

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Youth Art Month is a National observance each March that encourages students to participate in the visual arts; and

WHEREAS, the Wiregrass Museum of Art supports this initiative annually by showcasing various works of art by Wiregrass Region preK – 12 students in the museum galleries along with numerous events and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Wiregrass Museum of Art will host the 2nd Congressional Art Competition, which recognizes and encourages artistic talent across the nation, as well as in our congressional district; and

WHEREAS, in addition, the Wiregrass Museum of Art provides year-round opportunities and resources for students to explore their creativity, and experience meaningful learning through art; and

WHEREAS, access to art and arts education builds critical learning and life skills beyond the classroom, forming students who will be engaged and innovative contributors to their community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Saliba, Mayor of the City of Dothan, and in such capacity, do hereby proclaim the month of March, 2022 as

"WIREGRASS MUSEUM OF ART - YOUTH ART MONTH"

in the City of Dothan.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Dothan to be affixed the 22nd day of March, 2022.

SEAL

Attest:

Wendy Shiver
City Clerk



Mark Saliba
Mayor