

WHEREAS, change is constant and affects all cities, towns, suburbs, counties, boroughs, townships, rural areas, and other places; and

WHEREAS, planners can help navigate this change with data-driven insights and professional expertise that provide better choices for how people work and live; and

WHEREAS, community planning provides an opportunity for all residents to be meaningfully involved in making choices that determine the future of their community; and

WHEREAS, the full benefits of planning require public elected and appointed officials who understand, support, and demand excellence in planning and plan implementation; and

WHEREAS, the month of October is designated as National Community Planning Month throughout the United States of America and its territories; and

WHEREAS, the American Planning Association endorses National Community Planning Month as an opportunity to highlight how planning is essential to every community, and how planners are uniquely positioned to identify solutions to communities’ most difficult housing, transportation, and land use challenges; and

WHEREAS, thoughtful development project designs have the power to transform spaces into equitable and community-centered destinations that strengthen our shared future; and

WHEREAS, the celebration of Community Planning Month gives us the opportunity to publicly recognize the participation and dedication of appointed planning board members, who have contributed their time and expertise to the improvement of the City of Coconut Creek; and

WHEREAS, the City of Coconut Creek proudly recognizes the invaluable efforts of its professional planning staff, regional planners, the Planning and Zoning Board, and City Commission, and extends heartfelt gratitude for their steadfast commitment to shaping a vibrant and well-planned future for our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Commission of the City of Coconut Creek hereby proclaims the month of October 2025, as

“COMMUNITY PLANNING MONTH”

in the City of Coconut Creek in conjunction with the celebration of National Community Planning Month.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto
set our hands and cause the seal of the
City of Coconut Creek to be affixed
this 23rd day of October 2025.**