

Proclamation

WHEREAS,

Since 2005, the Navy Week program has served as the Navy's flagship outreach effort to regions without a significant Navy presence, with over 250 Navy Weeks held in more than 80 different U.S. markets; and



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WHEREAS,

while sailors have previously participated in the Atlanta Airshow, Navy Week Atlanta will bring between 50-75 sailors from across the nation to volunteer throughout the greater Atlanta area and discuss the positive impact and influence a healthy Navy supports our nation; and



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Navy Week Atlanta will feature in-person demonstrations, performances, and engagements throughout the week that will include: senior Navy leaders, Navy Band Southeast, Naval History and Heritage Command, USS CONSTITUTION, Navy Ceremony Guard, Office of Small Business Programs, the Navy Flight Demonstration Squadrons, and the Blue Angels; and



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WHEREAS,

the United States Navy is instrumental in ensuring the safety and security of over \$40 billion in annual exports from the State of Georgia, and Georgia ranks fifth in the nation for total Department of Defense military, reserve, and national guard personnel; and



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WHEREAS,

Georgia is home to more than 3,500 Navy sailors to include active-duty and reserve personnel, and many veterans, active-duty, reserve personnel, and their families have chosen to live their lives in Georgia and positively impact our state for the better;



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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners recognizes the United States Navy and our military families for their many sacrifices for our safety and security, and does hereby proclaim the week of October 31-November 6 as "**NAVY WEEK ATLANTA**" in Fulton County, Georgia.



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Fulton County Board of Commissioners

Sponsoring Commissioner

Chairman

Vice Chair

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Attest:

Clerk to the Commission

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