

## **Proclamation**

## On a motion from **Councilor Joe Dill**

Members of Greenville County Council wish to acknowledge and honor the

## 2022 NCAA Division-II World Series Champions

WHEREAS; the top-seeded and nationally ranked North Greenville Crusaders defeated No. 2 seed Point Loma Nazarene University 5-3 in the title game at the USA Baseball National Training Complex in Cary, North Carolina, on Friday, June 10, 2022, in the program's first-ever trip to the national championship; and

**WHEREAS** the Crusaders went 4-0 to take the series as only the second Conference Carolinas baseball team to win the title; and

**WHEREAS**, under the leadership of Head Coach Landon Powell, North Greenville University's baseball team have won five Conference Carolinas Championships, four regular season conference championships, have had five Southeast Regional appearances, and two Southeast Super Regional appearances; and

**WHEREAS**, the Crusaders ended their extraordinary 2022 season with the school's best-ever 54-10 record, a pitching staff ranked 8<sup>th</sup> in the nation in earned-run average, and a lineup that finished 16<sup>th</sup> in the nation in batting average.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, Greenville County Council would like to congratulate the tremendous student-athletes of the North Greenville University Baseball Team and their coaches who made history winning the 2022 NCAA Division-II National Championship.

Signed on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2022

Willis Meadows, Chairman Greenville County Council

