



A Proclamation

Lawrence E. Usher

WHEREAS, Lawrence E. Usher is an outstanding leader and a DeKalb County resident for over 50 years. Mr. Usher was a paratrooper in the Army and now serves as the Chief of Staff of Disabled American Veterans, Chapter 91. He is a member of the Saint James Lodge #4. He is a thirty-second-degree Mason; and

WHEREAS, Upon retiring from ATT, Mr. Usher created Usher Enterprises, where he created a fruit juice that was sold in major retailers in the Southeastern region; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Usher, has a strong passion for golf. In 1988, he was one of the founders of the Stokers Golf Club of Atlanta. He won the DeKalb County Senior Olympics Championship from 2002-2012; Mr. Usher also won 3 first place titles for the Atlanta Veterans Administration Golf Tournament. In 2016, Mr. Usher won the Stokers National Championship; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Usher is a strong advocate for his community. He enjoys educating and mentoring youth on entrepreneurship and the game of golf. He is a diligent and faithful servant of the Lord. He has served as a deacon for 45 years at Salem Bible Church under the pastorate of Jasper Williams, Sr.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Larry Johnson, on behalf of DeKalb County and its more than 750,000 citizens, do hereby recognize and honor the legacy of Mr. Lawrence Usher for his advocacy and impact within the sport of golf.

Commissioner Larry Johnson
District 3