



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, CITY OF GREENVILLE

# *Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. is a 90,000 – member nonprofit collegiate sorority dedicated to the encouragement and promotion of high scholastic attainment, community service and improvement in the quality of life through its chapters, members and affiliates located throughout the United States, Korea, Bermuda, Africa, Bahamas, Germany, Canada, and the Caribbean.;

**WHEREAS**, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., through its mission seeks to address programs, projects, and concerns that impact society educationally, socially, politically, and economically;

**WHEREAS**, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. is sponsoring its **Seventeenth Annual Adolescent Youth Symposium** simultaneously in local communities across the nation on Saturday, March 8, 2014,

**WHEREAS**, the local members of Zeta Pi Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. will hold their symposium on March 8, 2014, at Vidant Wellness Center;

**WHEREAS**, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. through this year's nationwide symposium agenda, will seek to help youths come to grips with peer-pressuring challenges that may deal with making healthy choices, healthy living, healthy generation,

**WHEREAS**, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. has called upon the participation of a panel of community authorities to share facts regarding some of the consequences that may be faced by young people who have self-esteem and peer pressure issues, and

**WHEREAS**, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. is requesting all area junior/senior high schools, sororities/fraternities, social/civic organizations, and youth services agencies to support the intent of this symposium by promoting the attendance and participation of their students and youth groups;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Allen M. Thomas, Mayor of the City of Greenville, do hereby proclaim Saturday, March 8, 2014, to be

## **SIGMA GAMMA RHO SORORITY YOUTH DAY**

in the City of Greenville and I call on citizens to join me in congratulating the members of Zeta Pi Sigma chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. for their efforts to encourage and guide our youths. As such, we wish for the chapter and the sorority much success in all of their future endeavors.

This 7th day of March, 2014.

  
Allen M. Thomas, Mayor