

Proclamation

DEDICATING NOVEMBER 13TH THROUGH 19TH AS NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK

Whereas, National Apprenticeship Week raises awareness of the vital role that Registered Apprenticeships provide. They offer the opportunity to earn a steady income while gaining access to quality jobs in Indian River County and throughout the nation; and

Whereas, Registered Apprenticeship programs enable employers to develop and train their future workforce while offering career-seeking individuals affordable paths to secure lucrative jobs; and

Whereas, Indian River County recognizes the role of Registered Apprenticeships in expanding opportunities in our workforce that are inclusive of all individuals regardless of age, race, gender, disability or socioeconomic background. Apprentices provide essential services and contribute to America's key industries; and

Whereas, Registered Apprenticeships provide young adults with access to stable and long-term careers. In addition, Registered Apprenticeships address some of our nation's pressing workforce challenges such as rebuilding our country's infrastructure and undertaking critical supply chain demands.

Now, Therefore, be it Proclaimed by the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, do hereby declare the week of November 13th through 19th, 2023 as National Apprenticeship Week.

Adopted this 7th day of November, 2023.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA

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