

# CITY OF COCONUT CREEK SPECIAL CITY COMMISSION MINUTES

Government Center 4800 W. Copans Road Coconut Creek, Florida Date: May 10, 2018

Time: 5:30 p.m.

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Joshua Rydell called the meeting to order at 5:33 p.m.

### PRESENT:

Mayor Joshua Rydell Vice Mayor Sandra L. Welch Commissioner Rebecca A. Tooley Commissioner Lou Sarbone Commissioner Mikkie Belvedere Deputy City Manager/CFO Karen M. Brooks City Attorney Terrill C. Pyburn City Clerk Leslie Wallace May

Mayor Rydell welcomed all in attendance to the eleventh annual Student Awards Ceremony. He congratulated the students for their achievements, recognized their parents, and acknowledged the vendors that contributed to the gift bags the students would be receiving. He also recognized Monarch High School English Teacher, Tammy Freeman, who was named Broward County Teacher of the Year.

#### STUDENT AWARDS CEREMONY

Karen Brooks, Deputy City Manager/CFO, opened the Student Award Ceremony to recognize exemplary elementary, middle, and high school students in the community.

The following elementary school students were chosen by their fifth grade teachers for their excellence in academics, character, and leadership:

Coconut Creek Elementary (Assistant Principal Dr. Bree Miron): Trinity Allen, Aolani Bassa, Lindsay McCrary, Rebeca Monteiro, Kiernan O'Neill, and Emily Pagan.

Liberty Elementary (Principal David Levine): Vanessa Bezerra, Genesis Garcia, Alexie Miller, Cesar Moctezuma, Kenneth Quijano, Valeria Cuellar Rodriguez, Karen Romeus, and Hayley Valdes.

Tradewinds Elementary (Principal Michael Breslaw): Jonathan Caianiello, Ivory Edgecomb, Rylan Figueroa, Kelsey Heckathorne, Jordyn Hibbert, Haylee Lamon, Milan Linton, Mackena Modafferi, Marissa Modafferi, Brianna Perez, and Hailev Quinn.

Winston Park Elementary (Principal Carolyn Eggelletion): Chante Alexis, Victoria Correa, Michael Gonzales, Mia Macaione, Michaela Maloney, Makenzie Morgan, Kaimana Moura, Jayde Riley, and Tram Vo.

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The following middle school students were chosen by their eighth grade teachers for their excellence in academics, citizenship, performing arts, leadership and/or athletics:

<u>Lyons Creek Middle School</u> (Principal Vernicca Wynter): Hussaine Alhindi, Connor Clyatt, Samara Dyal, Fabian Salvador, Danielle Scott, Karileida Sinanan, Semmaj Taylor, Clarisse Thelisma, Alison Touhsant, and Thalita Yamana.

<u>Margate Middle School</u> (Principal Earnest C. Toliver): Isaiah Alcide, Joseph Alcide, Kayla Jean-Jacques, Luke Johnson, Beyonce Louis, Kennie Mondesir, Carl Pia, Jeremiah St. Hilaire, Bianca Tramont, and Summer Tyson.

The following high school seniors were chosen by their teachers and administrators for their excellence in academics, leadership, character, and community service:

<u>Atlantic Technical High</u> (Interim Principal Vicky LaPorte): Gabriel Coto, Cameron Ory, Lea Remenyi, Nicholas Salazar, and Lauren Ashley VanHemel.

<u>Coconut Creek High</u> (Principal Scott Fiske): Servenot Conserve, Diego Dubois, Marcus Mykoo, Rose Seraphin, and Danarria Stone.

<u>Dave Thomas Education Center</u> (Assistant Principal Synithia Crawford): Shemar Bandoo, Didra Beasley, Brandy Beauplan, Nandi Smith Coulson, and Annie Tilus.

Monarch High School (Principal James Neer): Vanessa Chan, Whitney Galindo, Kyle Oliver, Brittnie Pang, and Macey Siegel.

North Broward Preparatory (High School Principal Ron McCarthy): Bryan Edwards, Alec Gordon, Tyler Gottlieb, Alexis Masciarella, and Mason Wasserman.

Deputy City Manager Brooks thanked everyone for coming to honor the students and wished the students success in their future endeavors.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 6:23 p.m.	Transcribed by Marianne Bowers
Leslie Wallace May, MMC City Clerk	Dated