

# *Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, the Greenfield Hebrew Academy was among several hundred schools that entered the Microsoft Bing competition called Our School Needs, and they won a grand prize of \$100,000; and

**WHEREAS**, under the direction of GHA's talented music teacher, Ori Salzberg, students posted a video entitled "Raising the Roof" on YouTube, which described how their roof leaked when it rained. It has been viewed almost 10,000 times; and

**WHEREAS**, after enormous community support through rounds of voting, GHA placed first with more than 1,700 votes; and

**WHEREAS**, realizing that their roof would not cost \$100,000 and that other schools have needs also, GHA decided to "Pay It Forward" and is donating money to purchase musical instruments for the James M. Singleton Marching Band in New Orleans, and

**WHEREAS**, schools play a vital role in building the future—one student at a time.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Eva Galambos, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Sandy Springs and on behalf of the City Council recognize the students of Greenfield Hebrew Academy for making a difference in the life of their school and in the lives of others in a school touched by tragedy.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia, on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2010.

Eva Galambos  
Mayor