

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

**A Proclamation**

**Declaring Census 2020 Kick-Off Day in Martin County, Florida**

**Whereas,** the United States Decennial Census of Population and Housing will be conducted beginning April 1, 2020; and

**Whereas,** the Martin County Board of County Commissioners is partnering with the United States Department of Commerce and many local organizations in the formation of a Complete Count Committee to assure that residents of our area are counted in the census; and

**Whereas,** the information collected in the census serves many useful purposes, including apportionment of representation in Congress and other legislative bodies, measurement of the economic well-being of communities and their inhabitants, allotment of certain federal and state tax revenue and other financial aid to our community, and determination of future need for public services and other benefits; and

**Whereas,** the theme for the 2020 Census, “Shape Your Future,” reflects the seriousness of full participation by all members of our community to be counted in the census for the betterment of our community.

**Now, therefore, be it proclaimed by the Martin County Board of County Commissioners that October 22, 2019 is Census 2020 Campaign Kick-Off Day in Martin County, Florida. The board encourages all citizens to stand and be counted as the future is in our hands.**

**Presented this Twenty-second Day of October 2019**

ATTEST:

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