



STATE OF FLORIDA  
**Office of the Governor**

THE CAPITOL  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32399-0001

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Tom Berger, Director of Real Estate Management and Development  
Robert Hutchinson, Commissioner, Alachua County  
Jordan Marlowe, Mayor, City of Newberry

FROM: Governor Ron DeSantis

DATE: April 12, 2019

RE: Flags at Half-Staff in Honor of former Mayor Freddie L. Warmack

On Thursday, April 2, 2019, Mayor Freddie Warmack, of Newberry, passed away. Mr. Warmack was first elected to the Newberry City Commission in 1974, serving as a commissioner for 10 years. In 1984, Mr. Warmack became the City's first African-American Mayor, and served in that capacity for another 10 years.

As a symbol of respect for the memory of Mayor Warmack, and his service to Florida, I hereby direct the flags of the United States and the State of Florida to be flown at half-staff at the Alachua County Courthouse in Gainesville, Florida, the City Hall of Newberry, Florida and at the State Capitol in Tallahassee, Florida, from sunrise to sunset on Saturday, April 13, 2019.

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