

STATE OF GEORGIA  
COUNTY OF FULTON  
CITY OF SOUTH FULTON

RES2022-042

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING SEPTEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup> THROUGH SEPTEMBER 23<sup>RD</sup>, 2022, MINORITY BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY WEEK IN THE CITY OF SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**(Sponsored by Mayor Khalid)**

**WHEREAS**, Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council is the state of Georgia's leading advocacy organization for small business development and supplier diversity; and

**WHEREAS**, their primary focus is to certify Minority Business Enterprise firms, help them prepare to engage global supply chains, and then facilitate partnerships with corporations and governments in need of their goods and services; and

**WHEREAS**, since its inception in 1976, the Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council continues to illuminate the path for small business development and supplier diversity organizations; and

**WHEREAS**, The Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council endeavors to guide over 800 certified Minority Business Enterprise firms headquartered in Georgia and reshapes their presence in phenomenal expansion serving over 400 corporations; and

**WHEREAS**, The Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council supports Minority Business Enterprise firms by creating jobs that generate billions of dollars in revenue, and strengthens the bonds between sustainable enterprises; and

**WHEREAS**, The Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council extends its reach to provide certification, host events, and foster educational programs. These ventures ignite growth, success, and long-term sustainability; and

**WHEREAS**, On September 19 through 23, 2022, the Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council will host its Quarterly Business Opportunity Exchange to stimulate opportunities that explore innovative minority business practices that spark connections between corporate and government entities.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Mayor and City Council recognizes the Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council for being a beacon of unwavering leadership, advocacy, and triumph for minority businesses, and do hereby proclaim the week of September 19 through 23, 2022 as the **MINORITY BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY WEEK** in the City of South Fulton.

**[signatures and voting tabulations appear on the following page]**

The foregoing RESOLUTION No. 2022-042, was adopted on August 23, 2022 was offered by Councilmember Sebastian, who moved its approval. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Williams, and being put to a vote, the result was as follows:

	AYE	NAY
khalid kamau, Mayor	_____	_____
Carmalitha Gumbs	X_____	_____
Catherine Foster Rowell	X_____	_____
Helen Zenobia Willis	X_____	_____
Jaceey Sebastian	X_____	_____
Corey Reeves, Mayor Pro Tem	X_____	_____
Natasha Williams	X_____	_____
VACANT	_____	_____


THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2022.

**CITY OF SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA**

  
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 Khalid kamau, MAYOR

ATTEST:  
  
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 COREY E. ADAMS, SR., CITY CLERK



APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
 8/24/22  
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 VINCENT D. HYMAN, CITY ATTORNEY