WHEREAS, the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Coalition of Pitt County was established in 1990 and reestablished in 2007;

WHEREAS, the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Coalition of Pitt County's mission is to preserve the legacy of Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs);

WHEREAS, the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Coalition of Pitt County coordinates and support the activities of the Alumni Associations of HBCUs located in the Greenville/Pitt County area;

WHEREAS, the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Coalition of Pitt County will sponsor an annual College Fair on December 12, 2009; and

WHEREAS, the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Coalition of Pitt County wishes to salute the former Mayor Pro-Tem/Council Member Mildred Atkinson Council, MSW, a graduate of Shaw University, for her 22 years of dedicated service to the City of Greenville

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Patricia C. Dunn, Mayor of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, do hereby proclaim December 12, 2009 as

HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES COALITION OF PITT COUNTY DAY

in Greenville and ask all citizens to join this organization in recognizing former Mayor Pro-Tem/Council Member Mildred Atkinson Council for her extraordinary years of service to our city.

This 7th day of December, 2009.

Patricia C. Dunn, Mayor	