

**CLAYTON COUNTY RECOGNIZES
MARIAH STACKHOUSE
AS ONE OF THE TOP COLLEGIATE GOLFERS IN THE COUNTRY**

- WHEREAS:** Mariah Stackhouse, a golfer and sophomore at Stanford University, has led a remarkable first season with record-breaking wins and All-American titles; and
- WHEREAS:** Mariah Stackhouse completed her freshman year at Stanford University with a 72.0 stroke average in 32 rounds of competition, eight top 10 finishes, including two individual titles at the Peg Barnard and the Juli Inkster Spartan Invitational, and was the low player in seven of 11 season events; and
- WHEREAS:** Mariah Stackhouse was awarded by her teammates and coaching staff for the 2012-2013 season as the Most Valuable Player (MVP); and
- WHEREAS:** Mariah Stackhouse is one of only eight All-Americans in the history of Stanford's program and the first freshman to receive the honor since 1997; and
- WHEREAS:** Mariah Stackhouse is a first team WGCA All-American and a first team All-Pac-12. She broke both a collegiate record and a course record in her best round of the season at the Peg Barnard Tournament with a final score of 61 (-10); and
- WHEREAS:** Mariah Stackhouse qualified to play in the 2013 US Women's Open and was awarded by Stanford's Athletic Department with the Bob Murphy Award for the most unforgettable performance of the year and the Block "S" award for outstanding female freshman; and
- WHEREAS:** Mariah Stackhouse is a true powerhouse in the game of golf, demonstrating hard work and incredible talent as she soared through her first season and freshman year at Stanford University. Mariah Stackhouse is not just an incredible athlete, but devoted to her academics and continues to set an example for all students and fellow collegiate athletes; and
- WHEREAS:** Clayton County is honored to recognize Mariah Stackhouse, a graduate of North Clayton High School Class of 2012, and congratulate her for a successful and outstanding golfing season and freshman year; now
- THEREFORE:** I, GAIL B. HAMBRICK, Commissioner, on behalf of the Clayton County Board of Commissioners, do hereby honor and recognize one of Clayton County's most promising and remarkable athletes, Mariah Stackhouse. I encourage all citizens to join me in wishing her another successful year on the golf course and in the classroom.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of Clayton County, Georgia to be affixed this 20th day of August in the year two thousand thirteen.

Gail B. Hambrick, Commissioner