

WHEREAS, Ms. Gail Dean has served as a member of the Fulton County School Board representing the people of College Park, East Point, Hapeville, and Sandy Springs since 2001; and



WHEREAS, Fulton County Schools has added twenty thousand students and nearly twenty-five hundred employees during Ms. Dean's time on the Fulton County School Board; and



WHEREAS, Fulton County Schools has benefitted from the creation of the Board Audit Committee and the adoption of the Continuous Achievement Board Policy, two advancements long championed by Ms. Dean; and



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Ms. Dean has long been a champion of charter schools both in Fulton County and across the state of Georgia as evidenced by her appointment by the Georgia Board of Education to its initial study committee on charter schools; and



WHEREAS, Ms. Dean's tireless and successful championing for ESPLOST has led to the building of twenty-nine schools during her tenure, including College Park Elementary School and a rebuilt Riverwood



whereas, the Dean family's commitment to Fulton County Schools included the education of all four Dean children in Sandy Springs; and

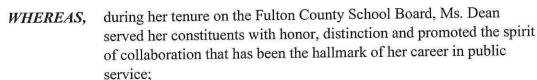
International High School in her home district; and



WHEREAS, Ms. Dean is a former President of the Atlanta Homebuilders
Association and her knowledge of construction and public finance
proved invaluable in her service to the people of Fulton County; and



the city of Sandy Springs has benefitted from her public commitment by her service with Sandy Springs Clean and Beautiful and the Sandy Springs Council of Neighborhoods; and





NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Commissioners of Fulton County commends Fulton County Schools Board Member Gail Dean for her longstanding service to the citizens of Fulton County and does hereby proclaim Tuesday, October 11, 2022 as "<u>GAIL DEAN APPRECIATION DAY</u>" in Fulton County, Georgia.

Fulton County Board of Commissioners

Attest:

Commissioner

Clerk to the Commission