

2025 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 203

BY SENATOR BARROW

COMMENDATIONS. Commends and congratulates Wiley Brazier V on his accomplishments.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend and recognize Wiley Brazier V for his extraordinary contributions to
3 education, technology, and entrepreneurship, and for his unwavering commitment
4 to empowering youth, educators, and communities in Louisiana and around the
5 world.

6 WHEREAS, Wiley Brazier V, a proud Louisiana native, is a nationally and
7 internationally acclaimed educator, tech strategist, and entrepreneur whose life's work has
8 transformed the way youth and adults access opportunity through education; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Brazier is the visionary founder and executive director of *We*
10 *Greaux People*, a Baton Rouge-based, award-winning education and technology innovation
11 company dedicated to transforming education and business through innovative solutions and
12 unlocking the power of technology; and

13 WHEREAS, his trailblazing efforts have empowered thousands of students,
14 educators, adults, and business owners with the digital tools, industry certifications, and
15 technology skills necessary to thrive in today's digital economy; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Brazier began his career as a science teacher and quickly rose to
17 leadership roles, where he became renowned for his ability to turn around underperforming
18 schools and for his student-centered leadership philosophy; and

1 WHEREAS, in Texas, Mr. Brazier was the founding principal of two innovative high
2 schools serving at-risk and non-traditional students, including a night school for recovering
3 dropouts, helping the district achieve record graduation numbers through his pioneering use
4 of blended learning; and

5 WHEREAS, his outstanding leadership and innovative approach to educational
6 technology earned him the prestigious *Award for Exemplary Leadership* from the
7 International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE), recognizing his global impact;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, upon returning to Louisiana, Mr. Brazier led McKinley Middle Magnet
10 School in Baton Rouge to an "A" academic rating from the Louisiana Department of
11 Education and implemented the parish's first one-to-one Chromebook initiative, which now
12 benefits tens of thousands of students districtwide; and

13 WHEREAS, he launched East Baton Rouge Parish's first Google certification
14 training for educators, laying the foundation for a culture of digital learning that continues
15 to benefit educators and students alike; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Brazier's work as a district and state administrator, mentor, and
17 professor continues to influence educational practices across Louisiana and beyond, while
18 embodying his core belief in "doing what's best for kids"; and

19 WHEREAS, through *We Greaux People*, Mr. Brazier has built powerful partnerships
20 with major technology firms such as Google, Microsoft, Dell, Adobe, and Apple, and
21 aligned the company's mission with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals to
22 promote equitable, global access to education; and

23 WHEREAS, the organization's outreach has included youth coding programs, adult
24 workforce development, digital literacy training, and industry-based certification initiatives
25 that prepare learners of all ages to thrive in a technology-driven world; and

26 WHEREAS, Mr. Brazier has expanded enrichment opportunities by establishing
27 after-school programs, youth technology clubs, and summer experiences like *Creator Camp*
28 *225* and *Greaux STEM Camp*, which ignite students' interest in STEM and digital creativity;
29 and

30 WHEREAS, his leadership in convening global educational leaders through the

1 *Global Ed Unite Conference* exemplifies his commitment to fostering collaboration,
2 innovation, and digital equity on a worldwide scale; and

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Brazier has been recognized as a *Grow with Google High Impact*
4 *Partner* for three consecutive years, 2023, 2024, and 2025, a distinction awarded to only a
5 select few organizations nationwide for delivering impactful digital skills and career
6 training; and

7 WHEREAS, in addition to being a Google for Education Certified Trainer, Google
8 Innovator, and Google Educator Group (GEG) Mentor, he is also a Microsoft Innovative
9 Educator Expert Trainer, further demonstrating his leadership at the forefront of educational
10 technology; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Brazier has also been honored with the *Guide Right Challenge*
12 *Award* from Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Incorporated, for his exceptional mentorship of
13 youth, and he continues to serve with humility, integrity, and an unwavering commitment
14 to educational equity; and

15 WHEREAS, through his service as a husband, father, educator, entrepreneur, and
16 mentor, Wiley Brazier V stands as a shining example of Louisiana's innovative and
17 service-minded spirit, inspiring the next generation to dream bigger and reach higher.

18 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
19 does hereby commend Wiley Brazier V for his remarkable and far-reaching contributions
20 to education, technology, and workforce development, and for his transformative impact on
21 the lives of students, educators, and communities in Louisiana and across the globe.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
23 Wiley Brazier V.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Senate Legislative Services.
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or indicia of legislative intent. [R.S. 1:13(B) and 24:177(E)]

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