

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 259

BY REPRESENTATIVE SELDERS

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Olivia Stewart for her exemplary contributions to Louisiana as president and owner of Oxbow Rum Distillery

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Olivia Stewart for her exemplary contributions to Louisiana as president and  
3 owner of Oxbow Rum Distillery.

4 WHEREAS, Oxbow Rum Distillery is a staple of downtown Baton Rouge and has  
5 proudly served the community and upheld a legacy of excellence that spans five generations  
6 of family ownership; and

7 WHEREAS, Oxbow has embraced a new chapter in the distillery's distinguished  
8 history under the leadership of Olivia Stewart, who is serving as the first-ever female head  
9 of the company; and

10 WHEREAS, Oxbow Rum Distillery has continued to flourish under Ms. Stewart's  
11 leadership and has contributed significantly to the local and state economies; and

12 WHEREAS, Oxbow Rum Distillery was recently awarded double gold medals and  
13 a silver medal at the 2024 San Francisco World Spirits Competition; this achievement  
14 underscores the distillery's and Ms. Stewart's commitment to excellence and innovation.

15 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the  
16 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Olivia Stewart for her exemplary  
17 contributions to Louisiana as president and owner of Oxbow Rum Distillery and does hereby  
18 extend sincerest wishes that Ms. Stewart continue her incredible work and that she prosper  
19 in all of her endeavors.

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