

HISTORIC TOWN OF EATONVILLE, FLORIDA

TOWN COUNCIL WORKSHOP OCTOBER 7, 2025, AT 6:30 PM

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<u>ITEM TITLE:</u> Discussion for Consideration Resolution 2025-30 Renaming Elizabeth Park complex to the Gloria Ware Recreation Complex. (**Legislation**)

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TOWN COUNCIL ACTION:

PROCLAMATIONS, AWARDS, AND PRESENTATIONS		Department: LEGISLATION
INTRODUCTIONS		Exhibits:
CONSENT AGENDA		• Resolution 2025-30
COUNCIL DISCUSSION	YES	
ADMINISTRATIVE		

REQUEST: Vice Mayor Washington is requesting that the Town Council rename the Elizabeth Park Recreation Complex to the Gloria Ware Recreation Complex by resolution 2025-30.

<u>SUMMARY:</u> Gloria Ware served as the Town of Eatonville Recreation Department Director during the late 1970s and early 1980s. In times when funding for recreation was scarce, she was able to foster community pride by starting the Eatonville Drum Corp, providing summer programming and jobs for teenagers and young adults and becoming part of second-to-none tennis program. Gloria Ware is member of Eatonville Senior Supremes. Gloria Ware a longtime resident, businessowner, educator, community leader dedicated mother not only to her kids but to the community youth and young adults deserves to be recognized in a way that will precede her life and make her impact known to future generations of Eatonville citizens

RECOMMENDATION: Recommend Approval of Resolution 2025-30 Renaming the Elizabeth Park Recreation complex to the Gloria Ware Recreation Complex.

FISCAL & EFFICIENCY DATA: N/A