PROCLAMATION OF THE

SEMINOLE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 17 - FEBRUARY 21, 2025 AS

FOOD CHECK-OUT WEEK IN SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

WHEREAS, it is important that Americans have access to healthful foods containing adequate vitamins, minerals, fiber, and other nutrients; and

WHEREAS, achieving better nutrition with fewer resources remains a shared concern of our citizens and;

WHEREAS, this concern can be addressed through consumer education about wise shopping strategies; and

WHEREAS, Florida farmers and ranchers are unmatched in their ability to consistently produce an abundance of safe, nutritious, and affordable food; and

WHEREAS, Florida farmers face significant uncertainties including inclement weather, damaging insects and other challenges, on a daily basis; and

WHEREAS, Seminole County farmers, ranchers, and others in the agriculture industry, work together in an environmentally sustainable way, to help feed people here in Seminole County, our state, our nation and other countries around the world.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Seminole County Board of County Commissioners hereby proclaims the week of February 17 – February 21, 2025 as **Food Check-Out Week** in Seminole County, Florida.

ADOPTED this 28th day of January 2025

Jay Zembower, Chairman Seminole County Board of County Commissioners