

PROCLAMATION

- **HEREAS**, the nation's 3,069 counties serving more than 330 million Americans provide essential services to create healthy, safe and vibrant communities; and
- **HEREAS*, counties fulfill a vast range of responsibilities and deliver services that touch nearly every aspect of our residents' lives; and
- **HEREAS**, Charlotte County and all counties take pride in our responsibility to protect and enhance the health, wellbeing and safety of our residents in efficient and cost-effective ways; and
- **HEREAS*, under the leadership of National Association of Counties President Mary Jo McGuire, NACo is highlighting county leadership through the lens ForwardTogether, celebrating the role of county governments in connecting, inspiring and leading as intergovernmental partners; and
- **HEREAS**, that role includes a responsibility to inspire county residents to engage with their communities, and to lead by highlighting our strength as intergovernmental partners; and
- **HEREAS*, each year since 1991 the National Association of Counties has encouraged counties across the country to elevate awareness of county responsibilities, programs and services; and
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the month of April 2024 shall be designated and observed in Charlotte County as

National County Government Month

and encourage all county officials, employees, schools and residents to participate in county government celebration activities.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED this 26th day of March 2024

	BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA
ATTEST:	By
	William G. Truex, Chairman
Roger D. Eaton, Clerk of Circuit Court and Ex-Officio Clerk to the	
Board of County Commissioners	APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Hector Flores, County Administrator