

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the organization <u>Let There Be Mom (LTBM)</u> was founded in 2007 by Greenville area resident *Kipra Anderson* - her goal: Help Moms, and now Dads, who have been diagnosed with a life threatening illness focus on their recovery while LTBM focus on tangible ways to preserve, for their children, the traditions their families have started, the memories they have made and the hopes and dreams they have for their children, and give them something to embrace and share with generations to come; and

WHEREAS, since the beginning, Kipra has worked tirelessly to make **LTBM** a success and has made an impact on the lives of some of the most saddened and grieved, as told directly to this office by one of the 67 families and 150 children **LTBM** has helped. They are currently serving 11 new families.

NOW THEREFORE, I, **Knox H. White**, as Mayor of the City of Greenville and as a way to honor and commend Kipra Anderson for her compassion, loving spirit, understanding heart and unwavering faith, I hereby proclaim Friday, **November 1**, **2013** and every November 1st hereinafter as:

"KIPRA ANDERSON LET THERE BE MOM DAY"

in the City of Greenville, and encourage all citizens to be aware of Kipra's contributions and know that we all have the gift to help others. Kipra Anderson acted on her gift. She is one to emulate.

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Signed, sealed & delivered this <u>1st</u> day of <u>November</u>, <u>2013</u>.

Knox H. White, Mayor Greenville, South Carolina