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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Marquis Hill has been named the recipient of a
2 Legacy Beyond a Lifetime Award by the Wise Up to Rise Up Foundation,
3 which is hosting its Winner's Circle 2025 event in Katy on August 2,
4 2025; and

5 WHEREAS, The Wise Up to Rise Up Foundation is dedicated to
6 empowering underserved youth; through mentorship, recognition
7 programs, motivational events, and creative community
8 partnerships, it encourages young people to reach their full
9 potential; its Winner's Circle 2025 event welcomes students from
10 across both the Katy and the Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School
11 Districts; and

12 WHEREAS, After a heart condition brought his basketball
13 career to a close, Mr. Hill dedicated himself to inspiring others
14 through his work as a motivational speaker, author, and
15 entrepreneur; he is the founder of Love Yaself Company, which
16 challenges young people to recognize their self worth and reach
17 their full potential; in addition to speaking to students at Katy
18 ISD, Cy-Fair ISD, and Harmony Public Schools, he has traveled
19 across the country to deliver his message to a wide range of
20 audiences, including those at Disney, Discover, the U.S. Department
21 of Justice, Chicago Public Schools, and Morehouse College; and

22 WHEREAS, Through his accomplishments and contributions,
23 Marquis Hill embodies the ideals of the Wise Up to Rise Up
24 Foundation, and it is a pleasure to join in recognizing him on this

1 occasion; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
3 Legislature hereby congratulate Marquis Hill on receiving the
4 Legacy Beyond a Lifetime Award from the Wise Up to Rise Up
5 Foundation and commend him for participating in the organization's
6 Winner's Circle 2025 event; and, be it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
8 prepared for Mr. Hill as an expression of high regard by the Texas
9 House of Representatives.