

WHEREAS, the Treasure Coast Chapter of The Charmettes, Inc. in collaboration with the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Commemorative Committee recognizes the value of simple acts of kindness performed without prompting or reason and how these acts can positively impact the performer, the recipient and onlookers of the good deed; and

WHEREAS, people of any age can participate in random acts of kindness any time, any place and for the unselfish purpose of spreading goodwill; and

WHEREAS, community leaders, teachers, students, and citizens should help to create a kinder, more caring community throughout our beautiful city, and can help to perpetuate genuine acts of kindness through their own friendly behaviors and positive actions; and

WHEREAS, by providing random acts of kindness and reaching out to one another, we promote the late Dr. King's idea of responsibility, compassion, honesty and moral courage; and

WHEREAS, random acts of kindness may provide the awareness of and an avenue for recognition and commendation for efforts put forth in reaching out to help one another.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Linda Hudson, Mayor of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, do hereby proclaim the week of January 6 – 13, 2017:

WEEK OF KINDNESS

and urge all citizens of our community to perform and recognize random acts of kindness.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, to be affixed this 3rd day of January, 2017.

MAYOR/COMMISSIONER