

**Before the Board of County Commissioners
Martin County, Florida**

A Proclamation

Declaring National Garden Week in Martin County, Florida

- Whereas,** gardeners have a passion for nurturing the beauty and resources of the earth through the planting of seeds, the care of all plants and the riches of their efforts; and
- Whereas,** gardeners seek to add beauty, splendor, fragrance and nutrition to our lives through the growing of herbs, vegetables, foliage and flowers. Gardeners advocate the importance of all creatures, large and small, that share our world and their roles in a balanced and productive ecology; and
- Whereas,** gardeners work to preserve our country's traditional spirit of independence and initiative through innovation and hard work; and
- Whereas,** gardening furnishes a productive activity for our citizens, promotes a healthy lifestyle that lasts a lifetime, helps reduce stress and teaches that rewards can come from diligent efforts; and
- Whereas,** gardening enables members of garden clubs across the nation to make a world of difference in the communities where they reside and work.

Now, therefore, be it proclaimed by the Martin County Board of County Commissioners that
The Board acknowledges the importance of gardening and the numerous contributions of gardeners and declares the week of June 5-11, 2022 as National Garden Week.

Presented this Seventh Day of June 2022

ATTEST:

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