

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Mariah Moody was born to Howard and Joan Moody and raised in Marion County, Florida and is the fifth generation of Moody's. Mariah Moody's sons, Tyler Chaffin and Ethan Chaffin, are the sixth generation; and

WHEREAS, Mariah Moody has many community service mentors in her immediate family. Mariah Moody's Great Grandfather, Bruce Moody, was President of the Belleview/South Marion Chamber of Commerce from 1965-1966. Her Grandfather, Harry Moody, was well known in the Belleview Community for his outdoor advertising business. Likewise, her Mother-in-Law, Paula Chaffin, served for 2 years on the City of Belleview's Planning and Zoning Board and then 5 years as a City of Belleview Commissioner. Mariah Moody served on the City of Belleview's Freedom Walk Committee from 2006-2010 and was also on the City of Belleview's Planning and Zoning Board from June 5, 2007 to May 18, 2008. Mariah Moody's son, Tyler Chaffin, is following in his mother's and his family's commitment to service by sitting on the newly formed City of Belleview's Youth Commission Board; and

WHEREAS, Mariah Moody, was recognized in 2005 as the New Business Person of the Year. In 2006-2008 she served as President of the Belleview Business Masters and in 2008 she received the Chamber of Commerce's Jim Waldron Life Time Achievement Award. In 2006-2008 she was also the President of the Belleview/South Marion Chamber of Commerce and currently serves as the Executive Director of the Chamber of Commerce. Each year she chairs the following events: Community Expo; Founders Day; Fall Festival/Nine Mile Pond; Pizza Wars; Chili Cook Off and the Christmas Parade; and

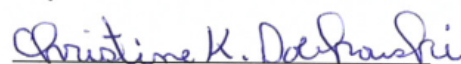
WHEREAS, Mariah Moody serves as the Chamber's liaison to the City of Belleview's Commission. In 2012 she was appointed as Executive Director of the newly formed City of Belleview's Economic Development Council (BEDC); Mariah Moody supervised the development of the BEDC logo and website and currently chairs the following BEDC's events: Friday Foodie Fest and the "Belleview Is" Marketing Campaign; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Christine K. Dobkowski, Mayor/ Commissioner of the City of Belleview, Florida on behalf of the Commission of the City of Belleview, do hereby

HONOR Mariah Moody on the 4th day of August, 2015

For her community service, accomplishments and commitment to the City of Belleview and bestow upon her our congratulations and our gratitude from the elected officials, City staff, and all the citizens of the City of Belleview.


City of Belleview:



CHRISTINE K. DOBKOWSKI

Mayor/Commissioner

Attest:



Sandi McKamey, MMC, CPM
City Administrator

