



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Whereas the distinguished and deserving citizen:

CAROLYN A. MARTIN

Has demonstrated the unwavering commitment to justice and good government that was embodied by the great revolutionary statesman and first Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia,

I do on this day, the FOURTEENTH of SEPTEMBER, in the year of our Lord TWO THOUSAND AND ONE,

hereby confer upon her the

PATRICK HENRY AWARD

FOR STEADFAST DEVOTION TO THE JUST AND
SOUND GOVERNMENT OF OUR COMMONWEALTH



James S. Gilmore, III
Governor of Virginia

Paula D. Overa
Secretary of the Commonwealth



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Office of the Governor

James S. Gilmore, III
Governor

September 14, 2001

Ms. Carolyn A. Martin
2845 Bicknell Rd.
Richmond, VA 23235

Dear Ms. Martin:

As you may know, Patrick Henry is one of my favorite historical figures. He was a brilliant statesman whose dedication to firmly held principles, civil liberties, and efficient and effective government, opposition to unjust taxation, and courageous patriotism were impervious to criticism and personal risk. During my administration, I have occasionally encountered devoted and hard working individuals who share Patrick Henry's commitment and passion for sound government.

Ms. Martin, you are one of those people. You have consistently demonstrated your steadfastness and fervor for good government based on the fundamental principles of individual liberty, equality, and justice that were laid down by our nation's founders. It is my great pleasure to present you with the Patrick Henry Award in recognition of your service and fidelity. I thank you for your commitment to my administration and to the people of Virginia.

I look forward to your continued contributions to our great Commonwealth and nation, and offer best wishes for your future success.

Very truly yours,

James S. Gilmore, III

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