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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

THE CITY OF FLORENCE ACCEPTING WALK OF HONOR NOMINATIONS

FLORENCE, ALABAMA—Mayor Andrew Betterton announces that the public is invited to make nominations for the Walk of Honor, located in the beautiful River Heritage Park. The Walk of Honor recognizes individuals of Florence and Lauderdale County who have achieved national or international acclaim. This is a means to give honor and perpetuate the name and achievement of deserving individuals, either current or former citizens, through a form of civic recognition.

Areas of national or international accomplishment include, but are not limited to, agriculture, art, athletics, business, education, government, humanities, literature, medical, military, music, public service, religion, or science and technology. Nominations will be received until 5:00 pm on Tuesday, May 25, 2021. Procedures for submitting a nomination are as follows:

- 1) Visit the City's web site (www.florenceal.org) and select the "Walk of Honor" listing under the "Happening Now" section; or
- 2) Pick up a Walk of Honor Nomination Packet from the Mayor's Office, 102 South Court Street - Suite 200, Florence, AL 35630.

Completed nomination forms and any additional information can be dropped off at the Mayor's Office or sent via email to MayorBetterton@florenceal.org. Upon receiving the nominations submitted prior to the deadline, the Walk of Honor Selection Committee will choose from eligible inductees and a ceremony will be held in their honor. The date and time of the ceremony will be announced once decided upon. A bronze plaque with a picture of the inductee, along with a brief inscription of their accomplishment, will be placed at the Walk of Honor in River Heritage Park.