

RESOLUTION TO CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF JAMES D.PAGE
TURNING 100 YEARS OLD

WHEREAS, on February 4, 2024, the community celebrated James D. Page turning the inspiring age of 100; one of the longest living residents in District 1;

WHEREAS, Mr. Page was born in Vidalia, Georgia in 1924; at age 25, he enlisted in the Army; was deployed overseas to Japan, England and France during World War II; where his company built bridges, roads, and landing fields for aircrafts to get to and from different locations; and he ended his military service ranked as Private First Class;

WHEREAS, his journeys led him to Greensboro, North Carolina (NC) where he worked at Hennis Freight Line in Winston- Salem, NC until retirement;

WHEREAS, Mr. Page joined Shiloh Baptist Church over 70 years ago; during that time he played an active role in the church including Deacon, Sunday school teacher, and sang in three choirs;

WHEREAS, Mr. Page enjoys spending time with family; playing golf and bowling; where he competed and won several trophies from these activities; and is known as a beacon of wisdom in the community;

WHEREAS, he's never met a stranger; is always prepared with a joke; and represents a living testament to a life fully lived and a history to cherish; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:

1. That the City Council wishes to express its sense of joy in celebrating this incredible milestone of 100 years of life. Let this resolution honor your journey and the legacy you've created for generations to come.
2. That a copy of this resolution shall be delivered to James D. Page as a symbol of the gratitude of the City of Greensboro for his contributions in the community and across the country.