



Office of the Mayor
City of Greenville

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Civitan International was founded on March 17, 1917 in Birmingham, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, the Civitan Club of Greenville was founded on April 17, 1956; and

WHEREAS, the Civitan Club of Greenville provides opportunities for personal, professional, and civic development as its members engage in meaningful and rewarding community projects; and

WHEREAS, the Greenville Civitan Club of Greenville has contributed time, work, and funds to help mentally and physically challenged children and adults in Greenville and Pitt County; and

WHEREAS, the Greenville Civitan Club annually makes financial gifts to the Civitan International Research Center at the University of Alabama at Birmingham to support research and treatment of mental retardation and other developmental disabilities; and

WHEREAS, the Greenville Civitan Club has provided generous funds to the Children's Hospital of the Duke University Medical Center, the Children's Telethon, and Boys and Girls Homes of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the Civitan Club of Greenville has emphasized responsible and worthy citizenship by honoring an outstanding community leader each year as the citizen of the year; and

WHEREAS, the Civitan Club of Greenville has promoted effective citizenship by presenting the Civitan Citizenship award and scholarship to a senior student in each of the six high schools of Pitt County, namely, Ayden-Grifton, D. H. Conley, Farmville Central, J. H. Rose, North Pitt, and South Central; and

WHEREAS, the Greenville Civitan Club as builders of good citizenship has built and sponsors the Pactolus School Junior Civitan Club to enhance students' citizenship development and help them become tomorrow's leaders;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert D. Parrott, Mayor of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, do hereby designate the month of April, 2007 as

CIVITAN AWARENESS MONTH

and encourage the residents of Greenville to support and take pride in the worthwhile efforts of Civitan International and in the civic service of Greenville Civitans to make our community a better place in which to live.

This 30th day of March, 2007.

Robert D. Parrott, Mayor