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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, CELEBRATING AND HONORING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF THE HONORABLE REVEREND DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. forever changed our nation through his leadership, service, and clarity of vision; and

WHEREAS, in the brief time Dr. King walked upon this earth, he devoted his life to strengthening the American character and urged on our nation to live up to its founding principles of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for all its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, through his determination, spirit, and resolve, Dr. King lifted souls and pioneered one of the greatest historical movements for equality and freedom; and

WHEREAS, the City of Riviera Beach wishes to honor the lasting legacy of this great American, remember the ideals for which he fought, and again commit ourselves to ensuring that our country's promise extends to all mankind; and

WHEREAS, as we observe Dr. King's birthday, the City of Riviera Beach encourages all Americans to celebrate his memory by performing acts of kindness through service to others.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS.

SECTION 1: That all citizens of the City of Riviera Beach be encouraged to honor Dr. King by living out his teachings as we continue to work for the day when the dignity and humanity of every person are respected.

PASSED and APPROVED THIS this ___ DAY OF ______, 2020

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