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Vanessa Williams totes talent to Mayor's gala



Vanessa Williams performs during We Are Boston Anniversary Gala at the Fairmont Copley Plaza in Boston on Tuesday, November 17, 2015. Staff photo by Christopher Evans

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Boston's hosted its share of superstars from around the world, but actress, singer and all-around glam gal Vanessa Williams brought her megawattage talent to illuminate the best kind of message last night at the Mayor's Office of New Bostonians We Are Boston Anniversary Gala.

The event, held at the Fairmont Copley Plaza hotel, is a celebration of diversity in the Hub. Throughout the evening, guests enjoyed multicultural musical and dance performances from local troupes and performers while noshing on small plates provided by Improper Bostonian magazine's Boston's Best honoree restaurants.