

**CLAYTON COUNTY RECOGNIZES
PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INC.
NATIONAL FOUNDERS' DAY, JANUARY 9, 2014**

- WHEREAS:** Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity,, Inc. (PBS) was founded on the campus of Howard University in Washington, DC in 1914. The brothers of Phi Beta Sigma are the Fraternity's most valuable resource and strength. They are the primary means by which the Phi Beta Sigma objectives will be achieved. In order to accomplish the Fraternity's objectives, it is essential that systems are instituted that effectively embody "Culture For Service and Service For Humanity" and promote brotherhood, scholarship and service; and
- WHEREAS:** Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity has approximately 160,000 members, 856 chapters, worldwide developing and implementing Global Leadership Through Timeless Service programming intended to help transform the economic, educational and health outcomes of their local communities and the world. The number of lives impacted in the past year alone is 4,882,849. Its membership is comprised of distinguished men who boast excellent academic records, proven leadership skills, and are involved in the global community through advocacy and service. Phi Beta Sigma has dedicated itself to improving the quality of life for citizens worldwide and promoting peace; and
- WHEREAS:** Zeta Sigma Sigma Chapter, was chartered on June 6,1979, to serve both Clayton and Henry Counties has specifically partnered locally with Clayton County Public Schools, Southern Regional Hospital Foundation, Clayton County Department of Family and Children Services, Clayton County NAACP, and Clayton County Sheriff and Fraternity Brother Victor Hill to name a few in providing service where needed. The Chapter's combined service hours to date is approximately 40,000; Thanks to the re-charter members which are Former Clayton County Commissioner Wole Ralph, Jeff Smith , Timothy Kenney, Craig Harper, Roderick Debose, Anthony Crowell, Charles Hampton, Trameuz Washington, Edward Alston, Anthony Robinson. The celebration and importance of Founders' Day is acknowledged through various community projects such as health fairs, collections of toiletry items and can goods to be donated to local shelters and food banks, and the donation of books to schools and shelters on both the national and local level. Clayton County recognizes the continued dedication and commitment of the Brothers of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. and their leadership in the community; now
- THEREFORE:** I, Sonna Singleton, Commissioner, on behalf of the Clayton County Board of Commissioners, do hereby recognize 2014 National Founders' Day of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. in Clayton County, Georgia. I encourage all citizens to join in this celebration and tribute to the Brother of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. as they celebrate 100 years of "Culture For Service, Service for Humanity.

In witness thereof, I have here unto set my hand and caused the Seal of Clayton County, Georgia to be affixed this 7th day of January in the year two thousand fourteen.

Sonna Singleton, Commissioner