

Proclamation



WHEREAS,

The 3rd Annual Youth Entrepreneurship, College & Career Expo, hosted by Breaking the Chains Worldwide Inc. in partnership with Friendship Baptist Church, is a transformative community initiative dedicated to empowering youth across Fulton County through entrepreneurship, career exposure, and workforce development; and



WHEREAS,

Breaking the Chains Worldwide Inc. is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit youth advocacy organization with over 14 years of service in Georgia's public school systems, providing underserved communities with innovative "edu-tainment" programming that blends creative arts, music, entrepreneurship, and workforce readiness; and



WHEREAS,

the Expo aligns with Fulton County's commitment to workforce development, youth engagement, and community advancement, and is supported by a coalition of leading organizations committed to youth development and economic empowerment, including Goodwill of North Georgia, Girls Inc., The Links (Cascade/Buckhead), Urban League of Greater Atlanta, Covenant House Georgia, Omega Quest, Communities in Schools, Vibe Tribe University, and several others; and



WHEREAS,

this collaboration creates a comprehensive ecosystem of support, ensuring that youth not only attend the event, but leave with actionable next steps toward careers, entrepreneurship, and higher education, while breaking generational barriers, activating potential, and positioning Fulton County youth for long-term success;



NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners commend the Youth Entrepreneurship Expo for serving as a direct solution, connecting young people to tangible opportunities including business funding, job placement, and certification programs, and does hereby proclaim Saturday, April 18, 2026, as "**YOUTH ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND CAREER EXPO APPRECIATION DAY**" in Fulton County, Georgia.

Fulton County Board of Commissioners

Attest:

Commissioner

Clerk to the Commission

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