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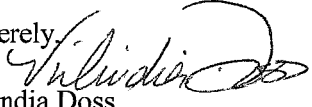
The Honorable Ron DeSantis
Governor, State of Florida
The Capitol, 400 S. Monroe St.
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0001

Re: Complaint No. 17-123, In re DERRYL O'NEAL

Dear Governor DeSantis:

The Florida Commission on Ethics has completed a full and final investigation of a complaint involving Derryl O'Neal, who served as the Fire Chief, acting City Manager, and/or City Manager for the City of Madeira Beach. Pursuant to Section 112.324(8), Florida Statutes, we are reporting our findings and recommending appropriate disciplinary action to you in this case. Enclosed are copies of our final order and of our file in this matter. As we have found pursuant to a stipulation that Mr. O'Neal violated the Code of Ethics in the manner described by our order, we recommend that you impose a civil penalty upon him in the amount of \$2,000 (two thousand dollars), and order that he pay restitution to the City of Madeira Beach in the amount of \$2,320, for a total of \$4,320. If we may be of any assistance to you in your deliberations, please do not hesitate to contact us. We would appreciate your informing us of the manner in which you dispose of this matter. For information regarding collection of the civil penalty, please contact the Office of the Attorney General, Ms. Elizabeth A. Miller, Assistant Attorney General.

Sincerely,


Virindia Doss
Executive Director

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Andrew J. Salzman, Attorney for Respondent
Ms. Elizabeth A. Miller, Commission Advocate
Mr. Robert D. Preston, Complainant

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BEFORE THE
STATE OF FLORIDA
COMMISSION ON ETHICS

In re DERRYL O'NEAL,)		
)	Complaint No.	17-123
)		
Respondent.)		
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_____)	Final Order No.	19-002

FINAL ORDER AND PUBLIC REPORT

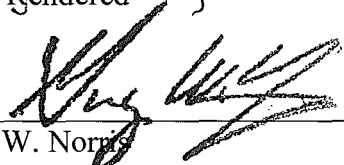
The State of Florida Commission on Ethics, meeting in public session on January 25, 2019, adopted the Joint Stipulation of Fact, Law, and Recommended Order entered into between the Advocate for the Commission and the Respondent in this matter.

In accordance with the Stipulation, which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference, the Commission finds that the Respondent, who served as the Fire Chief, acting City Manager, and/or City Manager for the City of Madeira Beach, violated Section 112.313(6), Florida Statutes, by keeping or storing his jet ski on a City jet ski lift.

For the violation, in accordance with the Stipulation, the Commission hereby recommends a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,000, and restitution to the City of Madeira Beach in the amount of \$2,320, for a total of \$4,320, penalties which the Respondent has agreed to be subjected to and to pay.

ORDERED by the State of Florida Commission on Ethics meeting in public session on
January 25, 2019.

January 30, 2019
Date Rendered



Guy W. Norris
Chair, Florida Commission on Ethics

cc: Mr. Andrew J. Salzman, Attorney for Respondent
Ms. Elizabeth A. Miller, Commission Advocate
Mr. Robert D. Preston, Complainant