

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2019-101**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF WILTON MANORS, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING  
THE CITY OF WILTON MANORS TO JOIN THE FLORIDA  
HATE CRIME COALITION (FHCC); PROVIDING FOR  
CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND  
PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

10                   **WHEREAS**, ADL (Anti-Defamation League) is a leading anti-hate  
11 organization, founded in 1913 due to an escalating climate of anti-Semitism and  
12 bigotry; and

13                   **WHEREAS**, ADL is a global leader in exposing extremism and delivering  
14                   anti-bias education, and is a leading organization in training law enforcement; and

15                   **WHEREAS**, ADL's ultimate goal is a world in which no group or individual  
16                   suffers from bias, discrimination, or hate; and

17                   **WHEREAS**, the Florida Hate Crime Coalition (FHCC) was established in  
18                   2016 by the ADL to advocate for an expand, comprehensive hate crimes law in  
19                   Florida; and

20                   **WHEREAS**, partnered with 210 organizations, elected officials, and law  
21 enforcement leaders, FHCC's mission is to secure amendments to the Florida hate  
22 crime law that would protect all Floridians; and

23                   **WHEREAS**. the residents, businesses, and government of Wilton Manors  
24                   believe that diversity within our community is a source of strength and opportunity;  
25                   and

26                   **WHEREAS**, the City Commission of the City of Wilton Manors chooses to be  
27                   a leader in promoting tolerance, inclusion, human rights, social justice and public

1 safety; and

2           **WHEREAS**, the City Commission of the City of Wilton Manors stands together  
3 in opposing manifestations of hate, acts of intolerance, and reaffirms its values of  
4 inclusion, respect, and justice; and

5           **WHEREAS**, the City Commission of the City of Wilton Manors believes that  
6 joining the FHCC would be in the best interests of the residents and businesses of the  
7 City of Wilton Manors.

8           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY  
9 COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WILTON MANORS, FLORIDA THAT:**

10           **Section 1.**    The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are hereby ratified and  
11 confirmed by the City Commission and are incorporated herein by this reference.

12           **Section 2.**    The City Commission further directs City Administration to take  
13 action to join the FHCC.

14           **Section 3.**    All Resolutions or parts of Resolutions in conflict herewith, be  
15 and the same are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

16           **Section 4.**    If any clause, section or other part of this Resolution shall be held  
17 by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such  
18 unconstitutional or invalid part shall be construed as eliminated and shall in no way affect  
19 the validity of the remaining portions of this Resolution.

20           **Section 5.**    This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its  
21 passage and adoption.

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1 PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF  
2 WILTON MANORS, FLORIDA, THIS 12<sup>th</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2019.  
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4 CITY OF WILTON MANORS, FLORIDA  
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6 By: Justin S. Flippenn  
7 JUSTIN S. FLIPPEN, MAYOR  
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9 ATTEST:  
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11 Faith Lombardo  
12 FAITH LOMBARDO  
13 CITY CLERK  
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15 RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE  
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17 MAYOR FLIPPEN  
18 VICE MAYOR GREEN  
19 COMMISSIONER CARSON  
20 COMMISSIONER RESNICK  
21 COMMISSIONER ROLLI  
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29 I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have  
30 approved the form of this Resolution.  
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32 Kerry L. Ezrol  
33 KERRY L. EZROL  
34 CITY ATTORNEY  
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