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PROCLAMATION – 2024 -1

"Remembering Every Accomplishment and Climbing Higher"

To: Worshipful Masters, Wardens, Past Masters, MWP Grand Masters, Grand Lodge Officers and Brethren of all Subordinate Lodges of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Ohio, Free and Accepted Masons.

February 12, 2023

The 2024 Grand Lodge Mid-Year Workshop is themed "Back to Basics" and will convene on Saturday, March 9th, 2024, at the East High School, 1500 E. Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43205. Registration will open at 7:00 am with the Workshop starting promptly at 8:00 am and ending at approximately 12:00 pm.

A \$15.00 Registration Fee is required for Brothers in attendance. The dress for the Workshop is casual with no jeans or gym shoes. I strongly encourage ALL Worshipful Masters, Wardens, Past Masters, Line Officers, and the general membership to attend. A substantial amount of information will be discussed in each session. You are requested to bring the following materials: Ritual, Monitor, Protocol Manual, and Code and Constitution. Note: Current versions of each of these materials will be made available for purchase.

Now that we have our printed text rituals, we will be going over all three degrees to ensure consistency in our work across the state. We also want to be sure we are preparing for the forthcoming degree work at the Masonic Temple in Dayton at our Grand Lodge Session on Saturday August 3rd. We will have visitors and want to put our best people in place with the right presentation for our new candidates.

We will also host a Secretary and Treasurer workshop to cover the new membership database and another items. We are requesting that lodges bring their third quarter taxes to this workshop instead of mailing them since they are due March 10th. If you are delinquent for past quarters, you should plan to bring those as well.

This proclamation is to be read at your stated business and work night meetings during the months of February and March 2024.

Take due and timely notice of the foregoing and govern yourselves accordingly.

Given under my hand and the private seal of the Grand Master at Dayton, Ohio this 12th day of February, AD 2024, AL 6024. I remain.

Respectfully and Fraternally,

Robert M. Estelle, Jr. 33° Robert M. Estelle, Jr., PM #115 Most Worshipful Grand Master MWPHGL of Ohio F&AM

