

RESOLUTION NUMBER 108

Lil Bud E

WHEREAS, hailing from St. Louis, rapper/songwriter/actor Lil Bud E, with his universal style and catchy lyrics, is about to make his entrance onto the world stage. With appearances at the Celebrity Gear Up Conference at the America's Center in St. Louis, Missouri Black Expo, the Echelon Center during the Bayou Classic in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, the Demetrius Johnson Community Christmas party and landing a spot on the Teen Swag Tour, Lil Bud E has already shown his commitment to his art; and

WHEREAS, he received the Platinum Performance Award at the 2009 Teen Swag Awards. He earned a spot on stage at the Rosemount Theater in Chicago as the opening act for Justin Bieber. He was recognized for his talents not only as a M.C. but also as a host, writer, and even a dancer; and

WHEREAS, Lil Bud E is an 18 year old graduate of McCluer North High School. He is a take charge type of person and is considered a leader to many of his friends. At 18 years old, this prodigy is on his way to stardom. Under Sphinx Entertainment/EMI/Capitol, Lil Bud E is undergoing a rigorous development process. Well disciplined and with a lot of love, Lil Bud E has a lot of respect for the business. Lil Bud E is serious about his music, but at the same time he wants to make music that allows his audiences to simply have fun; and

WHEREAS, his latest project "I Do It For The Kids" relates to kids all over the world with his songs Hall Sweep and Graduation. Not only does he portray a positive image, but his other songs bring out the party in you. He can be hard without being hard core. He can please the "young ear" without damaging it. He is destined to be the savior for the hip hop party sound. With determination, hard work, and plenty of talent, only time can tell when Lil Bud E will be the next voice of the young generation; and

WHEREAS, Lil Bud E is the ambassador for youth in the 19th Ward and will support the efforts to provide a spirit of respect, good citizenship, and the goal to complete education requirements.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Lil Bud E and we wish him continued success, achievement and accomplishment and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 28th of May, 2010 by:

Honorable Marlene Davis, Alderwoman 19th Ward

Adopted this the 28th of May, 2010 as attested by:

David W. Sweeney
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen