

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, CITY OF GREENVILLE

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WHEREAS, the J. H. Rose Band Boosters are hosting the 5th Annual Greenville Rose Band Classic held at the Rose High School Athletic Complex, on Saturday, October 20, 2007 from 1:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the Greenville Rose Band Classic brings between 3,000 and 4,000 attendees to the City of Greenville with 20-25 Marching Bands participating; and

WHEREAS, the J. H. Rose Band Boosters are requesting the continued support by the City of Greenville to Arts in the Schools; and

WHEREAS, J. H. Rose High School Bands have proven their musical and marching abilities through the years by their continuing achievements of regional accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, music plays an increasingly important role in our world today and is one of the most sublime of human pursuits and is subscribed to by all races and creeds; and

WHEREAS, music is the language of all people and one of the greatest forces in creating peace and harmony; and

WHEREAS, music has been proven to increase math and reading scores while promoting teamwork and self-discipline;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert D. Parrott, Mayor of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, do hereby proclaim October 20, 2007 as

5TH ANNUAL GREENVILLE ROSE BAND DAY

and urge all citizens of Greenville and the surrounding communities to join together in honoring and supporting these talented and hard-working young people and their recently established Greenville tradition.

This 1st day of October, 2007.

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