

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 250

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Charity Boney on placing first in the Regional Braille Challenge in Ruston.

WHEREAS, Charity Boney is a seven-year-old rising second grade student at Hillcrest Elementary School in Ruston; she competed against her peers in first and second grades from all across the state in the 2025 Regional Braille Challenge; and

WHEREAS, Braille Challenge is the only academic competition of its kind for students in grades one through twelve who are blind or visually impaired; and

WHEREAS, Charity's visual impairment is caused by familial exudative vitreoretinopathy (FEVR); she is totally blind in her left eye and has 20/40 vision in her right eye; she is one of two students from Louisiana invited to compete in the Braille Challenge Finals in Los Angeles in June; and

WHEREAS, Charity is an active Girl Scout who enjoys puzzles, coloring, and dancing; and

WHEREAS, Charity deserves a measure of recognition for the tremendous honor and pride she brings to her family, friends, and the state of Louisiana.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Charity Boney on placing first in the Regional Braille Challenge in Ruston and does hereby wish her the best of luck in the Braille Challenge Finals and in all her future endeavors.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES