



# City of North Augusta, South Carolina

## **PROCLAMATION**

*WHEREAS, small businesses form the backbone of our local economy, generating jobs and improving the quality of life for citizens; and*

*WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of North Augusta, South Carolina acknowledge and celebrate the City's small businesses and the contributions they make to our community; and*

*WHEREAS, 2019 marks the tenth year of Small Business Saturday, a nationwide campaign to encourage shopping at local businesses on the Saturday after Thanksgiving to stimulate the local economy; and*

*WHEREAS, local organizations such as the North Augusta Chamber of Commerce, North Augusta Forward, and many other organizations across the country endorse the Saturday after Thanksgiving as Small Business Saturday.*

*NOW THEREFORE, I, Robert A. Pettit, Mayor of the City of North Augusta, South Carolina, do hereby claim November 30, 2019 as:*

## **SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY**

*AND encourage our citizens to recognize and support small businesses within our community by shopping locally on the Saturday following Thanksgiving.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of North Augusta, South Carolina, to be affixed this 18th day of November, 2019.*



A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Robert A. Pettit".

Robert A. Pettit, Mayor  
City of North Augusta