

BIG FREEDIA



3rd Ward Bounce (2018)

"You either show up to the party or you don't." —*Pitchfork*



A Very Big Freedia Christmazz (2016)

"It serves up the booty-shakin' holiday cheer we all need." —*All Songs Considered, NPR*



Just Be Free (2014)

Named one of *Rolling Stones'* "best electronic releases" of the year.



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Big Freedia in Concert
Contemporary Art Museum St. Louis
Friday, December 14, 8:00 pm

Big Freedia is the Queen of Bounce, a vibrant twist on hip-hop, characterized by call-and-response lyrics over rapid beats that inspire the body to move. "Bounce is feel-good music, and we need that right now," she says.

A New Orleans-based rapper, Big Freedia ("FREE-da") has received international attention after appearing on **Beyoncé's** "Formation," **Drake's** recent summertime smash "Nice for What," and collaborations with **Lizzo**, **Diplo**, and **DJ Snake**.

National Public Radio speaks to her "radically inclusive, celebratory performances, where the only requirement for entry is having something to shake."

AKA Freddie Ross, Big Freedia identifies herself as "a gay male with hair and nails." Freddie by day when she's "handling her business"; Freedia when she hits the stage. "If you say 'he' or 'she,' it doesn't matter. I know who I am."

"Big Freedia makes a rump-shaking ruckus."

—*The New Yorker*

