



City of Winston-Salem

Proclamation

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

- WHEREAS:** The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem was founded on October 3, 1935, with the intent to bring quality theatrical experiences to the city of Winston-Salem; and
- WHEREAS:** The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem is embarking on 90 years of serving the city through entertainment, education, and arts enrichment, and is the oldest theatrical arts organization in the city with a long history of arts support and advocacy; and
- WHEREAS:** The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem has presented professional-quality community theatre for generations where thousands have experienced spectacular productions as audience members, as well as the thrill of collaborating and creating onstage and backstage; and
- WHEREAS:** Annually, The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem brings over 12,000 people downtown, and provides learning and creative opportunities for hundreds of volunteers; and
- WHEREAS:** The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem through partnerships with area non-profits and the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County school system provides costumes, props, and set pieces that enhance the area's arts endeavors; and
- WHEREAS:** The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem is honored to present over the next year its 90th season, which is full of mystery, comedy, and its signature quality production values; and
- WHEREAS:** The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem is proud of its history within the community and looks forward to the part it will continue to play in the *City of the Arts and Innovation*.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. ALLEN JOINES, Mayor of the City of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, do hereby proclaim Monday, February 5, 2024 as

LITTLE THEATRE OF WINSTON-SALEM DAY

Given under my hand and seal this 5th day of February, 2024.

J. ALLEN JOINES

Mayor