## City of Charlotte, North Carolina Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Junior of Charlotte is committed to promoting voluntarism, to developing the potential of women, and to improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers; and

WHEREAS, the Junior League of Charlotte is an organization dedicated to positive change and is committed to making a difference in the lives of children to make sure they are all school-ready by focusing on health and educational needs of children from birth to fifth grade in priority areas in Mecklenburg County; and

WHEREAS, the Junior League of Charlotte contributes to Charlotte's citizens' successful initiatives such as the Baby Home, the Junior League of Charlotte Wearhouse, the Children's Theatre, the Charlotte Nature Museum, Discovery Place, the Council for Children's Rights, Charlotte Speech and Hearing, Thompson Child Development Center, Reid Park Academy, and the Levine Children's Hospital Family Resource Center; and

WHEREAS, over the past 95 years, the Junior League of Charlotte has contributed over 1.6 million volunteer hours and more than \$13.7 million to the Charlotte community; and

WHEREAS, the Junior League of Charlotte is an integral part of the Charlotte community and is being recognized for celebrating their 95<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and for their contributions to our community:

NOW THEREFORE, I, Vi Alexander Lyles, Mayor of Charlotte, do hereby proclaim September 21, 2020 as

## "JUNIOR LEAGUE OF CHARLOTTE DAY"

and recognize the positive impact the Junior League of Charlotte has had on the Charlotte community and joins with them as they celebrate their 95th anniversary.

WITNESS MY HAND and the official Seal of the City of Charlotte.

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Vi Alexander Lyles
Mayor