

Proclamation

Pro-Duffers Philanthropic Association Day April 20, 2021



WHEREAS, As Mayor of the District of Columbia, it is my pleasure to extend congratulations to the Washington, DC Pro-Duffers Philanthropic Association on the establishment of a new scholarship fund; and

WHEREAS, Academic achievement is the key to success and this association raises funds to help students of the District of Columbia to continue their educational aspirations; and

WHEREAS, The Pro-Duffers Philanthropic Association, Memorial Scholarship Fund, and the Richard Carter Foundation have established this new scholarship fund for the University of Maryland Eastern Shore's PGA certified golf management program; and

WHEREAS, Both organizations have long helped African Americans find a path to be successful and wish to collectively serve as mentors; and

WHEREAS, Continued commitment to offering community outreach and assistance to deserving scholars is exemplified by the commitment over five years of \$50,000 by the Pro Duffers philanthropic arm and \$50,000 by the Richard Carter's foundation equalling \$100,000; and

WHEREAS, The D.C. Pro-Duffers Foundation Scholarship Committee believes this gift will be a way of advancing diversity in the game of golf;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THE MAYOR OF WASHINGTON, DC, do hereby proclaim April 20, 2021 in Washington, DC as "Pro-Duffers Philanthropic Association Day."

