

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 226

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Treone Williams-Larvadain on the occasion of her retirement from the Louisiana State Police

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Treone Williams-Larvadain on her retirement after thirty years of serving this
3 state and its citizens as a member of the Louisiana State Police and the Assumption
4 Parish Sheriff's Office.

5 WHEREAS, Treone Williams-Larvadain retired from the Louisiana State Police after
6 serving for thirty years in law enforcement under six different governors; and

7 WHEREAS, her first history-making moment was announced by Governor John Bel
8 Edwards on January 21st, as she commanded the Protective Services Unit; and

9 WHEREAS, over the course of her career, she held a wide range of executive,
10 administrative, operational, training, and investigative roles with the Louisiana State Police,
11 highlighting her versatility and expertise; and

12 WHEREAS, Treone Williams-Larvadain's career with the Louisiana State Police
13 began in Troop C in March 2006 and continued with Protective Services in 2008; and

14 WHEREAS, she worked in Protective Services from 2008 to 2011; and

15 WHEREAS, she was promoted to sergeant in the Bureau of Investigations in 2012
16 and also served as an adjunct instructor at the training academy, later becoming a P.O.S.T.
17 Master Instructor; and

18 WHEREAS, she was promoted to lieutenant in Internal Affairs in 2018; and

19 WHEREAS, also in 2018, she made history with her daughter, Tiah, as the first-ever
20 mother and daughter to actively serve in the Louisiana State Police at the same time; and

1 WHEREAS, in 2020, Governor John Bel Edwards posted, "I am happy to announce
2 Captain Treone Larvadain has been promoted to lead the Protective Services division,
3 becoming the first African-American female captain in State Police history"; and

4 WHEREAS, the Protective Services Unit is a unique section that allocates personnel
5 based on the needs of the current governor; and

6 WHEREAS, as a part of the Protective Services Unit, her primary responsibility was
7 to ensure the safety and security of the governor and his immediate family; and

8 WHEREAS, in 2022, Treone Williams-Larvadain later earned the rank of Major,
9 overseeing the Criminal Investigations Division statewide and ultimately was appointed
10 deputy superintendent over the Bureau of Investigations by former Colonel Lamar Davis,
11 which was somewhat of a full circle moment as she once served as a sergeant in the bureau;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, she led all plainclothes State Police operations, assuming responsibility
14 for the Criminal Investigations Division, the Gaming Enforcement Division, the Force
15 Investigations Unit, and the Special Investigations Division; and

16 WHEREAS, on March 15, 2024, Treone Williams-Larvadain graduated from the FBI
17 National Academy (Session #289), a ten-week leadership course; and

18 WHEREAS, as a woman, Treone Williams-Larvadain has proven that there is no
19 position a female cannot obtain; and

20 WHEREAS, Treone Williams-Larvadain has stated, "I always wanted to give back
21 and help people and my goal has always been to impact lives and change behaviors"; and

22 WHEREAS, as the first African-American female captain, she also stated that she
23 hopes to inspire other women and young girls; and

24 WHEREAS, she has the following message for women and young girls: "You can
25 attain any goal that you want to accomplish, no matter what the naysayers may say; you can
26 do what you want to do"; and

27 WHEREAS, throughout Treone Williams-Larvadain's career and life, she has been
28 consistently led by the Lord; and

1 WHEREAS, Treone Williams-Larvadain proudly worships at First Israel Baptist
2 Church where she is also a member of the inspirational choir, giving glory to God through
3 song; and

4 WHEREAS, it is appropriate that a sincere and heartfelt measure of appreciation be
5 expressed to Treone Williams-Larvadain for her remarkable term of professional service,
6 including using her talents and resources to lead by example, with ethics and integrity; and

7 WHEREAS, Treone Williams-Larvadain served the Louisiana State Police, her
8 community, her parish, and her state with pride and honor and it is her unwavering
9 dedication to excellence that allowed her to climb the ranks and achieve many firsts that not
10 only broke barriers but wrote the blueprint for what others can achieve through hard work.

11 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
12 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Treone Williams-Larvadain on her
13 retirement from the Louisiana State Police and for exemplifying service-oriented leadership
14 throughout her career.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature
16 of Louisiana does hereby express its gratitude and sincere appreciation to Treone Williams-
17 Larvadain for her dedicated service to the people of Louisiana for a thirty-year law
18 enforcement career with the Louisiana State Police and the Assumption Parish Sheriff's
19 Office.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature
21 of Louisiana wishes Treone Williams-Larvadain well in all of her future endeavors.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
23 Treone Williams-Larvadain.

DIGEST

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