RESOLUTION HONORING MR. THOMAS J. SCOTT SR., FORMER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE HAYES-TAYLOR MEMORIAL YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

WHEREAS, the Hayes-Taylor Memorial Young Men's Christian Association (YMCA), established in 1939, served as a cornerstone of the Greensboro community; provided invaluable programs and services that promotes youth development, healthy living, and social responsibility;

WHEREAS, Mr. Thomas J. Scott Sr. dedicated nearly three decades of exemplary service to the Hayes-Taylor Memorial YMCA; and served as its Executive Director from 1971 until retirement in 2000;

WHEREAS, under Mr. Scott's visionary leadership, the Hayes-Taylor YMCA underwent significant renovations and expansions, which included a major fundraising campaign initiated in 1985; the lead to the facility's reopening for summer camps and member activities in 1992, and its full dedication in 1995;

WHEREAS, Mr. Scott's commitment to the YMCA's mission fostered a welcoming environment that empowered individuals of all ages, backgrounds, and abilities to reach their full potential with dignity;

WHEREAS, his tenure was marked by unwavering dedication to strengthening the community, ensuring that the Hayes-Taylor YMCA remained a vital resource and gathering place for East Greensboro residents;

WHEREAS, Mr. Scott's legacy continues to inspire current and future leaders within the YMCA and the broader community; he exemplifies the values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility; and

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

- 1. That the Greensboro City Council hereby honors and expresses its deepest gratitude to Mr. Thomas J. Scott Sr. for his outstanding leadership, dedication, and lasting contributions to the Hayes-Taylor Memorial YMCA and the Greensboro community at large.
- 2. That in recognition of Mr. Scott's significant contributions to the City of Greensboro appropriate signage will be installed to honor his legacy.
- 3. That a copy of this resolution shall be presented to Mr. Thomas J. Scott Sr. as a token of the community's profound appreciation and esteem.