

**A PROCLAMATION OF THE FLAGLER COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS DECLARING 100 YEARS OF CHANGE IN FLAGLER COUNTY, CELEBRATING THE UNITY NOW EXISTENT BETWEEN ALL RACES, CREEDS, NATIONAL ORIGINS, SELF IDENTIFICATIONS AND HUMANITY AS IT IS AND RECOGNIZING EQUALITY FOR ALL CITIZENS AND RECONCILIATION FOR OFFENSES LARGE AND SMALL.**

**WHEREAS**, Flagler County celebrates the harmony which now exist with the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the County was established during an era of racial divide and social ignorance that was hindered by incomplete notions of humanity; and

**WHEREAS**, for the first 50 years of existence, Flagler County acknowledges the treatment of all citizens was not equally applied, which embarrasses the modern social conscience; and

**WHEREAS**, Flagler County is home to a wide diversity of people of language, national origin, color, beliefs and self-identification who, enjoy sharing and mingling their lives, talents, hobbies and traditions with one another; and

**WHEREAS**, for many years the citizens of the County have been striving to be a community made up of not many separate communities, but a single minded community of diverse ideas and backgrounds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commission celebrates a positive, collective healing and reconciliation within our community and will continue to reaffirm our fundamental belief in human dignity and our unchanging reverence for human rights.

**NOW THEREFORE, THE FLAGLER COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** do hereby proclaim on this 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of this great community, that Flagler County and its residents be acknowledged for their great diversity and healing, for continuing social change, understanding and reconciliation.

Adopted this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2017.

Attest:

Flagler County Board of  
County Commissioners

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Tom Bexley, Clerk of the  
Circuit Court and Comptroller

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Nate McLaughlin  
Chair

