

WHEREAS, Sergeant Rodney Nieves began his career on February 7, 1994, as a Police Officer Trainee with the Fort Pierce Police Department, he was promoted to the rank of Police Officer on June 23, 1994 and then, promoted to Sergeant of Police on June 23, 2004; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Nieves was deeply devoted and committed to his responsibilities as a member of the Fort Pierce Police Department; and

WHEREAS, During his term of service, Sergeant Nieves received several prestigious awards, including:

- Exceptional Unit Award in 2015, 2014
- Life Saving Award in 2015
- Exceptional Police Service 2011
- Supervisor of the Quarter in 2010
- Life Saving Citation in 2004
- Exceptional Duty in 2001

WHEREAS, Sergeant Nieves was an instructor for the police department in various areas including Field Training Supervisor, Hostage Negotiator, Radar & Laser Instructor, Firearms Instructor, Traffic Homicide Investigator Certified, Defensive Tactics Instructor, Taser Instructor, Homicide Investigator, ASP Instructure, Driving Instructor; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Nieves, throughout his career, received numerous awards and commendation letters for the professional manner in which he has handled his assignments; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Nieves elected to retire on August 23, 2017.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Linda Hudson, Mayor of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, do hereby issue this proclamation in honor of:

Sergeant Rodney Nieves

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, to be affixed this 18th day of December, 2017.

MAYOR/COMMISSIONER