

**Presented to  
Venetian Condominium**

- WHEREAS,** the Venetian Condominium was honored on May 15, 2015, at the Florida Communities of Excellence Awards as the “Community of the Year” in the state of Florida; and
- WHEREAS,** the Venetian also received the award for Financial Innovation and was a finalist in two other categories: Safety & Security and Energy Efficiency; and
- WHEREAS,** the Venetian was nominated in a total of six categories for excellence; and
- WHEREAS,** more than 500 communities with more than 500,000 residents participated in the Florida Communities of Excellence Awards; and
- WHEREAS;** the Florida Communities of Excellence Awards is a comprehensive, independent recognition program for the tens of thousands of community associations throughout Florida; and
- WHEREAS,** the Becker & Poliakoff law firm and the *Florida Community Association Journal* founded the Florida Communities of Excellence Awards in 2008 as a way to recognize outstanding communities and the volunteer board members who invest their time to improve the quality of life for those communities; and
- WHEREAS,** the Florida Communities of Excellence Awards helps document examples of successful communities and enables others to learn from their example; and
- WHEREAS,** the Venetian Condominium at 1 Las Olas Circle has been a leading condo community in the city of Fort Lauderdale since its construction in 1968 and has a long history of numerous residents who are deeply engaged in the civic life of Fort Lauderdale and the future of their neighborhood.

**NOW THEREFORE, WE,** as City Commissioners of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, do hereby proclaim **Tuesday, June 2, 2015,** as:

**VENETIAN CONDOMINIUM RECOGNITION DAY**

in the city of Fort Lauderdale and congratulate the Venetian Condominium, its board of directors and all of its residents for their outstanding community.

**DATED this,** the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June 2015.

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**Mayor John P. “Jack” Seiler**

