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- WHEREAS, Kyrell McBride Johnson was born in Fort Worth, Texas to parents Monica and Robert Debbs and David Demerson; and
- **WHEREAS,** Kyrell attended T.A. Howard Middle School in Arlington where he ran 7<sup>th</sup> grade track for the Hallmark Track Club and qualified in the associates and advanced to regionals taking the torch on to the Junior Olympics/Nationals; and
- **WHEREAS,** he was 13 years old beginning his 8<sup>th</sup> grade year at Summer Creek Middle School in Crowley and excited to play his first year of organized football; and
- WHEREAS, Kyrell was also a radio host for Big Mouth Radio, an entertainer who once danced in the endzone at AT&T Stadium, and flourished as a singer as an active member of Samuels Baptist Church Children's Choir; and
- WHEREAS, his charming smile, heart of gold, and passion to help people will continue to live on through his name as the First Quarter Foundation focuses on educating and bringing awareness to safety in sports activities taking place in K-12 learning institutions.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, I,** W. Jeff Williams, Mayor of the City of Arlington, Texas, and on behalf of the Arlington City Council, do hereby proclaim March 9, 2021, as the

## KYRELL MCBRIDE JOHNSON FIRST QUARTER FOUNDATION DAY

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City to be affixed this 6<sup>th</sup> day of March in the year of Our Lord two thousand and twenty one.

MAYOR