



Proclamation

City of South Fulton

Proclamation Honoring National Infertility Awareness Week

WHEREAS, According to the CDC, 1 in 7 women have trouble getting pregnant or sustaining a pregnancy; and

WHEREAS, The World Health Organization and American Medical Association define infertility as a disease; and

WHEREAS, Infertility affects women and men equally and does not discriminate based on race, religion, sexual orientation, marital status or socioeconomic level; and

WHEREAS, the LGBTQ community also faces challenges when building their families; and

WHEREAS, Some people become infertile due to medical treatment for another condition, most often chemotherapy or radiation for cancer; and

WHEREAS, Family building options include adoption and medical treatment, such as in vitro fertilization and third-party reproduction; and

WHEREAS, Cost and lack of insurance coverage are barriers for many in the City of South Fulton to access the family building options they need; and

WHEREAS, Raising awareness of infertility and the barriers faced by the family building community is the first step to removing these barriers; and

WHEREAS, the City of South Fulton joins RESOLVE: The National Infertility and Family Building Association, infertility advocate, Angie Booker, and dedicated volunteers, health care professionals, and members of the infertility and family building community by participating in this promotion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of South Fulton, Georgia, do hereby proclaim **April 19-25, 2026**, as **NATIONAL INFERTILITY AWARENESS WEEK** in City of South Fulton, GA.

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