

**IN RECOGNITION OF JENNIFER L. JURADO DAY
AUGUST 26, 2015**

- WHEREAS: DR. JENNIFER L. JURADO IS A RESIDENT OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, A RENOWNED LEADER ON CLIMATE ISSUES, AND A DISTINGUISHED SCIENTIST DEVELOPING STRATEGIES TO PROTECT BROWARD COUNTY’S ENVIRONMENT AND WATER SUPPLY; AND
- WHEREAS: DR. JURADO HAS A DOCTORATE IN MARINE BIOLOGY FROM THE ROSENSTIEL SCHOOL OF MARINE AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE, AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI; AND
- WHEREAS: DR. JURADO IS CURRENTLY BROWARD COUNTY’S ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND COMMUNITY RESILIENCE DIVISION DIRECTOR, AND HAS ALSO HELD THE POSITION OF NATURAL RESOURCES PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT DIVISION DIRECTOR, WATER RESOURCES DIVISION DIRECTOR AND WATER RESOURCES MANAGER FOR BROWARD COUNTY; AND
- WHEREAS: AS DIRECTOR FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING, DR. JURADO’S RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE REGIONAL PLANNING TO PREPARE FOR IMPACTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND SEA LEVEL RISE, AND DEVELOPING STRATEGIES TO SUPPORT TARGETED REDUCTIONS IN GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS; AND
- WHEREAS: DR. JURADO’S SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES HAVE INCLUDED INTEGRATION OF CLIMATE MITIGATION AND ADAPTATION STRATEGIES INTO PLANNING EFFORTS RELATING TO THE NATURAL AND BUILT ENVIRONMENTS; INTEGRATED WATER RESOURCE PLANNING; BEST PRACTICES TO SUPPORT CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES; AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF ADVANCED TECHNICAL TOOLS TO GUIDE SOUND MANAGEMENT DECISIONS; AND
- WHEREAS: DR. JURADO IS A DEDICATED ENVIRONMENTALIST, CURRENTLY SERVING ON THE SOUTHEAST FLORIDA REGIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE COMPACT STEERING COMMITTEE, AND IS RESPONSIBLE FOR CONVENING THE BROWARD WATER RESOURCES TASK FORCE , BROWARD CLIMATE CHANGE TASK FORCE, BROWARD WATER ADVISORY BOARD, REGIONAL COASTAL OCEANS TASK FORCE, AND THE BROWARD EVERGLADES WORKING GROUP; AND
- WHEREAS: DR. JURADO WAS A CONTRIBUTING AUTHOR OF THE SOUTHEAST FLORIDA REGIONAL CLIMATE ACTION PLAN, AND HELPED CREATE THE FOUR-COUNTY REGIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE COMPACT, WHICH HAS WORKED TO PREPARE BROWARD, MIAMI-DADE, PALM BEACH AND MONROE COUNTIES FOR RISING SEAS, EXTREME WEATHER AND OTHER PROBLEMS ASSOCIATED WITH A CHANGING CLIMATE; AND
- WHEREAS: DR. JURADO WAS ONE OF TWELVE INDIVIDUALS HONORED BY THE WHITE HOUSE IN 2013 AS A COMMUNITY RESILIENCE “CHAMPION OF CHANGE” FOR HER INNOVATIVE WORK IN PREPARING OUR COMMUNITY FOR THE CONSEQUENCES OF CLIMATE CHANGE; AND
- WHEREAS: DR. JURADO HAS RECEIVED NUMEROUS AWARDS FOR HER SCIENTIFIC CONTRIBUTIONS, INCLUDING THE PRESTIGIOUS 2015 REITMEISTER AWARD FROM THE ABESS CENTER FOR ECOSYSTEM SCIENCE AND POLICY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI; AND
- WHEREAS: DR. JURADO WAS AN INVITED GUEST SPEAKER AT A U.S. SENATE BRIEFING ON CLIMATE IMPACTS AND SOUTHEAST FLORIDA; AN INVITED SPEAKER AT THE U.S. EMBASSY IN FRANCE ON CLIMATE CHANGE AND COASTAL RESILIENCE; A STAFF CONTRIBUTOR TO PRESIDENT OBAMA’S STATE, LOCAL, AND TRIBAL LEADERS TASK FORCE ON CLIMATE RESILIENCE AND PREPAREDNESS; AND A PARTICIPANT IN A INTERNATIONAL/CITY COUNTY MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION CITYLINKS EXCHANGE PROGRAM WITH DURBAN, SOUTH AFRICA; AND
- WHEREAS: THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD COMMISSION WISHES TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE OUTSTANDING DEDICATION AND LEADERSHIP DR. JENNIFER JURADO HAS PROVIDED WITHIN BROWARD COUNTY; NOW
- THEREFORE: PETER BOBER, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, AND THE HOLLYWOOD CITY COMMISSION, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM AUGUST 26TH 2015, AS:

JENNIFER L. JURADO DAY

IN HOLLYWOOD, IN APPRECIATION FOR HER MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROTECT BROWARD COUNTY AND SOUTHEAST FLORIDA FROM THE CONSEQUENCES OF CLIMATE CHANGE.

SIGNED THIS 26TH DAY OF
AUGUST 2015 AT
HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA

MAYOR PETER BOBER
VICE MAYOR KEVIN D. BIEDERMAN
COMMISSIONER PATRICIA ASSEFF
COMMISSIONER PETER D. HERNANDEZ
COMMISSIONER TRACI L. CALLARI
COMMISSIONER RICHARD S. BLATTNER
COMMISSIONER LINDA SHERWOOD