



TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: October 7, 2014

TITLE: Resolution approving naming the Department of Sustainable Development
Building located at 700 NW 19th Avenue the Greg Brewton Sustainable
Development Center

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission adopt a resolution approving the naming of the Department of Sustainable Development Building located at 700 NW 19th Avenue the Greg Brewton Sustainable Development Center.

Background

Greg Brewton has served as the Director of Sustainable Development since it was established in 2011, playing an integral role in bringing together and creating synergies with what were previously five separate departments. In all, Greg has provided more than 30 years of dedicated service to the City of Fort Lauderdale, serving as a Principal Planner, Zoning Administrator, Deputy Director of Planning, and Planning Director.

There is no doubt that Greg has a genuine love for the City of Fort Lauderdale; the place where he grew up and has since raised his family. He is a graduate of Michigan State University (Go Spartans!), where he received a degree in Urban Planning and learned teamwork, leadership, discipline, and resilience on the gridiron. He then went on to play professional football. He soon returned to his home City, where he has since made a significant impact on building community. The passion and loyalty Greg has for the City of Fort Lauderdale is continuously demonstrated through his interactions with the community, and the lasting professional and personal relationships he has established with his fellow community builders.

I recommend that we commemorate his service to our City with the naming of the “Greg Brewton Sustainable Development Center.”

Resource Impact

There is no resource impact associated with this item.

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative within the **Internal Support Platform**, specifically advancing:

- **Goal 11:** Be a well-trained, innovative, and neighbor-centric workforce that builds community.
- **Objective 1:** Foster professional and rewarding careers.

Attachment: EX – 1 Guidelines for the Naming of City Parks, Recreation Areas and Major Facilities
EX – 2 Resolution

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