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City of Lauderdale Lakes 2020 Juneteenth & State of the City Address

This year our City is pleased to participate in the recognition of Juneteenth as the celebrated day of remembrance when Union soldiers formally announced to enslaved African Americans in Texas that their freedom had been granted by the Emancipation Proclamation. It is important to pay tribute to this important moment in our history, particularly during these challenging times when we are being severely confronted by bigotry and racial intolerance. We honor ourselves and those who are no longer with us by reveling in what must have been the absolute joy many of our ancestors experienced upon learning that a new life and a more hopeful future was no longer an impossibility.

We are all looking forward to Mayor Hazelle Rogers's State of the City address on Thursday, June 29th from 5pm to 7pm. The Mayor, Commissioner and staff have always welcomed this opportunity to advise residents and business owners about the great strides being made in the name of consistent growth. We work diligently to ensure that our city maintains its reputation for being an exceptional place to live, visit and conduct business. During this address, our Mayor provides current information on the status of various improvement projects, community redevelopment efforts, beautification initiatives and planned events. The State of the City address is always proud to recognize individual staff and departmental excellence in the progression and completion of the varying responsibilities that allow us to reach our goals. The State of the City address is a terrific opportunity to hear directly from the Mayor and connect with City staff in an energized environment. We will discuss our plans going forward in consideration of the many adjustments that have become necessary to keep residents, visitors and business owners safe from Covid-19. We are all in this together and look forward to your attendance.

It is my pleasure to have been given this moment to express the importance of the City of Lauderdale Lakes's Juneteenth Tribute and State of the City address stated the City Manager, Phil Alleyne

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