

RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMORY OF THE LATE  
ANNIE FRANCES JOHNSON RICHMOND

WHEREAS, on August 21, 2018, this community lost one of its outstanding community leaders with the passing of the late Annie Frances Johnson Richmond;

WHEREAS, Ms. Richmond, a native of Orange County, North Carolina attended elementary school and Hillsborough High School in Hillsborough, NC; and made Greensboro her home in 1946;

WHEREAS, she continued her education at Guilford Technical Institute now known as Greensboro Technical Community College earning her high school diploma and certification in Child Nutrition;

WHEREAS, Ms. Richmond was employed by the Marriot Restaurant from 1951-1967; and completed her career with the Guilford County School System where she worked from 1967-1991 until retirement as a Cafeteria Manager for several schools;

WHEREAS, she joined Morning Star Chapter #591 OES, PHA in January, 1968; and was the Founding First Lady of New Hope Missionary Baptist Church in August, 1968;

WHEREAS Ms. Richmond was a member of the Deaconess Ministry (Emeritus); a member of the General State Usher and Guilford Missionary Association; served as Worthy Matron from 1975-1977; and was a member the Morning Star Chapter for 50 years;

WHEREAS, she served as President of the Mount Zion Baptist Church Usher Board for 18 years; as the Auditor for the Women's Auxiliary; and organized the set-up of the Usher's Ministry for Fair Grove Baptist Church in Summerfield, NC and St. Mark Holiness Church in Greensboro, NC;

WHEREAS, Ms. Richmond established the "People's Vacation Club" which allowed many to enjoy vacation experiences;

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to express its sense of loss and sincere appreciation and gratitude for the many years of dedicated public service rendered by Annie Frances Johnson Richmond, the outstanding contributions she has made to the community, and the legacy she leaves.

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

1. That the City Council wishes to express its condolences, and offer its sincere appreciation and gratitude for her many years of dedicated public service. Her legacy will be remembered by the outstanding contributions she has made to the community.
2. That a copy of this resolution shall be delivered to the family of the late Annie Frances Johnson Richmond as a symbol of the gratitude of the people of Greensboro for her many contributions to this community.