

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 293

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Marvelle "Hot Boy Yoshi" Brown on his accomplishments in music, media, and marketing.

WHEREAS, Marvelle Brown was born and raised in the heart of Shreveport's Martin Luther King/Cooper Road community, which is among the nation's largest African American communities with over fourteen thousand residents; and

WHEREAS, Marvelle began DJing at the age of nine under the mentorship of his father; he was a drum major for the Green Oaks High School Marching Band before transferring to Fair Park High School, where he became the first student in Shreveport band history to serve as a drum major for rival high schools; and

WHEREAS, Marvelle served as the announcer for The World Famed Tiger Marching Band of Grambling State University; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Brown made his mark on Shreveport radio history serving as DJ Yoshi on 103.7 The Beat and co-hosting the radio show, "3 Kings of Radio", with DJ Breeze and Scooter Man Pro; he also served as the co-host DJ on KTAL's "Living Local", which highlights people and events across northwest Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Brown founded Red Line Marketing and Branding, and he provides his talent and energy to radio, TV, and live performances; in 2024, he was appointed as the vice president of the Shreveport Chapter of the Louisiana GoDJs Coalition; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Brown performs under the name "Hot Boy Yoshi", and he has transformed his passion for music into a vibrant force that uplifts the community and celebrates Shreveport's rich cultural tapestry to a wider audience; he has performed at a

number of Louisiana's largest and most-publicized events, including The Red River Revel, Rock the Clock, The Independence Bowl, and the Essence Festival; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Brown was personally selected by the New Orleans Super Bowl Host Committee to DJ during Super Bowl LIX, and he performed at Deion Sanders's "Prime Time" Birthday Party; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his achievements as a performer, Mr. Brown is a proud husband, father, son, and brother, and his daughter Kaira is an honor student and cheerleader; he is truly most deserving of the highest recognition for his incredible achievements.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Marvelle "Hot Boy Yoshi" Brown on his accomplishments in music, media, and marketing, and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that he continue his work as a force of positivity and growth in the Shreveport community and beyond.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES