

City of Philadelphia



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

(Resolution No. 230747)

RESOLUTION

Recognizing the 10th Graders at Hill-Freedman World Academy for being featured in the HBO Documentary "Stand Up & Shout: Songs From a Philly High School."

WHEREAS, The City of Philadelphia is pleased and proud to support and celebrate the artistic and creative endeavors of young Philadelphians; and

WHEREAS, Students at Hill-Freedman World Academy have demonstrated an impressive penchant and talent for songwriting and musicianship. The music they have written and produced beautifully portrays their nuanced experiences as Philadelphia youths; and

WHEREAS, Their laudable musical undertaking is featured in the HBO documentary "Stand Up & Shout: Songs From a Philly High School." The documentary underscores the importance of their artistic expression and highlights their awe-inspiring musical creations; and

WHEREAS, The students' immense success so early in their musical careers demonstrates the importance of adequately funding artistic outlets for students in and out of academic settings; and

WHEREAS, In all that the students of Hill-Freedman World Academy have done, they have furthered the progress of our City. Philadelphians who, through dedication and excellence, contribute in a meaningful way to the well-being of their communities through music, art, and film are integral to the functioning, wholesomeness, and vibrance of our City. As such, the students of Hill-Freedman World Academy are much appreciated; and

WHEREAS, The Council of the City of Philadelphia does hereby extend its sincere gratitude to the students of Hill-Freedman World Academy for their extraordinary contribution to our community. We wish them success in the days ahead and extend the sincere respect and admiration of this legislative body; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, THAT THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, Recognizes the 10th Graders at Hill-Freedman World Academy for being featured in the HBO Documentary "Stand Up & Shout: Songs From a Philly High School."

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FURTHER RESOLVED, That an Engrossed copy be presented to the students of Hill-Freedman World Academy 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 sixth day of October, 2023.

Darrell L. Clarke
PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

Michael A. Decker
CHIEF CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

Introduced by: Councilmember Phillips

Sponsored by: Councilmembers Phillips, Gilmore Richardson, Squilla,
Thomas, Gauthier, Vaughn, Harrity, Driscoll, Bass and Brooks