

WHEREAS,

Fulton County recognizes the value of film as an economic driver and a critical tool in fostering cultural understanding; and



WHEREAS,

Fulton County, through its Fulton Films Office is a proud

supporter of the Atlanta Jewish Film Festival; and



WHEREAS,

The Atlanta Jewish Film Festival was established by the Atlanta Regional Office of the American Jewish Committee in the year 2000 and is the largest film festival in the state of Georgia and the largest Jewish film festival in the world attracting nearly 40,000 patrons each year; and



WHEREAS,

The Atlanta Jewish Film Festival is an annual 23-day

showcase of international cinema that explores themes of identity, history, and culture to inspire diverse communities to higher levels of social and cultural understanding; and



WHEREAS.

The Atlanta Jewish Film Festival annually contributes to the

film industry's \$4.1 billion economic impact in the state of

Georgia; and



WHEREAS,

The 25th Annual Atlanta Jewish Film Festival will be held

February 19 through March 16, showcasing 50 films including 22 documentaries and 28 narrative works that celebrate the diversity of Jewish experiences around the

globe;



NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners congratulates The Atlanta Jewish Film Festival on its 25th Anniversary, and does hereby proclaim Wednesday, February 19, 2025, as "<u>ATLANTA JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL APPRECIATION DAY</u>" in Fulton County, Georgia.



Fulton County Board of Commissioners

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Clerk to the Commission

Attest:

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