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April 26, 2016

Shayla Saunders, Office of the Mayor
City of Annapolis
160 Duke of Gloucester Street
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Ms. Saunders:

The Honoree Committee is submitting Dorlene Turner to receive the Martha Wood Leadership Award for May, 2016. She was selected based upon her strong sense of Community Commitment and Demonstrated Leadership in the Harbour House and Eastport Terrace Communities.

Ms. Turner has served as the elected Secretary of the Harbour House/Eastport Terrace Tenants' Association since November, 2014. In that role she has shown strong leadership skills in coordinating Association participation in the Community. She led the effort of the Tenants' Association to sponsor 20 children for the Eastport Summer Camp held at the Rosalie E. Mitchell Community Center from June to August 2015. The same year, Ms. Turner spearheaded preparations to hold a very successful Back to School Event sponsored by the Tenants' Association and held on Friday, August 21, 2015 at the Eastport Center. Fifty-four families were present for this Event with Backpack Giveaway to school children for a prepared start to the School Year. The Event also included exhibits and demonstrations by the City Office of Emergency Management, Annapolis Police Department and Annapolis Fire Department, complete with the serving of hamburgers and hot dogs to all participants.

For dedication to serving the Community, it is with pleasure that the Honoree Committee has selected Dorlene Turner as the sixty-third recipient of the prestigious Martha Wood Leadership Award.

Sincerely,

The Honoree Committee