

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON

A RESOLUTION COMMENDING GARNETT COBB

Whereas, Garnett Cobb has lived in Sandy Springs for more than 50 years and has worked throughout that time to improve and better this community, and;

Whereas, Garnett Cobb was one of the primary forces in the community whose leadership and direction lead to the creation of the Sandy Springs Historic Community Foundation, Inc., know today as Heritage Sandy Springs , and;

Whereas, Garnett Cobb in her position as president of the Sandy Springs Garden Club acquired the Williams-Payne house for Sandy Springs and presented it to the Sandy Springs Historic Community Foundation as a gift to this community, and;

Whereas, Garnett Cobb worked tirelessly for more than two decades to restore the Williams-Payne House to acquire a collection of period furnishings for the Williams-Payne House and to maintain the Williams-Payne House as a house museum dedicated to preserving a record of life as it was in Sandy Springs more than 100 years ago, and;

Whereas, Garnett Cobb served the Sandy Springs Historic Community Foundation, Inc., as its treasurer and in other capacities from its founding until her health required her to step down in the late 1990s, and;

Whereas, Garnett Cobb through her financial contributions, through her recording of the history of the community through collecting oral histories from senior residents whose memories spanned back to the 19th century and through her ardent championing of efforts to preserve the history and heritage of Sandy Springs has played a pivotal role in the growth and success of Heritage Sandy Springs, and;

Whereas, Heritage Sandy Springs, because of the support and vision of Garnett Cobb and other like-minded citizens, has been the catalyst for making Sandy Springs one of the most desirable cities in the Atlanta Metropolitan area in which to live and work, and;

Whereas, Garnett Cobb, a highly-respected and beloved member of this community and outstanding community leader has attained the enviable age of 100 years, and;

Whereas, Garnett Cobb has devoted many of those years to improving the quality of life in Sandy Springs through her numerous activities, and continues to contribute to the vitality and well-being of Sandy Springs, bringing distinction to the community though her gracious leadership and dedication.

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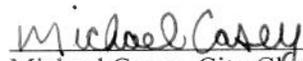
BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the City of Sandy Springs congratulates Garnett Cobb on the 100th anniversary of her birth, celebrates this momentous day with her and thanks her for her exemplary contribution to life in Sandy Springs.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of September, 2009.

Approved:


Eva Galambos, Mayor

Attest:


Michael Casey, City Clerk
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