

# City of Philadelphia



Council of the City of Philadelphia  
Office of the Chief Clerk  
Room 402, City Hall  
Philadelphia

(Resolution No. 230134)

## RESOLUTION

Honoring and congratulating Champion of the Week, Derrick Copes, on the success of his business, Best Hands Mobile Detailing, and for his constant efforts to make the detailing business more accessible through his social media outreach efforts.

WHEREAS, Best Hands Mobile Detailing is a full detailing service operating in the Philadelphia region owned and operated by Derrick Copes; and

WHEREAS, Copes has been in the automotive detailing business for over 20 years; and

WHEREAS, Copes is a former convict in prison for dealing drugs, but has since used his detailing business as a way to reenter the workforce as a productive and healthy community member; and

WHEREAS, Copes is in his line of work because, after his release, people gave him a chance, and now he wants to spread that chance and opportunity to ex-convicts as well; and

WHEREAS, Copes is the founder of The Dopest Detailer, a brand and community of detailers; and

WHEREAS, Through The Dopest Detailer social media brand, Copes educates Philadelphians on how to start their own detailing businesses, with advice ranging from the business model to technique to the best detergents; now, therefore, be it

WHEREAS, Copes has detailed the cars of some of the regions' most influential athletes, such as James Harden, Tyrese Maxy, and Fletcher Cox, and more. Copes got their business through word of mouth, showing the power behind a small, local business.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, That we hereby congratulate and honor the Champion of the Week, Derrick Copes, on the success of his business, Best Hands Mobile Detailing, and for his constant efforts to expand the detailing business through his professional development education services.

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FURTHER RESOLVED, That an engrossed copy be presented to Derrick Copes, further evidencing the sincere admiration and respect of this legislative body.

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CERTIFICATION: This is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution, Adopted by the Council of the City of Philadelphia on the twenty third day of February, 2023.

Darrell L. Clarke  
PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

Michael A. Decker  
CHIEF CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

Introduced by: Councilmember Thomas

Sponsored by: Councilmembers Thomas, Johnson, Gilmore Richardson,  
Squilla, Gauthier, Vaughn, Harrity, Driscoll, Phillips and Lozada