



WHEREAS, The mission of the Fulton County Library System is to serve as a cultural and intellectual center that enriches the community and empowers all residents with essential tools for lifelong learning;



WHEREAS, the theme for the 2025 Summer Reading Program is "Color Our World" where we invite library patrons throughout Fulton County to embark on a journey of art and creativity, celebrating the many ways that art enriches our lives; and



WHEREAS, the Central Library will host a special Summer Reading Kickoff on Saturday, June 7, entitled "Color My World with Microsoft," a technology-focused program for children, teens, and adults sponsored by Microsoft, whose generous support has made it possible to launch this engaging STEM-focused program; and



where where we the library's state-of-the-art Best Buy Teen Tech Center, available to library patrons through an ongoing partnership with Best Buy Foundation, will offer engaging, hands-on activities throughout the day, to elevate science literacy and provide access to cutting-edge technology for young people in a library setting; and



**WHEREAS,** the Fulton County Library System encourages participants of all ages to register for the Summer Reading Program, log their books using the library's beanstack app and qualify to win cool techrelated prizes; and



WHEREAS, the Library System could not provide these exciting adventures and programming without the generosity of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library Foundation and its enduring support for our largest youth literacy initiative of the year;



**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Board of Commissioners of Fulton County recognizes the importance of the Summer Reading Program in developing life-long readers, fostering literacy skills in children, teens and adults, and celebrating the vast resources available to the community at the library, and does hereby proclaim June 2025, as "FULTON COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM SUMMER READING PROGRAM APPRECIATION MONTH" in Fulton County, Georgia.

Attest:	Commissioner

Fulton County Board of Commissioners

Clerk to the Commission