City of Annapolis



City Council Citation



On behalf of the residents of the City of Annapolis, we are please to confer upon you this City Council Citation in recognition of The City's "Annapolis United: Love Our Children - Love Our Neighbors - Peace Is Here - Stop the Violence" initiative began in March 2022. As part of this initiative, on August 10, 2022, the Annapolis Recreation and Parks Department hosted 15 youth on a two-hour "Black History Tour of Downtown Annapolis." After the tour, the children were treated to some very delicious ice cream at Chick & Ruth's Delly, Ward 1. Owner Mr. Keith Jones, until his death, was "a Black businessman on the predominantly white Main Street that hadn't had Black ownership since the 19th Century." The significance of this ice cream treat for these African-American children signifies the essence of "Annapolis United." We thank the Jones family for truly making this tour a memorable educational and wellness event and entrepreneurial history in real time.

Presented to:

Chick and Ruth's Delly

Given Under Our Hands & the Great Seal of the City of Hnnapolis this 12th day of December

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