



Proclamation

WHEREAS, The CHARLES TOWNE CHAPTER, of the National Society Colonial Dames XVII Century of Charleston, South Carolina, is locally sponsoring **National Colonial Heritage Month** during the month of October 2024; and

WHEREAS, **National Colonial Heritage Month** brings to mind the first courageous settlers who arrived in America and who determined the direction for the formation of our country; and

Whereas, the members of this Society, by virtue of their lineal descent from those early arrivals, feel an obligation to work for the preservation of the priceless legacy that there early arrivals left to all American citizens; and

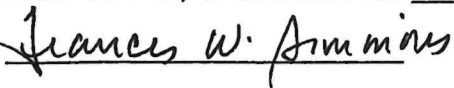
Whereas, they continue to convey the true meaning of the inheritance by reminding us that our privilege to live in a free country has stemmed from "loving our country, obeying its laws, respecting its flag and defending it against all enemies."

NOW THEREFORE, I, Brook Lyon and the members of Town Council, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS MAYOR OF THE TOWN OF JAMES ISLAND, SOUTH CAROLINA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 2024, AS

NATIONAL COLONIAL HERITAGE MONTH

In the Town of James Island, South Carolina, and encourage all citizens of the Town of James Island, to observe this month as a means of reinforcing the priceless legacy that we inherit with our citizenship, in order to help preserve our rich culture and heritage with deep respect for the principles upon which our great country was founded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town of James Island, South Carolina, to be affixed this 17 day of October 2024.



Frances Simmons, Town Clerk



Brook Lyon, Mayor