

WHEREAS,

Jasmine Guy is an award-winning actress, singer, dancer, director, producer, motivational speaker, and author with more than 100 film, television, and stage credits to her name; and

FULTON COUNTY

WHEREAS,

Jasmine Guy was raised in Atlanta, Georgia, graduated from Northside Performing Arts High School, and studied dance at the Alvin Ailey American Dance Center in New York City; and



WHEREAS,

Jasmine Guy, best known for her role as Whitley Gilbert in the iconic TV series *A Different World*, made her screen debut as a dancer on the television series *Fame*, and has shown her incredible range in a wide variety of comedic and dramatic roles in classics including *School Daze*,

Harlem Nights, and Alex Haley's Queen; and



WHEREAS,

Jasmine Guy is the recipient of four consecutive NAACP Image Awards for Outstanding Lead Actress in a Comedy

Series for *A Different World*, and the 2024 Emmy Award for Outstanding Actress in a Short Form Comedy or Drama

Series for *Chronicles of Jessica Wu*; and



WHEREAS,

Jasmine Guy received an honorary Doctor of Fine Arts degree from Ohio Wesleyan University, and has worked to

promote and recognize the contributions of HBCUs across

the country;



NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners recognizes Jasmine Guy for her outstanding career and her many contributions to the arts and the community and does hereby proclaim Saturday, September 20, 2025, as "**JASMINE GUY APPRECIATION DAY**" in Fulton County, Georgia.



Fulton County Board of Commissioners

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Attest:

Clerk to the Commission

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