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Florida League of Cities Elects New Officers for 2023-2024

Cooper City Mayor Greg Ross elected President

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TALLAHASSEE, FL – The **Florida League of Cities (FLC)**, the united voice for Florida’s municipal governments, announced the election of its officers for the 2023-2024 term. **Cooper City Mayor Greg Ross** was elected President of the League by FLC membership and will serve a one-year term.

“I’m grateful to be chosen to serve as your 102nd President,” said Ross immediately following his installation. “For over a century, the Florida League of Cities has been a powerful advocate for the needs of Florida’s cities. Together, we will positively shape the future of the cities we serve.”

Joining Ross is an impressive list of Florida leaders serving as officers with the Florida League of Cities for the 2023-2024 term including:

- Florida League of Cities First Vice President: **Michael Blake, Mayor, City of Cocoa**
- Florida League of Cities Second Vice President: **Holly Smith, Councilmember, City of Sanibel**

Ross has served as Mayor of Cooper City since 2012. His involvement with city government began in 2002 when he was appointed to the City Planning and Zoning Board, where he served for seven years, including the last year as Chair. From 2006-2012, Ross served as Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Coordinator for the City and Vice-Chair of Broward County CERT Coordinators. In 2009, he was appointed the City’s Special Magistrate.

Ross is an active member of the **Broward League of Cities** and previously served as President and Secretary. He has served on the FLC Board of Directors since 2015. Ross was previously Chair of FLC’s Federal Action Strike Team (FAST) Committee, a Director on the **Florida League of Mayors Board** and Vice Chair of FLC’s **Urban Administration Legislative Policy Committee**. Ross works tirelessly to protect the Home Rule powers of Florida’s cities and has been honored with FLC’s Home Rule Hero Award every year since 2015.

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Founded in 1922, the Florida League of Cities is the united voice for Florida’s municipal governments. Its goals are to promote local self-government and serve the needs of Florida’s cities, which are formed and governed by their

citizens. The League believes in “Local Voices Making Local Choices,” which focuses on the impact citizens and city leaders have in improving Florida’s communities. For more information, visit flcities.com.