



# Proclamation

**STATE OF ALABAMA  
JEFFERSON COUNTY  
CITY OF CLAY  
PROCLAMATION 2013-10**

**A Proclamation to Recognize the 2013 Clay-Chalkville Middle School Band**

**WHEREAS**, The City Council of the City of Clay, Alabama is proud to recognize the actions of citizens of our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the 2013 Clay- Chalkville Middle School Band is an organization that starts beginning players with no experience in the sixth grade and helps them grow into an elite performing ensemble by eighth grade, and

**WHEREAS**, the Clay-Chalkville Middle School Band has a reputation for earning “Superior” and “Superior with Distinction” ratings at the Alabama Bandmaster Association’s Music Performance Assessment on a consistent basis, and

**WHEREAS**, the Clay-Chalkville Middle School Band is an organization that is comprised of approximately 400 members, which is almost forty percent of Clay-Chalkville Middle School’s population, and

**WHEREAS**, the members of the Clay-Chalkville Middle School Band have represented the City of Clay to many locations throughout the United States, giving performances in locations such as Washington D.C.; Universal Studios, Orlando; Walt Disney World; and many locations throughout our community, and

**WHEREAS**, the Clay-Chalkville Middle School Band has earned a reputation of “excellence” which has enabled them to be a feature performing ensemble at the Southeastern United States Concert Band Clinic on December 6, 2013.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Clay, Alabama declares the members of the Clay-Chalkville Middle School Band to be ambassadors of Goodwill from Clay, Alabama and the Southeastern United States.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Clay that December 6 is hereby known as Clay-Chalkville Middle School Band Day in the City of Clay.



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Continued**

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED**, this 7<sup>th</sup> Day of October, 2013.

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**Ricky Baker  
Councilor**

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**Mark Halstead  
Councilor**

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**Becky Johnson  
Councilor**

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**Kevin Small  
Councilor**

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**Ben Thackerson  
Councilor**

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**Charles Webster  
Mayor**

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**Ronnie Dixon  
City Manager**



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I, the undersigned City Manager of the City of Clay, Alabama, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of a Proclamation lawfully passed and adopted by the City Council named therein, at a regular meeting of such council, and that such Proclamation is on file in the City Clerk's Office. Said Proclamation having been posted within the City of Clay at City Hall, Chalkville Regions Bank, Clay Post Office and the Senior Citizens Center.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF: I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the City on this 7<sup>th</sup> Day of October, 2013.

Ronnie Dixon  
City Manager