

Proclamation



WHEREAS,

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Eta Lambda Chapter was chartered May 20, 1920 in Atlanta, Georgia as the 107th House of Alpha, and the Mother Chapter in Atlanta, Georgia; the chapter has 103 years of history as pillars of strength and dedication to the principles of Manly Deeds, Scholarship, and Love For All Mankind; and



WHEREAS,

Eta Lambda Chapter is the second largest and one of the most active chapters within Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., and is guided by the values of integrity, kindness, and the true spirit of brotherhood; and



WHEREAS,

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. traces its origins to the hallowed halls of Cornell University where on December 4, 1906, seven extraordinary young men came together to establish this noble fraternity; from its inception, the fraternity has exemplified a commitment to service and a tireless devotion to the betterment of our communities; and



WHEREAS,

Eta Lambda Chapter takes great pride in being the eight-time International Chapter of the Year, the nine-time Southern Regional Chapter of the Year, and in having produced six General Presidents, six Regional Vice-Presidents, six District Directors, and seven International Brothers of the Year; this esteemed chapter is home to outstanding Brothers including Ambassador Andrew Young, Reverend Senator Raphael Warnock, and dearly departed Brothers including Reverend Joseph Lowery, Mayor Maynard Jackson, and Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., among others;



NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Commissioners of Fulton County commends the Eta Lambda Chapter for being named the Outstanding Alumni Chapter of the Year for the Georgia District, and for their outstanding work and service within Fulton County and beyond, and does hereby proclaim Friday, February 2, 2024 as “**ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY, INC. ETA LAMBDA CHAPTER APPRECIATION DAY**” in Fulton County, Georgia.

Fulton County Board of Commissioners

Commissioner

Attest:

Clerk to the Commission

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