

Proclamation

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CLAYTON COUNTY RECOGNIZES AND HONORS THE CHARLES DREW HIGH SCHOOL 2014 LADY TITANS REGIONAL BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS

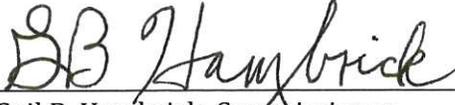
WHEREAS: The Charles Drew High School Girls Basketball Team, known as the Lady Titans, finished this season as the Region 4-AAAAA Champions with an overall record of 25-4 and advanced to the Final Four of the Georgia State Basketball Tournament; and

WHEREAS: Under the leadership of Head Coach Cadence Jackson, Principal Gary Townsend, Athletic Director Jarett Laws, Assistant Coaches Chris Smith, Crystal Moody and Kent Solcumb, as well as Team Manager Kanisha Robinson, the Lady Titans team has established a tradition of excellence on the court and in the classroom, based upon the principles of hard work, teamwork, discipline, and dedication. Coach Jackson received the Atlanta Journal Constitution South Side Girls Basketball Coach of the Year Award, the Clayton County Girls Basketball Coach of the Year Award, and the Region 4-AAAAA Coach of the Year Award; and

WHEREAS: Senior Lakiah Sims was voted "Clayton County Player of the Year." Additionally, she was selected as a member of the Region 4-AAAAA and Atlanta Journal Constitution All State 1st Teams, participant in the Georgia Coaches Athletic Association Senior All-Star Game, and recipient of the Charles Drew High School George Sutherland Sportsmanship Award. Lakiah will be attending Palm Beach State College in Lakeworth, Florida. Senior Imani Richards will be joining the armed forces. Other team members include freshmen Naiya Johnson and Asia Travis; sophomores Jada Hargrove and Selena Robinson; and juniors Destiny Braddy, Shaunteria Gayden, Alexis Henderson, Timahia Holloway, Alexis Hunt, Rickia Jackson, and Toxiana Wilson; now

THEREFORE: I, Gail B. Hambrick, Commissioner, on behalf of the Clayton County Board of Commissioners, do hereby celebrate the Charles Drew High School Lady Titans, as well as the coaches, support staff, and parents who have helped the team members become outstanding ambassadors for Clayton County. They are a shining example and true representation of the kind of students and athletes our County is producing.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of Clayton County, Georgia, to be affixed this 20th day of May in the year two thousand fourteen.



Gail B. Hambrick, Commissioner

