

**City of Fort Lauderdale  
WALK OF FAME COMMITTEE  
City Hall, 8th Conference Room  
Friday, April 20, 2018 – 9:00 a.m.  
MINUTES**

**Committee Members Present**

Dan Santoro  
Gale Butler  
George Smith  
Ina Lee  
Louise Crocco  
Marcia Pinder  
Sonya Burrows  
Tim Schiavone

**Staff Present**

Chaz Adams, Public Information Office  
Karen Newhart, Parks and Recreation  
Tim McGovern, Staff Liaison

**Also Present**

Della McCurdy  
Dennis Ulmer

***Welcome***

The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m. Each committee member introduced themselves.

***Approval of Minutes***

**MOTION:** Lee/Schiavone. Motion was made to approve the 2017 Walk of Fame Committee minutes. Passed unanimously.

***Selection of Chair***

Committee members discussed the selection of a chair for 2018.

**MOTION:** Lee/Schiavone. Motion was made to appoint Gale Butler as Chair of the 2018 Walk of Fame Committee. Passed unanimously.

***Discussion on Award Criteria***

A discussion was held regarding the award criteria. Lee reiterated the process and the mission of the committee and said criteria should include that the individual be someone who goes above and beyond, a native and long-time resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale, and a promoter of tourism.

A discussion was held about nominations being carried over.

***Public Discussion on 2018 Walk of Fame Nominations***

Chair Butler opened the floor for public discussion of the 2018 Walk of Fame honorees.

Chair Butler recognized Dennis Ulmer. Ulmer spoke in support of Robert “Buddy” Lochrie, Jr. Chair Butler recognized Della McCurdy. McCurdy spoke in support of Elliot Hendricks.

Chair Butler closed the public discussion of the 2018 Walk of Fame honorees.

***2018 Walk of Fame Selection***

Chair Butler opened the floor for committee discussion of the 2018 Walk of Fame honorees. Committee members discussed their top three selections.

**MOTION:** Butler/Pinder. A motion was made to recognize the following people as 2018 Walk of Fame Honorees: Evelyn Fortune Bartlett, Beauregard Cummings, Elliot M. Hendricks, and Robert B. “Buddy” Lochrie, Jr. Passed unanimously.

McGovern told committee members that they are welcome to attend the Walk of Fame Honoree reception at the Great American Beach Party at 4 p.m.

**MOTION:** Butler/Pinder. A motion was made to adjourn at 9:46 a.m. Passed unanimously.