

**PROCLAMATION**

*WHEREAS, the City of Alexandria government is committed to its values of respect, responsibility, teamwork, communication, diversity and leadership and has instituted a City Stars! Award to honor individual employees or groups of employees who exemplify the City's values; and*

*WHEREAS, the City wishes to recognize Lillian Meadows, Accounts Payable supervisor, for her devotion to the City during her fifty years of exemplary service to City residents and employees; and*

*WHEREAS, Lillian has provided a very high level of customer service while dealing with busy City agencies and residents; and*

*WHEREAS, she has trained a generation of co-workers on the intricacies of the City accounting and budgeting systems; and*

*WHEREAS, she has adapted to the new systems established by numerous City Managers and Finance Directors with grace and professionalism; and*

*WHEREAS, she has seen City technology change from typing on carbon paper to using computers, purchase cards and document imaging, and she has always quickly retrained herself or her staff to use these technological advances quickly and efficiently; and*

*WHEREAS, she has maintained her high work ethic throughout all of these personnel and technology changes, never wavering in her devotion to her job, co-workers, and the City; and*

*WHEREAS, she has donated her leave selflessly to any employee requesting assistance during their time of illness, listened patiently and treated each individual as if they were the most important person in the world, and is always available with a kind word and a smile; and*

*WHEREAS, the Alexandria City Council wants to recognize her for her outstanding service;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM D. EUILLE, Mayor of the City of Alexandria, and on behalf of the Alexandria City Council, do hereby proclaim that a CityStars! Award for the month of November be bestowed on:*

**"LILLIAN MEADOWS"**

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Alexandria to be affixed this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November 2007.*

**WILLIAM D. EUILLE    MAYOR**  
On behalf of the City Council  
of Alexandria, Virginia

ATTEST:

Jacqueline M. Henderson, CMC City Clerk