



CITY OF FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA

PROCLAMATION



**WHEREAS,** Black History Month is a time to recognize and celebrate the contributions, leadership, and lasting impact of Black leaders whose dedication has advanced opportunity, equity, and excellence; and

**WHEREAS,** Mr. Drummond has devoted thirty one (31) years of distinguished service to The Council on Aging of St. Lucie, Inc., exemplifying visionary leadership, integrity, and a deep commitment to people; and

**WHEREAS,** throughout his tenure as President/Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Drummond has been a champion of diversity, equity, and inclusion, intentionally building and sustaining a workforce that reflects varied backgrounds, perspectives, and lived experiences; and

**WHEREAS,** his leadership has fostered an organizational culture where individuals are valued, empowered, and provided opportunities to grow, lead, and succeed, strengthening both the institution and the communities it serves; and

**WHEREAS,** Mr. Drummond's legacy reflects the spirit of Black History Month through his commitment to mentorship, representation, and opening doors for future generations of leaders; and

**WHEREAS,** his leadership has demonstrated that diversity strengthens organizations, fuels innovation, and leaves a lasting impact on employees, stakeholders, and the community; and his impact will be felt not only through organizational achievements, but through the diverse talent, inclusive culture, and shared sense of purpose he leaves behind;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Linda Hudson, Mayor of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, do hereby honors:

***Mr. Darrell J. Drummond***

in the City of Fort Pierce for Thirty One (31) years of exemplary service and leadership, and recognizes his enduring contributions to diversity, inclusion, and excellence. During Black History Month, we celebrate Mr. Drummond's legacy as a leader who has helped shape a more inclusive future through action, vision, and service.

**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 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 2026.

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**MAYOR/COMMISSIONER**

