

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JULY AS PARKS AND RECREATION MONTH AND TO
SUPPORT THE DEPARTMENT'S WORK OF BUILDING BETTER LIVES TO BUILD A
BETTER COMMUNITY

WHEREAS, the National Recreation and Park Association has celebrated the month of July as National Parks and Recreation Month since 1985; and our own Parks and Recreation Department has served Greensboro since 1933;

WHEREAS, during this time, this team of professionals has developed trust and relationships with the community while being innovative and efficient toward exceeding community needs;

WHEREAS, through the support of the City Council, Parks and Recreation Commission, community partners and dedicated professionals, the Parks and Recreation Department provides progressive leadership, and develops strong partnerships with public and private organizations to literally and figuratively change the landscape of Greensboro;

WHEREAS, the Department has been recognized nationally for best practice in terms of business operations and programming, and several of their team members are considered subject matter experts in the field, presenting at state and national conferences;

WHEREAS, the Department has committed to C.A.R.E.: 1) Create economic impacts; 2) Advance conservation; 3) Rejuvenate health and wellness; and 4) Enhance quality of life.

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

1. That it recognizes each and every July as Parks and Recreation Month.
2. That it expresses its support of the Greensboro Parks and Recreation Department, its staff, and their success with building better lives to build a better Greensboro.