

**Resolution 2009-70**  
**Recognizing Former Ward 6 Councilmember Donna Victoria**

- WHEREAS, Ward 6 Councilmember Doug Barry resigned from the City Council and left office on May 27, 2009 to relocate closer to his work; and,
- WHEREAS, the City Council appointed Donna Victoria as the representative for Ward 6 on June 22 and she took office on July 6, 2009; and,
- WHEREAS, upon her appointment to the City Council, Councilmember Victoria displayed an impressive breadth of knowledge about the various issues before the City Council and actively engaged in discussions of policy matters with her Council colleagues; and,
- WHEREAS, during her tenure, the City Council addressed the draft Takoma/Langley Sector Plan and provided comments to the Montgomery County Planning Board regarding the Sector Plan; and,
- WHEREAS, Councilmember Victoria worked diligently to make sure that property owners within the boundaries of the Sector Plan area had a voice relative to the future development of the Crossroads and effectively conveyed their thoughts and comments to the other members of the City Council; and,
- WHEREAS, Councilmember Victoria testified on behalf of the City on the subject of the Takoma/Langley Sector Plan on several occasions, and worked directly with the Montgomery County Planning Board in the resolution of several contentious topics; and,
- WHEREAS, Councilmember Victoria approached her legislative duties in a pragmatic manner, with a touch of humor that was appreciated by all; and,
- WHEREAS, Councilmember Victoria did not seek election in the fall of 2009 and left office on November 16, 2009.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND hereby recognizes the contributions that Councilmember Donna Victoria made to the City of Takoma Park during her tenure on the Takoma Park City Council.

Adopted this 16<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2009.



Bruce R. Williams  
Mayor

Attest:



Jessie Carpenter, CMC  
City Clerk