

Hall County, Georgia



Board of Commissioners

- WHEREAS,** *Deacon Grady Young was a lifelong resident of Gainesville-Hall County; and*
- WHEREAS,** *Deacon Grady Young was a devout member of Cross Plains Missionary Baptist Church where he served as Chairman of the Deacon Board, and as a devoted Christian, he also served as Layman President Emeritus of the Northwestern Baptist Association of Georgia and Treasurer of the Congress of Christian Education; and*
- WHEREAS,** *Deacon Grady Young's civic leadership endeavors included being a member of the Hall County Board of Family and Children's Services, President and Vice-President of the Forrest Hill Boys Club, Treasurer of the Hall County Voters League, President of the Southside Chamber of Commerce, member of the Neighborhood Housing Board, the Building Board of Adjustment, and several other City and County Boards; and*
- WHEREAS,** *in honor and remembrance of Deacon Young, the Grady Young Foundation was founded to provide spiritual and financial support through scholarships, training and research programs, collaborative work, leadership training and other endeavors to enhance and advance our communities; and*
- WHEREAS,** *the Grady Young Foundation has awarded more than 390 scholarships to deserving students matriculating at more than 100 different colleges and universities; and*
- NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** *that the Hall County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim Friday, March 20, 2026 through Sunday, March 22, 2026, to be the*

23rd Annual Grady Young Foundation Memorial Scholarship Weekend

Adopted this 12th day of March 2026.

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