

## OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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## A PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING DECEMBER 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2021 AS BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB DAY AND CELEBRATING THE 25<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF THE CITY OF HARRISONBURG

Whereas, the young people of Harrisonburg are tomorrow's leaders; and,

Whereas, Boys & Girls Clubs of Harrisonburg and Rockingham County are focused on enabling young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens through programs focused on academic success, healthy lifestyles, good character and citizenship; and,

Whereas, Boys & Girls Clubs in the City of Harrisonburg has provided youth development services to more than 300 young people ages 5-18 annually; and,

Whereas, Boys and Girls Clubs in our city help ensure our young people have a safe, inclusive and supportive environment to go and provides our youth with caring adult mentors; and,

**Whereas,** Boys & Girls Clubs has provided vital academic support for the community's schools and has supported the well-being of our youth and families during the height of the Covid-19 pandemic; and,

Whereas, the Boys & Girls Club in the City of Harrisonburg will celebrate its 25 years of providing essential after-school programs and services to thousands of our youth and families during its quarter-century of service.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that I, Deanna R Reed, Mayor of the City of Harrisonburg, does hereby proclaim December 21<sup>st</sup> 2021, as Boys & Girls Club Day in Harrisonburg, Virginia, and encourages our citizens to recognize and commend the Boys & Girls Club in our City for providing comprehensive, effective services to the young people in our communities.

GIVEN ui	nder my hand this day	of December, 2021.		
		BY:		
			Deanna R. Reed, Mayor	
ATTEST:				
	Pamela Ulmer, City Clerk			