



- **WHEREAS:** The City of College Park Recreation and Cultural Arts Department, College Park Tumbleweeds Gymnastics Team had a successful 2022-2023 season which ran from August 2022 through May 2023, servicing over fifty-three youth; and
- **WHEREAS:** The College Park Tumbleweeds had thirty-two athletes qualify for the United State of America (USA) Gymnastics, Georgia State Championships; and
- WHEREAS: The College Park Tumbleweeds Armature Athletic Union (AAU) Level 3 team competed in the Experienced Division at the State Championship and placed first, April 22, 2023, in Carrolton, Georgia. Awardees to include Team members: Bailey Fry-Jones, Lailah Abdur-Rahman, Mecca Mitchell, Isabella Brown, Phoenix Glenn, Avery France, Maddison Jones, Makkah Shabazz, Kyra Tabor, and Jaliyah Wright; and
- WHEREAS: The College Park Tumbleweeds had five individual State Champions. Awardees include Lailah Abdur-Rahman on Balance Beam, Maddison Jones on Floor Exercise, Hannah Sallie on Vault, Siena Maldonado on Balance Beam and All Around, and Erin McLemore on Vault, Bars, Floor and All Around; and
- WHEREAS: The College Park Tumbleweeds Xcel Gold gymnasts, Wynter Foster, Marisa Houston, Erin McLemore and Xcel Platinum Gymnast Reagan Bowen, Nia Calix, and Siena Maldonado were United State of America (USA) Gymnastics Region 8 qualifiers and competed against eight States, May 5, 2023, at Broward Convention Center in Fort Lauderdale, Florida; and
- **WHEREAS:** Xcel Platinum gymnast Siena Maldonado placed first on Vault and Floor at the United State of America (USA) Gymnastics Regional Championships; and
- **WHEREAS:** Two gymnasts earned a spot on the Top 100 Gymnast in the Country. Siena Maldonado on Vault at number seventy-two and McLemore on Vault at number seventy-five; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of College Park that College Park Tumbleweeds is recognized for their hard work, and accomplishments during the 2022-2023 season at the local, state, and regional level of competition.

PROCLAIMED THIS 17th DATE OF JULY 2023.

CITY OF COLLEGE PARK

Bianca Motley Broom, Mayor

Ambrose Clay, Councilman

Joe Carn. Councilman

Ken Allen, Councilman

Roderick D. Gay, Councilman

ATTEST:

Shavala Moore, City Clerk