



# City Council of the City of Marathon, Florida

## Recognition of the Marathon Fin Ladies Weightlifting Accomplishments

**WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the Community of Marathon, Florida to recognize the outstanding overall efforts of the Marathon High School Women's Weightlifting Team whose four-member team achieved a first for the school earning a state-wide fourth place in the Olympic category and a state-wide fourteenth place in the Traditional category at the FHSAA 1A State Championships in Lakeland Florida; and

**WHEREAS**, the State Championship team was comprised of sophomore Justice Lee Isom, junior Ella Dunn, junior Sierra Earnhardt, and Senior Mikkel Ross; and

**WHEREAS**, Justice Lee's wins in the traditional and Olympic events gains her personal honors as a young sophomore weight lifter and the first woman in Monroe County history to earn two gold medals in this women's sport; and

**WHEREAS**, Justice Lee claimed her first gold in the Olympic category after topping her regional lifts by 10 pounds in both the snatch and clean and jerk. She added to her gold medal total in the traditional event by completing a bench press of 175 pounds; and

**WHEREAS**, Ella Dunn brought home a fifth-place medal in the 101-pound Olympic category and claimed a seventh-place finish in the traditional event; and

**WHEREAS**, Sierra Earnhardt won a bronze in the 119-pound Olympic category and finished eighth in the traditional event; and

**WHEREAS**, recognition is also given to the tremendous team mentorship led by coaches Michelle James, Tyler Roussin, and head coach Jessie Schubert, Michelle James,

**NOW THEREFORE**, the City of Marathon City Council hereby recognizes the accomplishments of the Marathon Women's Weightlifting Team.

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Mayor Still

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