

2024 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 27

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COMMENDATIONS. Commends Erin McCarty for forty years of radio broadcasting excellence.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Erin McCarty for forty years of radio broadcasting excellence.

3 WHEREAS, Erin McCarty is a forty-year veteran of broadcast journalism and has  
4 brightened the airwaves of Shreveport-Bossier for more than thirty years; and

5 WHEREAS, a graduate of Baton Rouge Magnet High School, Erin earned an  
6 undergraduate degree from Louisiana State University in 1983 and "earned her chops" in  
7 broadcasting on KLSU-91.1, the student-run campus radio station; and

8 WHEREAS, after graduation, Erin explored other radio venues in Tyler, Texas,  
9 Northfield, New Jersey, and Lubbock, Texas, before finding her niche in northwest  
10 Louisiana; and

11 WHEREAS, in the Ark-La-Tex region, Erin established a broad audience base on  
12 Shreveport radio stations KWKH, KRUF, KVKI, and presently on KEEL; and

13 WHEREAS, in 2019, Erin was selected for the Gracie Award by the Alliance for  
14 Women in Media Foundation (AWMF); and

15 WHEREAS, the award is named for comedian Gracie Allen of the famous  
16 entertainment duo of Burns and Allen and celebrates outstanding programming and  
17 individual achievement by women in radio, television, and interactive media; and

