

Proclamation

WHEREAS, city government is the closest to most citizens, and the one with the most direct daily impact upon its residents; and

WHEREAS, city government is administered for and by its citizens, and is dependent upon public commitment to and understanding of its many responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, city government officials and employees share the responsibility to pass along their understanding of public services and their benefits; and

WHEREAS, Georgia Cities Week is a very important time to recognize the important role played by city government in our lives; and

WHEREAS, this week offers an important opportunity to spread the word to all the citizens of Georgia and they can shape and influence this branch of government which is closest to the people; and

WHEREAS, the Georgia Municipal Association and its members cities have joined together to teach students and other citizens about municipal government through a variety of different projects and information; and

WHEREAS, Georgia Cities Week offers an important opportunity to convey to all the citizens of Georgia that they can shape and influence government through their civic involvement.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Mayor and Council hereby recognize and proclaim April 22 – 28, 2007, as *GEORGIA CITIES WEEK* in the City of Milton and encourage all citizens, city government officials and employees to recognize this week and celebrate it accordingly.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the City of Milton, Georgia on this 12th day of April, 2007.



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Joe Lockwood, Mayor