

# Proclamation



**WHEREAS,**

Bryce Brooks was a 16 year old high school student from Atlanta, Georgia who bravely risked his own life to rescue four children from strong ocean currents off the coast of Pensacola, Florida on April 6, 2023; and



**WHEREAS,**

Bryce and two other heroic bystanders courageously rushed to provide assistance to the children in distress, by the rip current was stronger than anyone realized with Bryce succumbed to the water; and



**WHEREAS,**

Bryce was an outstanding student and athlete, earning his place on the National Honor Society for his academic achievements, and he was a multi-sport athlete who participated in AAU Basketball, Flag Football, and Ultimate Frisbee; he was also a stylish young man who was an active member of the Fashion Club at his school; and



**WHEREAS,**

Bryce was also exceedingly creative, with a passion for video editing and music production; he utilized his talents in printing to assist his family's apparel business, *Alfred's Laundry*; and



**WHEREAS,**

Bryce was adored by his loving parents, Crystal and Alfred "Shivy" Brooks, and his younger brother, Christian;



**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** That the Fulton County Board of Commissioners recognizes Bryce Brooks for a life of integrity and dedication to his family and friends, and for his selfless and heroic actions, and does hereby proclaim Saturday, April 22, 2023 as "**BRYCE BROOKS REMEMBRANCE DAY**" in Fulton County, Georgia.

*Fulton County Board of Commissioners*

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Commissioner

Attest:

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Clerk to the Commission

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