

RESOLUTION BY THE MAYOR & ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF SAVANNAH  
TO ACCEPT A MONETARY DONATION  
FOR THE CLEANING AND RESTORATION OF THE SILENCE STATUE

**WHEREAS**, the Bonaventure Historical Society wishes to donate funds for the cleaning and restoration of the Silence statue located in Laurel Grove North Cemetery;

**WHEREAS**, the Silence statue was vandalized on multiple instances throughout July 2020, causing extensive damage;

**WHEREAS**, a local tour provider, Shannon Scott Tours, organized an online fundraising campaign to raise funds for the cleaning and restoration of the Silence statue;

**WHEREAS**, Shannon Scott Tours presented the donation to the Bonaventure Historical Society with the intent to pass the proceeds to the City of Savannah;

**WHEREAS**, the Bonaventure Historical Society wishes to present the donation in the amount of \$4,120.00 to the City of Savannah;

**WHEREAS**, the donated funds will be used to cover expenses related to the removal of graffiti and the repair of damages to the Silence statue;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Mayor & Aldermen of the City of Savannah do hereby accept the donation of \$4,120.00 from the Bonaventure Historical Society on behalf of Shannon Scott Tours for the cleaning and restoration of the Silence statue in Laurel Grove North Cemetery, and thanks to all contributors for their generosity.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 SAVANNAH, GEORGIA

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Van R. Johnson II, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_