



# PROCLAMATION

ONE CITY. ONE JACKSONVILLE.

**WHEREAS:** In Jacksonville, young entrepreneurs and their business ventures should be recognized, celebrated, and supported by our community; and

**WHEREAS:** Across the nation, there is a significant need for avenues whereby young people can develop the skills and knowledge to become successful young entrepreneurs; and

**WHEREAS:** Young business owners thrive and flourish under the encouragement, advocacy, and support of their local community and its leadership; and

**WHEREAS:** Entrepreneurship can be a path for young people to learn financial responsibility and smart business skills by helping them earn money, manage money, and save money; and

**WHEREAS:** Youth entrepreneur Christianna Alexander, founder and owner of Sweet Christi's and The Sweet Squad, is a catalyst for bringing entrepreneurship opportunities to the youth of the City of Jacksonville; and

**WHEREAS:** In Jacksonville, our city's youth will see other young people achieving greatness and serving the community through entrepreneurship, and will be motivated by their peers to be successful and make a positive impact on our community.

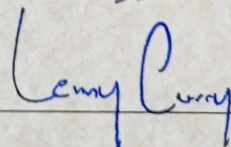
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, LENNY CURRY,** by virtue of the authority vested in me as mayor of Jacksonville, Florida, do hereby proclaim July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021 as

## YOUNG BIZ KID DAY

in Jacksonville and encourage all citizens to recognize the tremendous impact that young entrepreneurs have on our community through their entrepreneurship, leadership, philanthropy, volunteerism, and community service.



IN WITNESS THEREOF, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June  
in the year Two Thousand 21



MAYOR

CITY OF JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA