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Preserve America Communities Advisory Council on Historic Preservation 401 F Street NW, Suite 308 Washington, DC 20001-2637

Dear Advisory Council,

I would like to endorse the City of Pompano Beach for their application to be designated as a Preserve America Community.

Having grown up in Pompano Beach and been a permanent resident since 1963 I have witnessed tremendous changes to our community. Those changes however have not displaced the numerous historical treasures that make Pompano Beach a unique City. The historical resources of our area have been, and continue to be, preserved for future generations.

Our community has acknowledged the tremendous impact that our historical resources can have on the economic and cultural health of not just Pompano Beach but the surrounding area as well. Our City has a dedicated corps of volunteers that are committed to identifying and preserving the many historical structures and areas that will help tell the story to future generations of how our community developed.

Earning the designation as a Preserve America Community will help to illustrate the importance that our community places on it's heritage and historical resources. I am hopeful that the Council will look favorably on the application and recognize the efforts that have been devoted to preservation of our historical resources.

Thank you for your consideration and service.

Sincerely

Rex Hardin

Pompanó Beach City Commissioner