STATE OF FLORIDA CITY OF OAKLAND PARK

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, American women of every race, class, and ethnic background have made historic contributions to the growth and strength of our Nation in countless recorded and unrecorded ways; and

WHEREAS, women have played and continue to play a critical domestic, economic, cultural, and social role in every sphere of the life by constituting a significant portion of the labor force working inside and outside of the home; and

WHEREAS, this year's observance honors women for their ceaseless work as caregivers and frontline workers during this ongoing pandemic and also a recognition of the thousands of ways that women of all cultures have provided both healing and hope throughout history; and

WHEREAS, the Oakland Park Diversity Ambassadors will host a Women's Luncheon March 31, 2022, featuring a dialogue: *Women Providing Healing, Promoting Hope* with Vice Mayor Aisha Gordon, Commissioner Jane Bolin and Sandy Lozano Barry, Executive Director of Light of the World Clinic, on how they have stayed inspired, healthy, and hopeful during these unusual times.

NOW THEREFORE, the City Commission of the City of Oakland Park, Florida, by virtue of the authority vested in it by the Charter does hereby authorize Mayor Michael Carn to proclaim the month of March 2022 as

NATIONAL WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Oakland Park, Florida, to be affixed this 2nd day of March, 2022.

BY:

MICHAEL CARN, MAYOR