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Subject: Renaming of 17th Street in Pompano Beach, FL

Dear Mr. Harrison,

After speaking with District Four Commissioner Beverly Perkins, I am contacting you as well as the Mayor Mr. Rex Hardin about the renaming of 17th Street N.W. in honor of the Scott Family. My parents, the late Columbus Scott Jr., and Mrs. Lillie Beatrice Brown Scott became residents of Pompano Beach in July of 1956. In November 1960, the Scott Family became the first residents to move into the newly established Liberty Parks Estates at 510 N. W. 17th Street. My dad resided there until his death in 2012 and my mother still resides there at nearly 89 years old!

My parents raised a total of seven children on 17th Street. Three daughters including myself and two of my brothers all graduated from Pompano Beach Senior High School between the years of 1975 - 1984. My older brother Christopher graduated from Coconut Creek High School in 1976 and my youngest brother Terance graduated from Blanche Ely High School in 1990. My family never moved to a different location but the constant changes in the school boundaries caused us to graduate from three different high schools.

Upon graduation, my siblings and I choose our career paths since not working was not an option. My older sister Gwendolyn became a Pharmacy Technician, my older brother went into the lawn care business, I graduated from Florida State University and have lived and taught in Tallahassee for 37 years, my younger sister Jacqueline chose a career in the administrative medical field, my next two brothers Darrell and Donald retired after twenty plus years in the United States Army and my youngest brother Terance graduated from Florida A&M University and is currently 20 plus year veteran police officer with the Delray Police Department. We all grew up at 510 N.W. 17th.

We would be so honored to have the street named after our family. My parents migrated from a small rural county in northeast Georgia made of dirt roads and wooden houses located on plantations. They were the first people in their families to become high school graduates. Moving into Liberty Park in 1960 made them become the first homeowners in their families too. Today, most of my siblings and I have at least one college degree and God has Blessed four of us to become homeowners too. We give all of the credit to the good Lord above, the values instilled in us by our

parents the stability of always having a home to grow up in and create lasting memories. After nearly 59 years, we are still able to call 510 N.W. 17 Street home.

Thank you so much for your consideration of our request. We are so looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

Brenda K. Scott