

# Proclamation



**WHEREAS,**

Older Americans Month was established in 1963 by President John F. Kennedy and members of the National Council of Senior Citizens to address the growing concerns of older adults and later to celebrate and honor their contributions including those who've served our country, and



**WHEREAS,**

Fulton County Government has allocated funding for senior services informally since 1973, established the Office of Aging in 1989 and today, through the Department of Senior Services provides preventive, intervention and supportive services that support independence, health and delay cognitive decline, and



**WHEREAS,**

Senior Services provides home delivered meals, transportation, in-home services, case management, AmeriCorps senior companion volunteers, kinship care, facility-based programs at Adult Day, Neighborhood Senior Centers and Multipurpose Senior Facilities, and



**WHEREAS,**

this year's Older Americans Month theme 'Flip the Script' encourages all Americans to think and converse differently about former misconceptions and assumptions regarding aging, and understand the value, experience, example, knowledge and wisdom of older adults, and



**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners urges every senior, caregiver, employee, non-profit, business and resident to attend the numerous events, workshops, seminars and programs that flip the scripts on conversations and does hereby proclaim May 2025, as **"OLDER AMERICANS MONTH"** in Fulton County, Georgia.




**Fulton County Board of Commissioners**

  
Chair to the Commission

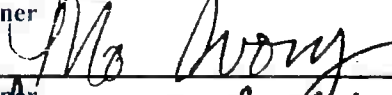
  
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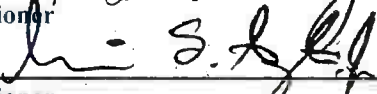
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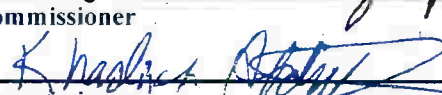
  
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