

Indian River State College
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION
for Treasure Coast First Responders

WHEREAS, the Indian River State College District Board of Trustees recognizes the vital importance of first responders in ensuring the health, safety and security of Treasure Coast communities; and

WHEREAS, Florida Governor Rick Scott has proclaimed January 5 to 9, 2015, as "Florida First Responder Appreciation Week" to honor these selfless public servants for their bravery and vigilant dedication to public safety; and

WHEREAS, IRSC is proud to honor the region's first responder agencies, including the Sheriff's Office in St. Lucie, Martin, Indian River, and Okeechobee counties; the Police Departments of Fort Pierce, Port St. Lucie, Vero Beach, Stuart, Sewall's Point, Jupiter Island, Fellsmere, Sebastian, Okeechobee and Indian River Shores Public Safety; and Fire Rescue for St. Lucie County, Martin County, Indian River County, Okeechobee City and County, Stuart, and Indian River Shores; and

WHEREAS, these highly effective agencies partner with IRSC to create a safe learning environment for students, faculty and staff engaged in education, provide valued expertise as adjunct faculty, mentors, advisors, advisory committee members, and guest lecturers, and provide support for the College's special events; and

WHEREAS, IRSC is proud to support our region's first responders through academic, vocational and certification training programs, specialized seminars, scholarships, and support to the Indian River Crime Lab, 19th Judicial Circuit Medical Examiner, and Victim Support Services Program, all in state-of-the-art facilities; and

WHEREAS, offering public safety education for over 45 years, IRSC has a long history of collaboration with Treasure Coast agencies to provide a successful career path for the College's graduates;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Indian River State College extends sincere thanks and appreciation to Treasure Coast first responders for their outstanding service to IRSC and all the residents of Florida's Treasure Coast.

Dated this 27th day of January, 2015.

DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF
INDIAN RIVER STATE COLLEGE

By: Phoebe Raulerson
Phoebe H. Raulerson
Chair

By: Edwin R. Massey
Edwin R. Massey, Ph.D.
Secretary

