

Proclamation

WHEREAS,



Student Leadership Johns Creek began in 2012 as a two year program for emerging leaders in their sophomore and junior years who attend Centennial, Chattahoochee, Johns Creek, and Northview High Schools, Innovation Academy, Mt. Pisgah School, and Providence Christian Academy; and

WHEREAS,



Student Leadership Johns Creek have won for the fifth time the Secretary of State Ambassadors State Championship, a competition comprised of teams throughout Georgia, and Student Leadership Johns Creek remarkably earned more than 66,000 points over the next closest team; and

WHEREAS,



the Secretary of State Ambassadors Program is a leadership training program for high school students in the 10th through 12th grades that encourages civic participation and voter registration; students who serve as Ambassadors earn points for promoting civic engagement, voter registration and volunteerism; and

WHEREAS,



the team completed two candidate debates in Johns Creek that included candidates for Georgia State House and Senate, as well as candidates for the Fulton County Commission District 1 seat; the students worked to develop relevant questions, contacted candidates, set rules of the debate, and publicized the debates; and

WHEREAS,



the nine Ambassadors, under the guidance of Executive Director Irene Sanders, are students at Northview, Chattahoochee, Johns Creek high schools and Innovation Academy: Alisha Kohli, Aria Smith, Brady Carnesale, Varsha Nirmal, Nicholas Stone, Shruthi Balachander, Lakshana Ramanan, Tiffany Obasohan and Neha Gurram;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners recognizes Student Leadership Johns Creek for their outstanding accomplishment, and does hereby proclaim Tuesday, May 9, 2023 as **"STUDENT LEADERSHIP JOHNS CREEK SECRETARY OF STATE CHAMPIONSHIP APPRECIATION DAY"** in Fulton County, Georgia.



Fulton County Board of Commissioners

Commissioner

Attest:

Clerk to the Commission

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