

# Proclamation



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*WHEREAS,*

Since the founding of Georgia in 1733, over 1,000,000 of its finest citizens have served in the military, to include active duty, reserves and national guard; and



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*WHEREAS,*

the patriotic men and women of Fulton County have always served to ensure that Fulton County, Georgia and America are defended and protected; and



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*WHEREAS,*

Georgia currently has 678,304 living veterans of former service to America's military branches; and



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*WHEREAS,*

in 2013, the Georgia Military Veterans' Hall of Fame, Inc. was established to honor and induct annually 15 Georgians into the nation's premiere military veterans' hall of fame; and



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*WHEREAS,*

through 2023, 177 Georgians have been inducted to include 17 from Fulton County; and



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*WHEREAS,*

since establishing an annual "ROTC Scholarship Program" in 2020, the Georgia Military Veterans' Hall of Fame, Inc. has awarded 39 \$4,000 scholarships to Georgia's top 39 senior high school Senior JROTC Cadets who are enrolled in the ROTC Program at four-year university in Georgia;



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***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,*** That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners commends the Georgia Military Veterans' Hall of Fame and the 177 inductees and encourage all citizens to educate themselves concerning this effort and get involved in nominating worthy veterans, and does hereby proclaim Saturday, November 4, 2023 as "**THE GEORGIA MILITARY VETERANS' HALL OF FAME, INC. APPRECIATION DAY**" in Fulton County, Georgia.

*Fulton County Board of Commissioners*

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Chair to the Commission

Attest:

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Clerk to the Commission

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