## PROCLAMATION OF THE

## SEMINOLE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROCLAIMING 2024 AS HEART OF FLORIDA UNITED WAY'S 85TH ANNIVERSARY IN SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

**WHEREAS**, Heart of Florida United Way has served Central Florida for the past 85 years; and

**WHEREAS**, throughout the past eight decades, the organization has been an unwavering force for good, advocating to ensure that residents of Seminole County have the opportunity to achieve financial stability, access education, maintain their health and wellness, and meet their basic needs; and

**WHEREAS**, Heart of Florida United Way impacts hundreds of thousands of people who we call ALICE — Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed — in the tri-county area each year; and

**WHEREAS**, as the largest nonprofit human services provider in Central Florida, Heart of Florida United Way holds a unique position to strategically assess community challenges and collaborate with local businesses, governments, elected officials, generous donors, volunteers and non-profit organizations to create enduring change for future generations; and

**WHEREAS,** Heart of Florida United Way remains committed to pioneering innovative solutions to dismantle barriers and promote equity, both through strategic investments and direct impact programs, all of which address the most urgent needs of Central Florida's communities; and

**WHEREAS**, Heart of Florida United Way is committed to remaining an integral part of Seminole County for the next 85 years and beyond, continuing to serve the county's unique needs with dedication and compassion.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that we, the Seminole Board of County Commissioners, do hereby proclaim 2024 as:

**HEART OF FLORIDA UNITED WAY'S 85TH ANNIVERSARY** 

ADOPTED this 14th day of May 2024.

Jay Zembower, Chairman

**Seminole County, Board of County Commissioners**