The Alliance Theatre was founded in 1968 and is the leading producing theater in the Southeast, reaching more than 165,000 patrons annually; and

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the Alliance Theatre is a recipient of the Regional Theatre Tony Award® in recognition of sustained excellence in programming, education and community engagement; and

the Alliance has premiered more than 100 original productions, including the Tony Award winners *The Color Purple* and *Aida*, and recent premieres including *Sister Act: The Musical*; and

more than 80,000 students each year experience agespecific professional performances and participate in acting classes, drama camps and in-school initiatives through the Alliance Theatre Acting Program and Education Department; and

the Alliance Theatre Institute has been recognized twice by the U.S. Dept. of Education for leadership in arts education by equipping teachers with theatrical techniques that link directly to school curriculum and proven to improve student learning;



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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners applauds the Alliance Theatre for 55 years of theatre and cultural entertainment to Atlanta and Fulton County, and does hereby proclaim Wednesday, December 6, 2023 as "<u>ALLIANCE</u> <u>THEATRE 55TH ANNIVERSARY APPRECIATION DAY</u>" in Fulton County, Georgia.



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