

**PROCLAMATION HONORING  
BETH MITCHELL**

**ON HER RETIREMENT FROM THE SEBASTIAN RIVER AREA  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

**WHEREAS**, Beth Mitchell has served as President of the Sebastian River Area Chamber of Commerce for 18 years; and

**WHEREAS**, under Beth's leadership, the Sebastian River Area Chamber of Commerce raised funds for the Pelican Porch Visitors Center, enabled the designation of the Scenic Byway extension through Fellsmere, partnered with Visit Florida, and implemented a marketing plan for North Indian River County, including the creation of the Fellsmere and Sebastian Destination Videos; and

**WHEREAS**, Beth created Concerts in the Park and was a board member of the Sebastian Fine Arts & Music Festival, Fellsmere Frog Leg Festival and Indian River County Lionfish Festival; and

**WHEREAS**, Beth served on the City of Sebastian Charter Review Committee, Community Redevelopment Agency, and Working Waterfront Committee and she currently serves as board member for United Way of Indian River County and Sebastian River Medical Center; and is in her 4<sup>th</sup> term as Sebastian Inlet District Commissioner; and

**WHEREAS**, Beth has served on numerous Indian River County boards and committees including: Affordable Housing, Economic Development Council, Impact Fee Task Force, and Beach & Shore Preservation Advisory Committee, all for the betterment of Indian River County.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA** that the Board honors Beth Mitchell and her tireless work as President of the Sebastian River Area Chamber of Commerce, and expresses its appreciation for her 18 years of service to the community and Indian River County.

Adopted this 22nd day of January, 2019

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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA**

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