

Subject line: Support for SB 32 – Perinatal Bereavement Care in Louisiana

Change to correct name Representative/Senator {Name},

I hope this message finds you well. Thank you for your service to Louisiana. I am writing to express my strong support for Senate Bill 32, represented by Senator McMath, which will be introduced in the March 2026 legislative session. This bill is deeply meaningful to me and to many families across our state who have experienced the heartbreak of stillbirth.

When stillbirth occurs, time with a baby becomes incredibly precious. Yet many hospitals lack perinatal bereavement care, leaving grieving parents rushed to make decisions and sometimes unable to spend meaningful moments holding their child, creating memories, and saying goodbye with dignity. Cooling devices such as the Caring Cradle or CuddleCot, along with trained hospital staff, give families the gift of unhurried time and compassionate support during one of the most devastating moments of their lives.

Texas recently passed similar legislation with overwhelming bipartisan support, ensuring hospitals provide cooling devices and bereavement training. I would love Louisiana to be one of the top states to also set the standard for prenatal bereavement care. I respectfully ask you to consider co-sponsoring and voting yes on SB 32 so Louisiana families can receive the same compassion, dignity, and care.

Thank you for your time, leadership, and consideration.

Sincerely,

[Your Name]

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