## RESOLUTION OF THE

## SEMINOLE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS RECOGNIZING THE SANFORD BABE RUTH LEAGUE 2025 8U ALL STAR TEAM AND THE 12U ALL STAR TEAM

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sanford and the Sanford Babe Ruth League have always had a long-standing tradition of providing baseball opportunities to approximately 900 kids each year throughout Seminole County.

**WHEREAS**, the Sanford Babe Ruth All Stars 8U baseball team proudly represented the City of Sanford, Seminole County, and District 4 at the State Championship tournament held in Lake City Florida; and competed in and won the Northern Florida District 4 Tournament at New Smyrna Beach, Florida, going 4 and 0 during the tournament; and

WHEREAS, the Sanford Babe Ruth 8U All Stars received an invitation to play in the World Series in Ocala, Florida where they showed exceptional performance in pool play and made it to the tournament finals where they lost in a close game 6-4 to the Champions from Aruba.

WHEREAS, the Sanford Babe Ruth All Stars 12 U Baseball team competed in and won the Northern Florida District 4 Tournament, sending them to the State Championship held in Jacksonville Florida, where the team won their first Babe Ruth State Championship and finished the season with an 8-4 record; and

WHEREAS, the Sanford Baseball All Stars 12 U team proudly represented Sanford, Seminole County, and the North Forida District at the Babe Ruth Southeast Regional tournament where they finished in third place in the Southeast Region with wins against teams from South Carolina and North Carolina and finished the season with a 11-3 final record; and

WHEREAS, the young athletes and coaches of the Sanford Babe Ruth 8U and 12U All Star teams, through their unwavering dedication, exceptional teamwork, and relentless perseverance, have become hometown heroes for the City of Sanford and Seminole County, setting an inspiring example of commitment and passion for the entire community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that we, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County, Florida, do hereby congratulate the Sanford Babe Ruth League's 8U and 12U All Star Teams for their historic accomplishment and tremendous achievement this past season.

2025 Sanford Babe Ruth 8U All Star Team-Babe Ruth World Series Runner Up

2025 Sanford Babe Ruth 12U All Star Team- Babe Ruth State Champion

ADOPTED this 23rd day of September 2025

Jay Zembower, Chairman Seminole County Board of County Commissioners