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WHEREAS,

Dorothy Ann Hunter was born on Sunday, May 2, 1943 the sixth of seven children to James and Anna Mae Sadler-Hunter in Elberton, Georgia; and



WHEREAS,

Dorothy relocated to Atlanta, Georgia as a teenager to attend Morris Brown College to study English; while a student there, she added an "e" to the end of her first name and changed her middle name from Ann to Anita; and



WHEREAS,

also while a student at Morris Brown, she met and fell in love with Morehouse College student, Mr. Thomas Henry Allen; they were married in 1963 and together, they raised two beloved children: Marlon and Keisha; and



WHEREAS,

Dorothye worked for the Fulton County Department of Family and Children's Services as a Caseworker, and eventually rose to the role of Senior Supervisor before she retired after 32 years of dedicated service; and



WHEREAS,

the legacy of her life will be cherished by husband, Mr. George Jones, her two children, Marlon and Keisha, her grandchildren, Courtlen, George, Jr., and Gabriel, and a host of family and friends;



NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners recognizes Dorothye Anita Allen for a life of integrity and dedication to her family and community, and does hereby proclaim Friday, February 10, 2023 as "DOROTHYE ANITA ALLEN REMEMBRANCE DAY" in Fulton County, Georgia.



Fulton County Board of Commissioners

Attest:

Commissioner

Clerk to the Commission

FULTON COUNTY