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Jammin Jerk BBQ Reopens at Freedom Plaza

Come join Mayor Linda T. Johnson along with owner, Dorothy Lovell, on Friday, August 28, at 11:00 a.m. as they celebrate the ribbon cutting and official opening of Jammin Jerk BBQ at 148 Burnett's Way, Suite 112, in the Freedom Plaza shopping center. On April 28, 2008, two weeks from the grand opening of her first business venture, Dorothy saw all her efforts destroyed in seconds by the devastating tornado that struck Freedom Plaza.

Following the struggles with trying to recover from the 2008 Tornado Dorothy Lovell "feels grateful for the assistance that was given to her by the Department of Planning & Community Development, Fire Marshall's office, Health Department and the Department of Economic Development for their extensive support."

"It is so wonderful to see that businesses in Freedom Plaza are continuing to open their doors again" said Suffolk Mayor Linda T. Johnson. "I know it has been a long journey for Ms. Lovell to get to this day. The City of Suffolk appreciates her dedication and we are so thankful to see the Jammin Jerk BBQ sign shining brightly once again."

Lovell chose Suffolk after 10 years of looking for the perfect location to establish her business. Suffolk provided an opportunity for her to be a part of a growing business clientele with its strategic location. The Godwin Corridor provides itself with an excellent retail opportunity.

Jammin Jerk BBQ brings an exciting taste of authentic Caribbean cuisine to Suffolk, included their famous Jerk BBQ. Other unique Caribbean dishes being offered are curried goat, oxtail and sweet plantains to appeal the pallets of customers in the Hampton Roads area.

Jammin Jerk BBQ will be open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 10:00 am – 9:30 pm; Saturday from 11:00 am – 10:00 pm and Sunday from 1:30 pm – 8:00 pm. For further information call 757.923.2934.

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