

Resolution No. 14-19

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WHEREAS, Virginia D. Onley leaves a legacy of professionalism, grace under pressure and fortitude while helping create a community of inclusion and diversity; and

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council at its meeting of December 9, 2019.

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