



Proclamation on

Whereas, Earth Day was founded by Senator Gaylord Nelson on April 22, 1970 and is an annual event created to celebrate our Earth's environment and raise awareness about pollution; and

Whereas, Earth Day is important because it raises awareness of the impact we have on the environment and what can be done about it, celebrating by planting trees, cleaning up a stream or helping your community; and

Whereas, The City of Stonecrest is blessed with spaces such as Everett Park, South River running along the riverbank, and Arabia Mountain National Heritage Area, a 400-million-year-old nature preserve within our footprint; and

Whereas, these public lands enrich the lives of both residents and visitors alike, providing irreplaceable habitat for countless flora and fauna, as well as sustainable natural resources; and

Whereas, the planting of sunflowers, a 12-foot-tall flower with a yellow flower head in 60 days and finishing with food for chickadees, northern cardinals, and blue jays; and

Whereas, the sunflower symbolizes loyalty and adoration for its beauty, bringing a source of joy and spiritual renewal. It also draws attention to the environment and promotes conservation and sustainability in the City of Stonecrest.

NOW THEREFORE, be it proclaimed that Mayor Jazzmin Cobble and the Stonecrest City Council urge all citizens to be vigilant in the protection against the many threats posed to our environment while supporting the sustainability of our city, the place we call home and declare April 22, 2023, as

EARTH DAY in The City of Stonecrest

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and
caused the Seal of the City of Stonecrest, Georgia, to
be affixed this 22nd day of April 2023

Mayor Jazzmin Cobble

City of Stonecrest, Georgia