



## **DONAHUE NAMED "ARTS ALL STAR" BY EAST ST. TAMMANY CULTURAL ECONOMIC COALITION**

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The East St. Tammany Cultural Economic Coalition awarded State Senator Jack Donahue (R-11) with the 2011 Arts All Star Award during the City of Slidell's "Some Enchanted Evening" concert this past Saturday, April 30th. The award recognizes community leaders who advocate for the economic viability of the arts and invest in the cultural economy of East St. Tammany Parish.

"The arts are an important, but often overlooked, part of the overall quality of life that residents of this region enjoy," said Sen. Donahue. "I am honored to receive this award and will continue to work with organizations and artists from the East. St. Tammany Cultural Economy Coalition to grow St. Tammany's vibrant cultural economy."

East St. Tammany Cultural Economy Coalition is made up of various performing and visual arts organizations in the area, local artists, educators, business owners and community leaders.

Jack Donahue represents Senate District 11, which includes St. Tammany and Tangipahoa Parishes.

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