

Proclamation



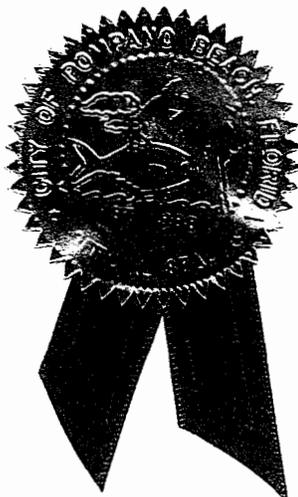
WHEREAS: Elsie Charlton was born on February 20, 1915 and will celebrate her 100th birthday this year; and

WHEREAS: the City of Pompano Beach recognizes the contribution of our senior citizens to our community and the important role they serve in our society; and

WHEREAS: Elsie Charlton has reached the age of deserving this special recognition by the City of Pompano Beach.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lamar Fisher, Mayor of the City of Pompano Beach, Florida, on behalf of the City Commission and residents of Pompano Beach, do hereby acknowledge Elsie Charlton's life accomplishments and contributions, and most of all recognize her zest for life. We are proud to have Elsie as a resident of Pompano Beach.

DONE, this 10th day of February, 2015.




LAMAR FISHER
MAYOR

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- WHEREAS:** February has been designated as Black History Month and will be observed and celebrated in our community; and
- WHEREAS:** this observance increases our awareness and knowledge of Black History and honors the many leaders and their contributions to our nation; and
- WHEREAS:** since 1976, every American President has proclaimed February as Black History Month; and
- WHEREAS:** this month-long celebration provides us with an opportunity to promote a spirit of unity and embrace the diversity that has strengthened our nation; and
- WHEREAS:** the National Theme for the celebration of Black History Month in the year 2015 is "***A Century of Black Life, History and Culture***" chronicling the important contributions by African-Americans to art, literature sports and pop culture; and
- WHEREAS:** on the 86th anniversary of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s birth, let us reflect on his words and vision, and consider what each of us can do today to help keep his dream alive.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lamar Fisher, Mayor of the City of Pompano Beach, on behalf of the City Commission and residents, do hereby proclaim February 2015 as:

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Done, this 10th day of February, 2015.



LAMAR FISHER
MAYOR