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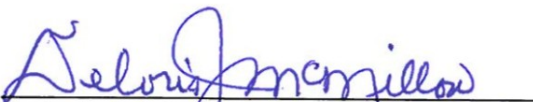
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To: The Honorable Judge Greg Tynan Ninth Judicial Circuit
Osceola County Courthouse 2 Courthouse Square
Kissimmee, FL 34741

From: Deloris J. McMillon, President NAACP Osceola Branch

We, the undersigned, submit this petition on behalf of the Defendant Everett Miller, Case #2017CF002806, who has been found guilty in the killing of Sergeant Sam Howard and Officer Matthew Baxter. We realize the seriousness of this tragedy and the grave circumstances experienced by the families. We hereby emphasize Miller's life experiences including his career training and service in the Marines, and being deployed seven times. He was Baker Acted after a public endangerment display of weapons. Upon his release from Park Place, Everett's mother begged the police to keep his gun. Unfortunately, the gun was returned to him. Even though he became homeless, he continued to show love and caring to his family, as mentioned by his sister, Shavon Sutton, the only witness for the Defense. It was apparent that Everett did not have a strong Defense team to bring to light the positive side of his character. Therefore, we are urgently requesting that he not be sentenced to death.

Sincerely,


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