

**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 Donald Harrison-Wright, the Office Administrator in the Office of the Commonwealth's Attorney for his dedication, teamwork, leadership and exemplary character; and*

*WHEREAS, Mr. Harrison-Wright began his career as an intern from T.C. Williams High School; after graduating from high school he was hired in the Commonwealth's Attorney's Office on January 21, 1997, and was subsequently promoted several times before becoming the Office Administrator; and*

*WHEREAS, in his job as the Office Administrator, Mr. Harrison-Wright is a leader who shares his insight and depth of commitment to the City and is an inspiration to all who know him; and*

*WHEREAS, Mr. Harrison-Wright, has single-handedly been the architect of the budget submissions and complicated grant administration for his office in a manner which reflects fiscal restraint, attention to detail, and sound priorities, and in addition to his regular duties, he serves on the City Financial Management Group, a City-wide body which discusses important issues related to the budget process; and*

*WHEREAS, Mr. Harrison-Wright never hesitates to tackle tough challenges that would overwhelm others; he has undertaken preparation and filing of dozens of legal pleadings seeking arrest and enforcement of probation and parole supervision conditions for offenders who would otherwise remain on the street; he manages criminal dockets for all three courts; and*

*WHEREAS, his contributions result in substantial revenue for the City in monthly remissions of fines and costs; and*

*WHEREAS, Mr. Harrison-Wright embodies the spirit of public service, exemplifying teamwork, leadership, respect and unyielding dedication to the City;*

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

**"DONALD HARRISON-WRIGHT"**

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Alexandria to be affixed this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 2008.*

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

ATTEST:

Jacqueline M. Henderson, CMC    City Clerk