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Alexander Announces Winners of Congressional Art Contest

First-Place Winner's Work to Be Displayed in U.S. Capitol

WASHINGTON, D.C. – U.S. Rep. Rodney Alexander, R-Quitman, is proud to announce the 5th Congressional District of Louisiana winners in the 27th Annual Congressional Art Competition, *An Artistic Discovery*.

Taking the first-place award is CoCo Zentner, a sophomore at Neville High School in Monroe, La., with her oil on canvas piece titled “Me, Thee, and We.”

Zentner’s painting will be displayed alongside winners from the nation’s other Congressional districts in the Cannon House Office Building Tunnel of the U.S. Capitol in Washington, D.C. Thousands of people walk through this tunnel daily on their way to our nation’s Capitol Building.

Alexander said, announcing the winners of the contest is something he looks forward to each year.

“This contest sparks so much excitement from young, aspiring artists in the district,” Alexander said.

“They understand that the contest is an opportunity to have their creative expression viewed and appreciated by thousands of people from all over the country.”

Winners for second and third place were also selected.

Kayla Hassell, a graduating senior at Pineville High School, placed second with her mixed media piece titled, “Louisiana Lagniappe.”

Ellena Moody, a junior at Neville High School, won third place with her mixed media work of art titled, “Me Mum.”

For more information about the competition, contact the Monroe Congressional District Office at (318) 322-3500.

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