

Council of the City of Philadelphia Office of the Chief Clerk Room 402, City Hall Philadelphia

(Resolution No. 240167)

RESOLUTION

Celebrating Meredith Foote's trailblazing leadership as Executive Director of the TGR Learning Lab at The Cobbs Creek Golf Course on the occasion of Women's History Month.

WHEREAS, Women's History Month provides an opportunity to celebrate the remarkable achievements and contributions of women throughout history, and to recognize contemporary trailblazers who are shaping the future; and

WHEREAS, Meredith Foote, an esteemed educator and veteran school principal of the Overbrook Environmental Center, exemplifies the spirit of Women's History Month through her groundbreaking leadership as the executive director of the TGR Learning Lab at the Cobbs Creek Golf Course, marking a historic milestone in educational innovation and community development; and

WHEREAS, Foote's appointment represents a significant step forward in the representation of women in leadership roles, particularly in fields traditionally dominated by men, and serves as an inspiration to future generations of female leaders in education and beyond; and

WHEREAS, With a steadfast commitment to educational equity and empowerment, Foote brings a wealth of experience and expertise to her role, leveraging her background as a respected elementary school principal in West Philadelphia to guide the development of innovative programming at the TGR Learning Lab; and

WHEREAS, Foote's visionary approach encompasses a comprehensive educational enrichment program, encompassing STEAM education, health and well-being initiatives, and college and career readiness guidance, with a focus on serving students from underserved communities in Philadelphia; and

WHEREAS, Under Foote's leadership, the TGR Learning Lab at the Cobbs Creek Golf Course is poised to become a beacon of opportunity and empowerment for young people, providing them with the skills, resources, and support they need to succeed in school, careers, and life; and

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WHEREAS, As we celebrate Women's History Month, we honor Meredith Foote for her trailblazing leadership, dedication to educational excellence, and commitment to empowering the next generation of leaders, and we commend her for her transformative impact on the lives of students and communities in Philadelphia; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, That it hereby celebrates Meredith Foote's trailblazing leadership as Executive Director of the TGR Learning Lab at The Cobbs Creek Golf Course on the occasion of Women's History Month.

FURTHER RESOLVED, That an Engrossed copy of this Resolution be presented to Meredith Foote as a sign of the admiration and respect of this legislative body.

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CERTIFICATION: This is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution, Adopted by the Council of the City of Philadelphia on the seventh day of March, 2024.

Kenyatta Johnson
PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

Elizabeth McCollum
INTERIM CHIEF CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

Introduced by: Councilmember Jones

Sponsored by: Council President Johnson, Councilmembers Brooks,

O'Rourke, Landau, Gilmore Richardson, Harrity, Phillips,

Gauthier, Driscoll, Squilla and Bass