

# Proclamation

*WHEREAS,*

Frederick Calhoun Bell, known by his rap name Cool Breeze, was born on August 12th; and



*WHEREAS,*

Fred began his rap career in 1999 with his debut solo album *East Point's Greatest Hit* under the Interscope Records label; the most critically acclaimed track "Watch for the Hook" featured various members of the Dungeon Family and soared to number one on the Billboard Hot Rap Songs Chart; and



*WHEREAS,*

Fred's musical contributions and deep love for his craft have been an inspiration to his fellow artists, as evidenced by his work on the 1996 Billboard Hot 100 single "Dirty South" from Goodie Mob's debut album *Soul Food*; and



*WHEREAS,*

a proud product of Martel Homes in the City of East Point and Fulton County's District 5, Fred is a kind and generous person who brings joy and happiness to his family and to the many friends, neighbors, and East Point veterans who have the great pleasure of knowing him; and



*WHEREAS,*

Fred has witnessed a dramatic change in the world over the course of his lifetime, and we salute his contribution to its progress by his own hard work and his tireless efforts on behalf of his community and extended family; and



***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,*** that the Fulton County Board of Commissioners, in honor of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Hip Hop, commends the cultural impact of Fred "Cool Breeze" Bell, and his contributions to the music and entertainment industry, and does hereby proclaim Wednesday, December 20, 2023 as "**FRED COOL BREEZE BELL APPRECIATION DAY**" in Fulton County, Georgia.

*Fulton County Board of Commissioners*

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Commissioner

Attest:

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Clerk to the Commission

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