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7 A CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION  
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11 IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
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15 To recognize and honor Roberto “DJ Quicksilva” Silva for his success and placement onto  
16 the Ben’s Chili Bowl Wall of Fame.

17 WHEREAS, Ben’s Chili Bowl, a world famous District of Columbia restaurant opened by  
18 Ben Ali in 1958, has a Wall of Fame featuring prominent politicians and celebrities who have  
19 eaten at the establishment;

20 WHEREAS, DJ Quicksilva, a disc jockey in the District of Columbia, has been  
21 extraordinarily successful in the music business. This success includes being ranked the No. 1 DJ  
22 in the District of Columbia and the No. 12 DJ in the United States. DJ Quicksilva also stars in the  
23 OWN Network show Love and Marriage: D.C.;

24 WHEREAS, DJ Quicksilva has also been named D.C.’s most popular radio and club DJ,  
25 National Club DJ of the Year, and East Coast DJ of the year;

26 WHEREAS, throughout this continued success, DJ Quicksilva has worked as a DJ for the  
27 national syndicated Russ Parr Morning Show, for the BET 106 & Park TV Show, for 93.9 and  
28 92Q as host of The Quicksilva Show, and as personal DJ for former NFL player Ray Lewis;

29 WHEREAS, DJ Quicksilva has used his entrepreneurial talents to expand into the  
30 entertainment and nightlife business industry as owner of Club DownTown Bmore, a popular  
31 nightclub in Baltimore.

32 WHEREAS, outside of his work, DJ Quicksilva has donated his time to communities in  
33 the District of Columbia by opening a DJ school for youth in Wards 7 and 8, and hosting virtual  
34 parties at Club Quicksilva during the COVID-19 pandemic; and

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36 WHEREAS, DJ Quicksilva deservedly joins almost every District of Columbia mayor and  
37 President Barack Obama on the Ben’s Chili Bowl Wall of Fame.  
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39           RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, that this  
40 resolution may be cited as the “Roberto ‘DJ Quicksilva’ Silva Recognition Resolution of 2022”.

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42           Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia recognizes and honors Roberto “DJ  
43 Quicksilva” Silva and his contributions to the District of Columbia.

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45           Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.