

## Proclamation

A PROCLAMATION OF THE DELRAY BEACH COMMUNITY
REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY IN HONOR OF CAROL WESTMORELAND, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE
FLORIDA REDEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION UPON HER RETIREMENT AND DECLARING
OCTOBER 15th, 2020 TO BE 'CAROL WESTMORELAND DAY'

WHEREAS, REDEVELOPMENT IS AN ESSENTIAL COMPONENT OF ANY LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S PLANNING PROGRAM AND IS A FOUNDATION FOR THE QUALITY OF LIFE ACROSS FLORIDA, BOTH FOR ITS ECONOMIC PARTNERSHIPS TO REVITALIZE AN AREA, ITS BEAUTIFICATION EFFORTS, ITS UPGRADING OF INFRASTRUCTURE, AND OVERALL IMPROVEMENT TO THE NATURAL AGING OF FLORIDA'S ASSETS; AND

WHEREAS, THE STATEWIDE ORGANIZATION KNOWN AS THE FLORIDA REDEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION IS WELL KNOWN FOR ITS EFFORTS TO COORDINATE AND SHARE BEST PRACTICES AND TO IMPROVE THE FUNCTIONING OF REDEVELOPMENT AGENCIES THROUGHTOUT THE SUNSHINE STATE; AND

WHEREAS, THE FLORIDA REDEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN BLESSED TO HAVE CAROL MARCHNER WESTMORELAND SERVE AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SINCE JANUARY OF 1988 AND HER THREE DECADES OF LEADERSHIP, REPRESENTATION, ADVOCACY AND SERVICE HAVE BEEN EXEMPLARY; AND

WHEREAS, CAROL'S REPUTATION AS FRA'S CHIEF ADVOCATE BEFORE THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE IS LEGENDARY, AS IS HER UNFAILING SUPPORT FOR ALL ASPECTS OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE, POLITICAL, INTERGOVERNMENTAL, AND PROFESSIONAL NEEDS OF THE MANY DISTRICTS AND AGENCIES TIED TO COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL REDEVELOPMENT IN THIS STATE, AND HER ENERGIES, DEVOTION, CREATIVITY, INSPIRATION AND ENTHUSIASM WILL NOT EASILY BE DUPLICATED AND CAROL WILL BE GENUINELY AND SORELY MISSED; AND

WHEREAS, CAROL ANNOUNCED HER RETIREMENT TO BE EFFECTIVE ON JUNE 30, 2020 AND THIS IS A WORTHY CAUSE FOR HEARTFELT RECOGNITION AND SINCERE CELEBRATION, AND AS SUCH CAROL IS WISHED THE VERY BEST IN THIS NEW CHAPTER OF HER LIFE.

NOW, IT IS THEREFORE PROCLAIMED 'CAROL WESTMORELAND DAY' IN THE DELRAY BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ON OCTOBER 15th, 2020 IN HONOR OF CAROL'S DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE FLORIDA REDEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION.

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| THE BOARD OF THE DELRAY BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY. |
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