



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
Olive Branch, Mississippi

Proclamation

WHEREAS, internal auditing is a vital part of strengthening organizations and protecting stakeholders of both the public and private sectors; and

WHEREAS, internal auditing helps identify and manage the organization's risks and ensure policies, procedures, and controls are in place and working appropriately; and

WHEREAS, internal auditing is an increasingly sophisticated and complex activity requiring specialized knowledge, training, and education; and

WHEREAS, internal auditing is an established profession, with a globally recognized code of ethics and *International Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing*; and

WHEREAS, The Institute of Internal Auditors is the internal audit profession's most widely recognized advocate, educator, and provider of standards, guidance, and certifications; and

WHEREAS, historically, the global internal audit profession promotes awareness about its value during the month of May each year; and

WHEREAS, the contribution of internal auditors to the success of organizations and the global economy at large deserves our recognition and commendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kenneth R. Adams, Mayor of the City of Olive Branch, and the Board of Aldermen, do hereby proclaim the Month of May as **International Internal Audit Awareness Month**. Further, I hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all observing International Internal Audit Awareness Month, and I invite the citizens of Olive Branch to join me in recognizing professional internal auditors for their contribution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand,
this 1st day of May, in the year two thousand twenty-two.



Kenneth R. Adams, Mayor
City of Olive Branch, Mississippi