

Proclamation



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WHEREAS,

Rodney E. Evans, Sr. is a native of Atlanta, Georgia and was educated in the Atlanta Public Schools system; he furthered his education at Columbia School of Broadcasting where he majored in Mass Communication/Radio Broadcasting and obtained a Federal Communications Commission (FCC) license in 1985; and



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WHEREAS,

Rodney's career in the radio industry began when he volunteered at Clark College's WCLK 91.9 FM as a Production Assistant, which led to a position of radio announcer; he has since become a household name as the station's Gospel Program Coordinator and on-air personality/host of "Joy in the Morning"; and



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WHEREAS,

Rodney is a licensed and ordained minister of the Gospel, and serves as Pastor of Faith Temple Missionary Baptist Church, and he is a member of the Gospel Music Workshop of America, and serves as President of the Atlanta Gospel Announcers Guild, Inc.; and



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WHEREAS,

Rodney spent 20 years as Chairman of the Fulton County Juvenile Citizen Panel Review #17, Police Chaplain for the Atlanta Police Department, and is the former manager for recording artist, the late Lecresia Campbell, and booking manager for Rev. Milton Brunson & The Thompson Community Singers, also known as The Tommies; and



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WHEREAS,

Rodney is the founder of *For The Children, Inc.*, an organization that provide toys to metro Atlanta foster care children through the juvenile court system, and he served as Executive Director for *Another Way Out*, a Southwest Atlanta based educational organization for underserved youth; he and his wife of 20 years, DeJerris, are the proud parents of three beloved children:



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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners, in observance of Juneteenth, recognizes Rodney E. Evans, Sr. for his 40-year career in the radio and broadcasting industry, and for his dedication to his local community and beyond, and does hereby proclaim Sunday, June 22, 2025, as "**RODNEY E. EVANS, SR. APPRECIATION DAY**" in Fulton County, Georgia.

Fulton County Board of Commissioners

Commissioner

Attest:

Clerk to the Commission

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