

The City of Charlotte



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the City of Charlotte, in the State of North Carolina, in the United States of American and the City of Kumasi, in the Ashanti Region, in the Republic of Ghana are celebrating 27 years of sister city partnership; and

WHEREAS this relationship was the seventh sister city partnership marked with the signing of agreement on August 12, 1995 by Mayor Richard Vinroot of Charlotte and Lieutenant Colonel Emmanuel Okyere, Metropolitan Chief Executive of the Kumasi; and

WHEREAS the City of Charlotte wishes to affirm our commitment to fostering international diplomacy and mutual understanding in celebration of this long-standing relationship; and

WHEREAS the continuation of this relationship will encourage interconnectedness between our citizens, schools, and businesses through efforts of the Charlotte Sister Cities Association; and

WHEREAS the benefits of economic, cultural, and educational exchange can cultivate growth and community development; and

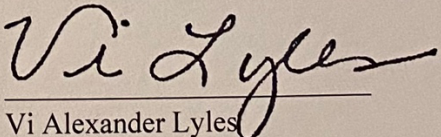
WHEREAS the City of Charlotte welcomes Mayor Samuel Pyne, Metropolitan Chief Executive of the Kumasi, and his delegation, with every hope for the continuation fruitful and strong partnership between our cities,

NOW, THEREFORE, I Vi Alexander Lyles, Mayor of Charlotte, do hereby proclaim Monday, September 19, 2022 as

“KUMASI DAY”

in Charlotte, and encourage all businesses, schools, families and individuals to join in celebrating Charlotte’s connections to Ghana and the world through the observance of this anniversary.

WITNESS MY HAND and the official Seal of the City of Charlotte.


Vi Alexander Lyles
Mayor