

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, mobility week is a cooperative effort by the Florida Department of Transportation and its partner agencies to promote awareness of safe, multimodal transportation choices by hosting an annual collection of outreach events; and

WHEREAS, mobility week is an ideal time for counties, cities, and transportation agencies to highlight transportation achievements, roll out new initiatives, and/or implement new policies promoting multimodal transportation; and

WHEREAS, mobility week is an opportunity for individuals to explore how various active travel choices like walking, biking, riding transit or carpooling reduces traffic congestion and can be excellent alternative travel choices; and

WHEREAS, since inception more than 1,000 mobility week events have been held statewide with over 500,000 safety materials to improve safety of people; and

WHEREAS, during mobility week 2023, over 220 workplaces and 1,000 Floridians record almost 18,000 trips through carpool/vanpool, biking, transit, and walking; and

WHEREAS, mobility week is consistent with the City of North Port's key priority of promoting multimodal transportation opportunities throughout the City to meet current and future needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the City Commission of the City of North Port, Florida, do hereby proclaim October 25th through November 2nd, 2024, as

"Mobility Week"

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 2024.

CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA

Alice White, Mayor

Phil Stokes, Vice-Mayor

Debbie McDowell, Commissioner



Barbara Langdon, Commissioner

Pete Emrich, Commissioner

ATTEST

Heather Faust, City Clerk