



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, CITY OF GREENVILLE

Proclamation

WHEREAS, April has been designated as National Donate Life Month in honor of the generosity of the American people who have donated organs, tissue, marrow and blood;

WHEREAS, more than 110,000 men, women and children in the United States currently need life-saving organ transplants and more than 3,300 of those people are North Carolinians;

WHEREAS, one donor can save the lives of up to eight people and improve many more lives through tissue and cornea donation;

WHEREAS, providing facts about donation and dispelling misinformation and myths are key to increasing the number of people who sign up as donors; and

WHEREAS, North Carolinians are encouraged to get the facts about donation, discuss their wishes with their family and sign up as donors via the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) or online at www.donatelifenc.org.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Patricia C. Dunn, Mayor of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, do hereby proclaim the month of April, 2011 as

DONATE LIFE MONTH

in Greenville, and encourage citizens to consider registering with the State's donor registry and to share this decision with family and friends.

This 29th day of March, 2011.

Patricia C. Dunn, Mayor