Louisiana CURE Meeting Minutes  
March 10, 2020

ATTENDING: (13) Avis Henderson, Troy Georgetown, Tawanda Boatner, Laura Davis, Linda Lala Duscoe, Kevin Harris, Joyce Denet, Melvina Jones, Patricia Kibby, Jay Jackson, Linda Fjeldsjo, Carmonicia Hill, Checo Yancy

President Checo Yancy called the meeting to order and requested to have a moment of silence.

There were no minutes from the workshop held on Saturday, February 29th to review.

Everyone attending introduced themselves.

Checo handed out a card promoting “Our House” Lobby Day for March 24, 2020 and recommended that everyone try to attend.

A suggestion was made by member Tawanda Boatner that La. CURE promote what we’re doing through social media such as Facebook, Twitter and InstaGram. She volunteered to bring ideas on how to utilize them. Tawanda also suggested that we resume taking group pictures after each meeting and send to The Advocate to be published in the “Living” section each month.

A handout was distributed on bills being followed by the group VOTE.

HB 454           HB 380          HB 339        HB 643        HB 535        HB 625        HB 424
HB 364           HB 344          HB 149        HB 541        HB 241        HB 570        HB 556
SB 326

Another handout was also distributed that listed all the bills being introduced through the House Criminal Justice Committee and the Senate Judiciary Committees. Those bills can be found on the Louisiana Legislative website at: legis.la.gov

A form was handed out to present to the Sergeant-At-Arms at the state legislature for those attending a session and would like to talk to their representative personally.

A reminder that the US Census is about to get started and how important it is for EVERYONE to be counted.

A sheet was distributed that explained what types of adult crimes/convictions are Non-Expungable.

The meeting ended with a moment of silence and the next meeting is scheduled for April 14, 2020 at 7 PM at the Catholic Charities Building on Acadian Thruway.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

Jay Jackson
Secretary