

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS,** after graduating Middle Tennessee State University, Southern Baptist Seminary and Drew University School of Theology, Dr. Mack Hannah devoted more than 32 years of his life to ministry; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Mack Hannah was formerly Vice President of Spiritual Development at Belmont University and Senior Pastor of Harpeth Heights Baptist Church in Nashville, Tennessee; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Mack Hannah has been an involved member of Dunwoody community for over 11 years, serving as Senior Pastor of Dunwoody Baptist Church from 2003 until January 11, 2015; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Mack Hannah is known as a highly relational and conciliatory pastor of the people. His heart is for our community and his focus is on discipleship and outreach; and
- WHEREAS,** during Dr. Mack Hannah’s tenure, new programs have formed at DBC such as Celebrate Recovery and a foster care and adoption ministry. Additionally, he led a successful Capital Stewardship Campaign that raised over \$4.5 million for church improvements; and
- WHEREAS,** in addition to his exemplary performance as Senior Pastor of Dunwoody Baptist Church, Dr. Mack Hannah has demonstrated his commitment to the community by serving as chaplain to the Dunwoody High School football team and as mentor to the DHS Fellowship of Christian Athletes organization and the Murphy Candler baseball organization; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Mack Hannah has encouraged the students of Belmont University and the congregations he has served to participate in missionary activities at home and abroad and has personally participated in mission programs throughout the United States and in twenty countries around the world; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Mack Hannah encouraged and personally participated in social ministries, including leading Belmont University in Nashville, Tennessee in the building of a Habitat House in 2003; and
- WHEREAS,** after laying a strong foundation for the future of Dunwoody Baptist Church, Dr. Mack Hannah’s decision to retire will allow him to spend more time enjoying his family and serving his community.

NOW THEREFORE, I Michael G. Davis, Mayor of the City of Dunwoody, do hereby recognize and commend Dr. Mack Hannah for his selfless service to the ministry of Dunwoody Baptist Church, his contributions to our community, and the inspiration he has provided to his colleagues, friends, and family.

FURTHERMORE, I hereby proclaim January 11, 2015 as

Dr. Mack Hannah Day

in the City of Dunwoody and urge all citizens to join me in recognizing Dr. Hannah for all of his accomplishments.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Dunwoody, Georgia, to be affixed, the 8th day of December, 2014.

City of Dunwoody

Michael G. Davis, Mayor

Attest:

Sharon Lowery, City Clerk