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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

THE CITY OF FLORENCE ACCEPTING WALK OF HONOR NOMINATIONS

FLORENCE, ALABAMA—The City of Florence is accepting nominations for the Walk of Honor. The Selection Committee will meet each year to choose the next group of inductees. Nominations received after February will be considered for the next calendar year selections.

The Walk of Honor, located in the beautiful River Heritage Park, recognizes individuals of Florence and Lauderdale County who have achieved <u>national or international</u> acclaim. This is a means to give honor and perpetuate the names and achievements of deserving individuals, either current or former citizens, through a form of civic recognition. Areas of national or international accomplishment include, but 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 in the Mayor's Office. Procedures for making a nomination and the form to submit your entry may be obtained by:

- 1) Visiting the City's web site, <u>www.florenceal.org</u>, and selecting the "Walk of Honor" listing under the "Government Section"; or
- 2) Picking up a copy from the Mayor's Office, 102 South Court Street Suite 200, Florence, AL 35630; or
- 3) Calling the Mayor's Office at (256) 760-6400. Please include any substantiating data and picture, if possible, with your nomination form.

After receiving nominations, the Mayor's Walk of Honor Selection Committee will select the inductees and a ceremony will be held in their honor. A bronze plaque with a picture of the inductee, along with a brief inscription of his/her accomplishments, will be placed at the Walk of Honor.