

*City of New Orleans
Office of the Mayor*



Certificate of Recognition

Whereas, it has become apparent that it is in our nation's best interest to increase knowledge and training of conflict resolution, mental health resources, parenting skills and non-violence resources and to make resources available for the nation to "Change the Culture of Violence in America;" and

Whereas, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. issued a call for non-violence in America, fifty years ago at the August 28, 1963 March on Washington and Dr. King called for peaceful resolution to conflicts and disagreements in order to create a more fair and just society for all citizens; and

Whereas, Black Women for Positive Change, a national, civic, volunteer organization is calling for a National Summit on Non-Violence and Day of Non-Violence in collaboration with Faith-Based Leaders, National Organizations, Elected Officials and Community Leaders on August 22, 2013;

*Now, Therefore, I, Mitchell J. Landrieu,
Mayor of the City of New Orleans, do recognize*

City-Wide Day of Non-Violence

*This action is taken in concert with other cities of the United States of America,
to promote a National Day of Non-Violence nationwide.*

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand
and caused the great seal of the City of New Orleans
to be affixed this 22nd day of August in the year 2013.*

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*Mitchell J. Landrieu,
Mayor, City of New Orleans*

