



**PROCLAMATION
CELEBRATING THE 88TH BIRTHDAY OF
DOLORES L. HAYES**

WHEREAS, Dolores L. Hayes was born May 22, 1933 in Camden, New Jersey. Although faced with adverse challenges throughout her life she displayed incredible self-discipline and dedication to fulfill her dreams. Despite being forced to drop out of Trenton Central High School to obtain a full-time job she persevered and became the first of her eleven siblings to receive a high school diploma; and

WHEREAS, Dolores L. Hayes is a trailblazer who embarked upon a career that was considered nontraditional as well as recreational activities where there were few women. Ms. Dolores L. Hayes was gainfully employed for many years as a soderer and also studied martial arts; and

WHEREAS, Dolores L. Hayes is the Matriarch of the family and considered a sweet loving soul who spent most of her adult life creating a balanced foundation for her four children, nine grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Dolores L. Hayes relocated to Willingboro, in 1996 and lovingly serves as the provider, protector and disciplinarian while offering a great support system to family and friends. Ms. Hayes is known to share with everyone she encounters her belief that earning a college degree allows for access to a better life.

WHEREAS, Dolores L. Hayes is a dedicated member of The Reva Foster Senior Center where she enjoyed attending events, field trips and scheduled activities prior to the COVID-19 restrictions. Ms. Hayes is also a devout Christian and served as a devoted member at the same church for 52 years;

WHEREAS, Dolores L. Hayes is a living example that anything is achievable, with determination and perseverance; she will be honored by friends and relatives on this momentous occasion of her 88th birthday on May 22, 2021; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, I, Dr. Tiffani A. Worthy, Mayor of the Township of Willingboro, along with the Willingboro Township Council, and Willingboro residents do hereby deem it an honor and pleasure to extend sincere congratulations to Dolores L. Hayes on her 88th Birthday Celebration.


Dr. Tiffani A. Worthy
Mayor

*In Witness whereof I
hereunto Set My Hand
and Seal of Willingboro
Township this 22nd day
of May 2021*