

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing Marlon Andrews II on completion of the Macedonia Baptist Church's two-year Youth Leadership Program.

RESOLUTION NO. 21354, July 31, 2023

INTRODUCED BY Donna Peyton, County Legislator

WHEREAS, the Jackson County, Missouri Legislature recognizes and celebrates Marlon Andrews II for his outstanding achievements in successfully completing the Macedonia Baptist Church two-year Youth Leadership Program; and,

WHEREAS, Marlon, a seventeen-year-old resident of Kansas City, MO, is the oldest of four siblings and the cherished first grandchild of three grandparents; and,

WHEREAS, Marlon's educational journey began at Holiday Montessori for pre-school, and he continued to excel academically at University Academy for elementary and middle school, where he served as a student ambassador; and,

WHEREAS, Marlon is currently a proud Golden Eagle at Ruskin High School, where he has displayed extraordinary musical talent as a percussionist in the band, earning recognition as the lead percussionist; and,

WHEREAS, during the 2023-24 school year, Marlon's passion for automotive and technology led him to be accepted into the prestigious Automotive and Technology Program at Herndon Center; and,

WHEREAS, on June 3, 2022, Marlon commenced his Summer Youth Employment with Macedonia, a testament to his commitment to community engagement and service; and,

WHEREAS, on July 3, 2022, Marlon experienced the profound moment of baptism alongside his youngest sibling, further strengthening his faith and devotion to God; and,

WHEREAS, Marlon has proven himself to be a remarkable and inspirational speaker, displaying wisdom beyond his years, making his peers listen attentively to words that resonate with divine truth; and,

WHEREAS, football holds a special place in Marlon's heart, and he aspires to work in the National Football League, exemplifying his determination and passion for the game; and,

WHEREAS, Marlon's athletic prowess has been recognized with the 1 BSSA championship, and he has earned titles such as Best Offensive Player and Most Valuable Player for running back and cornerback, signifying his exceptional talent and sportsmanship; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the Legislature commends Marlon for his outstanding achievements, his unwavering dedication to education, his commitment to community and spiritual growth, and his aspirations to create a better future for himself and those around him.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan O. Wensky

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21354 of July 31, 2023, was duly passed on July 31, 2023 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas 8

Nays 0

Abstaining 0

Absent 1

7/31/2023
Date

Mary Jo Spino
Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature