2020 First Extraordinary Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 38

BY REPRESENTATIVE PHELPS

A RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the homegoing of Jerry Wayne Yarbrough.

WHEREAS, Jerry Wayne Yarbrough was born on May 21, 1968; he was affectionately known as "Big Timer" or "Bernie Mac" to his close friends and family; and

WHEREAS, Jerry grew up in the Bellaire neighborhood in Shreveport, but had friends in both the Hollywood area and Greenwood subdivision; he attended Hollywood Elementary and Linwood Junior High and was a member of Woodlawn High School of Shreveport's graduating class of 1986; and

WHEREAS, Jerry was a member of the Horsemen Crew, with whom he attended annual hunting trips in November over the past thirty-three years; the Horsemen Crew are spread across the southern United States, with members from Shreveport, Louisiana; Dallas, Texas; San Antonio, Texas; Atlanta, Georgia; Fordyce, Arkansas; Wichita, Kansas; and Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Jerry also formed a social distancing drinking fellowship with his fellow Horsemen and his childhood friends, Willie King and Andre Baylor, following the COVID-19 quarantine; and

WHEREAS, Jerry was an extremely active and involved alumnus of Woodlawn High School; he embraced those closest to him, and he considered both blood relatives and close friends as members of his family; he will be dearly missed, but not forgotten, by all who knew and loved him.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express heartfelt condolences upon the homegoing of Jerry Wayne Yarbrough and does hereby extend sincere hopes and wishes that his family find comfort during this difficult time.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the family of Jerry Wayne Yarbrough.