## Presented to Nancy Wengren 55 Years in the Broward County Public Schools

- WHEREAS, Nancy Wengren began teaching at Bayview Elementary School since 1959; and
- **WHEREAS,** Ms. Wengren has taught grades K-3 at Bayview and claims her favorite grade level was "Pre-First" during its implementation; and
- **WHEREAS,** as a member of Nancy's classroom, you are dubbed a "penguin" on the first day. Being one of "Wengren's Penguins" is a rite of passage for all of her students; and
- **WHEREAS,** she is extremely proud of the fact that she has taught three generations of families during her time at Bayview Elementary; and
- WHEREAS, Nancy is the example for high standards and maintains that standard for her students long after they have left her classroom. She follows many of her students and claims stake to an astronaut, a state senator, a mayor, several authors, a research scientist several physicians, and many teachers to name just a few successes!; and
- WHEREAS, Nancy makes history come to life with a host of costumes she portrays the roles of both a pilgrim and an Indian during Thanksgiving, Mrs. Claus for the annual holiday sing, Billie Jumper, George Washington and a giant lobster for her hometown celebration of Mardi Gras; and
- WHEREAS, Nancy Wengren maintains a quality learning environment and is a model for other teachers. When Promethean Boards were brought into the school, she was one of the first teacher's achieving mastery of the new technology; and
- WHEREAS, Nancy Wengren volunteers her time running Girl Scouts and has trained many troop leaders to carry on the roles after their time is done at Bayview. She is extremely active in her church, a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and a long time season ticket holder to her beloved Miami Dolphins; and
- **WHEREAS,** Nancy Wengren is synonymous with Bayview Elementary School. No matter where you go or who you meet, if they know Bayview, they know Ms. Wengren.

**NOW, THEREFORE, WE,** as City Commissioners of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, do hereby proclaim **May 6, 2014** as:

## **Nancy Wengren Day**

in the City of Fort Lauderdale and do thank Ms. Wengren for her 55 years of selfless dedication to the education of our children, and do further thank her for contributions to making our city a better place in which to work, play and raise a family.

**DATED this**, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of May 2014.

Mayor John P. "Jack" Seiler



