
NEW ORLEANS
BAR ASSOCIATION
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
May 21, 2013

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF SB 154,
WHICH ALLOWS THE FORMER LOUISIANA SUPREME COURT SITE
AND 325 LOYOLA AVENUE TO BE UTILIZED AS
THE ORLEANS PARISH CIVIL DISTRICT COURT SITE**

WHEREAS, the New Orleans Bar Association, which has among its goals to promote the administration of justice and to increase access to justice;

WHEREAS, the current courthouse is not conducive to the administration of justice and does not adequately serve the public;

WHEREAS, the New Orleans Bar Association for over twenty years has recognized the need and advocated for a new courthouse for the Orleans Parish Civil Courts;


WHEREAS, the dedication of Duncan Plaza and 325 Loyola Ave. as the site for a new civil courts building supports the administration of and access to justice;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the New Orleans Bar Association supports SB 154 of the Louisiana Legislature's Regular Session, 2013;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that in the interest of the public and the efficient administration of justice, the New Orleans Bar Association urges its members and all citizens to support the construction of a much needed, stand-alone courthouse on the Duncan Plaza and 325 Loyola Ave. site in New Orleans.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the President of this Association is hereby authorized to execute and present this resolution.

Respectfully submitted,



Timothy F. Daniels
President
New Orleans Bar Association