

Proclamation

CELEBRATING THE GIRL SCOUTS TURNING 114

Whereas, on March 12, 1912, Juliette “Daisy” Gordon Low founded Girl Scouts in Savannah, Georgia, creating opportunities for girls to develop courage, confidence, and character; and

Whereas, for 114 years, Girl Scouts has remained a premier leadership development organization, empowering girls to become innovators, risk-takers, and leaders who make a positive impact in their communities; and

Whereas, Girl Scouts of Southeast Florida serves more than 6,900 girls ages 5 to 17 across Broward, Palm Beach, Martin, St. Lucie, Indian River, and Okeechobee counties; and

Whereas, Girl Scouts encourages girls to give back through community service and civic engagement, helping them develop a lifelong commitment to leadership, volunteerism, and strengthening their communities; and

Whereas, through programs in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM), entrepreneurship, the outdoors, and civic engagement, Girl Scouts equip girls with essential life skills and opportunities for service; and

Whereas, Girl Scouts continue to provide a safe and supportive environment that nurtures confidence, resilience, and leadership in the next generation.

Now, Therefore, be it Proclaimed by the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, that March 12, 2026, is hereby recognized as Girl Scouts Day in Indian River County, and we commend Girl Scouts of Southeast Florida for 114 years of leadership, service, and commitment to empowering girls to make a positive impact in their communities.

Adopted this 10th day of March, 2026.

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