervisor for the fatality team, "Booze and Cruise" program, taught at the
17	police academy, and mentored many children in the St. Tammany Parish School System -
18	police work and service was his calling; and

WHEREAS, he and Connie raised four beautiful children: Darryl, Jessica, Krysten,
and Ray III with two sons-in-law: Cory (Jessica's husband) and Russell (Krysten's husband);
and
WHEREAS, Ray did all he could to volunteer with his children's sports teams and
did everything to make every birthday, holiday, and special event for his family, his favorite
family gathering and vacation being Disney World, every year or every other year; and
WHEREAS, in 2008, 2011, 2013, Ray and Connie became grandparents and in
August 2018 a fourth grandchild is expected; the grandchildren have brought so much joy
to their lives and he enjoyed being the best grandfather and making memories; and
WHEREAS, the past few years, Ray and Connie had been enjoying their family and
traveling and they were looking forward to retiring and enjoying life; they always lived their
life to the fullest; and
WHEREAS, Ray Dupuy was an awesome son, brother, husband, dad, uncle,
grandfather, policeman, community leader, and a great friend to many.
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
does hereby commend Ray Dupuy, posthumously, for his service to the Slidell Police force
and community.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
Connie Dupuy.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Jerry J. Guillot.

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