

Charlotte County Florida



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Arts and Humanities activities in Charlotte County make a significant contribution to cultural expression in our County as well as promote the economic vitality of the community, through job creation, sales tax revenue and aesthetic enjoyment; and

WHEREAS, the Arts and Humanities Council of Charlotte County is charged with the responsibility of developing programs that support all artists, performing, musical and visual; and

WHEREAS, in August 1998, the Arts and Humanities Council developed the Artist of the Month program to support and recognize achievement by local visual artists; and

WHEREAS, by providing works of art to be displayed in public locations throughout the County, these artists greatly enhance our opportunity to enjoy their creativity; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners supports the Arts and Humanities Council in its mission of support and recognition for these local visual artists embodied in the Artist of the Month program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the month of October 2014 shall be known in all of Charlotte County as

Robin Leonard
Arts and Humanities Council Artist of the Month

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED this 28th day of October 2014.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By _____
Kenneth W. Doherty, Chairman

ATTEST:

Barbara T. Scott, Clerk of Circuit
Court and Ex-officio Clerk to the
Board of County Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Raymond J. Sandrock, County Administrator

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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Donald John Seiler, known to all as "DJ" was employed with Charlotte County since February 1, 1985 for a total of nearly 30 years; and

WHEREAS, DJ was hired by the Port Charlotte - Charlotte Harbor Fire Department in 1985, which later became part of Charlotte County Fire & EMS, and has seen many changes through the years including the consolidation of all of the individual fire departments, including Emergency Medical Services, into the single department we have today and has taken an active role in the cross-training of its members; and

WHEREAS, DJ was elected to serve his fellow employees as their representative with the International Association of Firefighters Local 3060 and throughout consolidation with Local 2546, serving in virtually every capacity as such, and has had the opportunity to work with many Chiefs and staff over the years, helping to make a difference in the department and in the community he served; and

WHEREAS, DJ's presence and dedication to the Charlotte County Fire/EMS Department will be sorely missed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that November 3, 2014 shall be known in all of Charlotte County as

DJ Seiler Day

and our community has been privileged in enjoying DJ's dedicated service to the County and its citizens, and wishes to recognize and thank him for his many contributions over these many years.

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WHEREAS, of all the important days we celebrate throughout the year, few are more worthy of special observance than Veterans Day; and

WHEREAS, citizens of our nation and state enjoy freedom today because of the contributions and sacrifices made by the men and women who served in the armed forces when our freedom was challenged; and

WHEREAS, today, more than a million Florida veterans continue their dedication to the highest ideals of Americanism to strengthen the fortress of our prized national freedom; and

WHEREAS, we can never repay our debt to our veterans for it is beyond any tangible price, but we can show our gratitude for their exemplary deeds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that November 8, 2014 shall be known in all of Charlotte County as

El Jobean Pre-Veterans Day Observance

and all citizens are urged to join in a day of remembrance in El Jobean and be thankful to the veterans, the servicemen, and the servicewomen for the devotion they have shown their community, state and nation.

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WHEREAS, lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths in the United States, accounting for 30% of all deaths from cancer, and taking the lives of more Americans each year than breast, prostate, colon, liver and kidney cancer combined and is the leading cause of death in Charlotte County; and

WHEREAS, nearly 60% of all lung cancers are diagnosed in people who did the right thing for their health and either quit smoking or never smoked, and roughly 20% of all lung cancer cases were found in people who have no history of smoking but may have been exposed to carcinogens in their environment; and

WHEREAS, an approved lung cancer screening protocol was endorsed by the United States Preventative Task Force that will require private insurers to pay for screening without a co-pay or deductible being in 2015; and

WHEREAS, the promotion of lung cancer screening and early detection among our high risk population has the potential to double or triple the lung cancer survival rate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the month of November 2014 shall be known in all of Charlotte County as

Lung Cancer Awareness Month

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WHEREAS, the history and culture of our great nation have been significantly influenced by American Indians and indigenous peoples; and

WHEREAS, the contributions of American Indians have enhanced the freedom, prosperity, and greatness of America today and their customs and traditions are respected and celebrated as part of a rich legacy throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, Native American Awareness Week began in 1976 and recognition was expanded by Congress and approved by President George Bush in August 1990, designating the month of November as National American Indian Heritage Month; and

WHEREAS, in honor of National American Indian Heritage Month, community celebrations as well as numerous cultural, artistic, educational and historical activities have been planned.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that November 2014, shall be known in all of Charlotte County as

National American Indian Heritage Month

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WHEREAS, perioperative nurses specialize in the care of patients immediately before, during and after surgical and other invasive procedures; and

WHEREAS, these professionals serve in settings ranging from traditional hospital-based operating rooms to ambulatory surgery centers and physicians' offices, providing the safest care possible; and

WHEREAS, perioperative nurses assess individual patient needs prior to and throughout the surgical or invasive experience, develop, implement, and continuously evaluate a plan for the care of the patient, and prepare the operating room and patient for their procedure; and

WHEREAS, Perioperative Nurse Week recognizes the contribution perioperative registered nurses make to patients and the opportunities and challenges facing the profession.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that November 9 to 15, 2014, shall be known in all of Charlotte County as

Perioperative Nurse Week

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WHEREAS, the people of Charlotte County have great admiration and utmost gratitude toward all Veterans who have selflessly served our country and community in order to protect and preserve the freedoms enjoyed by our community and all Americans; and

WHEREAS, many members of our Armed Services have given their lives as the ultimate sacrifice, and we will never forget those brave men and women who died defending our freedom; and

WHEREAS, Charlotte County honors our Veterans with activities such as the Annual Veterans Appreciation parade, the Homeless Veterans Stand Down, the El Jobean Veterans Remembrance Service, the Purple Heart Dedication, the Veterans Concert and various other ceremonies and remembrances throughout the county; and

WHEREAS, we thank and honor our Charlotte County residents who served or are currently serving our country and helping to make America *the land of the free and the home of the brave*.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the month of November 2014, shall be known in all of Charlotte County as

Veterans Appreciation Month

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