

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 259

BY REPRESENTATIVE SELDERS

A RESOLUTION

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

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

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

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

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

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

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES