

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 89

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Nicole Howard-Francis and Tangela Hampton-Sylvie on their advocacy for autism awareness.

WHEREAS, Nicole Howard-Francis is a cofounder and vice president of Perfect Fit Autism Foundation; her son, Nicholas, was diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder at four years old; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Howard-Francis cofounded the Perfect Fit Autism Foundation with aims to provide social and recreational opportunities for children with autism; through its activities and partnerships, the foundation hopes to help children and their families receive access to care, lead more active lifestyles, and grow toward "perfectly fitting" into society in their own unique ways; and

WHEREAS, Tangela Hampton-Sylvie is an advocate for autism awareness and a member of the Perfect Fit Autism Foundation's advisory board; she also serves as the principal of Cherokee Park Elementary School in Shreveport; and

WHEREAS, Perfect Fit Autism Foundation cofounders Nicole Howard-Francis and Tangela Hampton-Sylvie are most deserving of the highest recognition for their work to provide opportunities for autistic children.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Nicole Howard-Francis and Tangela Hampton-Sylvie on their advocacy for autism awareness and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that they continue to prosper in their efforts in expand autism awareness.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES