

Proclamation

City of North Port



Whereas, Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit, ecumenical housing ministry, founded in 1976, that seeks to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness from the world and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience and action; and

Whereas, in 1986, the United Nations designated the first Monday of October every year as World Habitat Day to encourage the reflection on the state of our towns and cities and the basic need of adequate shelter, and to remind the world of its collective responsibility for the future of the human habitat; and

Whereas, the Habitat for Humanity affiliate in South Sarasota County was incorporated in 1992; and

Whereas, since 1992, Habitat for Humanity South Sarasota has built more than 140 homes in partnership with volunteers and partner families; and

Whereas, it is fitting to set aside time to recognize the efforts of Habitat for Humanity in South Sarasota County and the labor of Habitat volunteers and the sweat equity contributed by families.

Now, Therefore, WE, the City Commission of the City of North Port, Florida, do hereby proclaim October 7, 2019 as

World Habitat Day

and call upon all citizens to join us in observing this day in the City of North Port.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE have hereunto set our hands and seal of the City of North Port, Florida, to be affixed this 3rd day of October 2019.

ATTEST

CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA

Heather Taylor, Deputy City Clerk

Christopher Hanks, Mayor

Debbie McDowell, Vice-Mayor

Vanessa Carusone, Commissioner

Pete Emrich, Commissioner

Jill Luke, Commissioner

