



Town of Lake Park Town Commission

Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date: 9/2/2026

Originating Department: CRA

Agenda Title: Proclamation - Florida Redevelopment Week - September 14-18, 2026

Agenda Category: Special Presentation

Approved by Town Manager: _____ **Date:** _____

Cost of Item: \$0.00 **Funding Source:** _____

Account Number: _____ **Finance Signature:** _____

Advertised:

Date: _____ **Newspaper:** _____

Attachments: Florida Redevelopment Week Proclamation

Please initial one:

_____ Yes I have notified everyone

_____ Not applicable in this case

Summary Explanation/Background:

Background:

On behalf of the Florida Redevelopment Association (FRA), the Lake Park Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) is requesting the CRA Board to adopt a proclamation recognizing Florida Redevelopment Week from September 14, 2026 to September 18, 2026.

The Lake Park Community Redevelopment Agencies play an important role in strengthening neighborhoods, revitalizing downtowns and commercial corridors, supporting local businesses, improving infrastructure, and creating vibrant places for residents and visitors. Through focused public investment and partnerships with property owners, businesses, residents and community organizations, redevelopment programs have been developed to assist with increasing investment, bring people to the downtown area, and create opportunities for long-term community improvement.

The Lake Park CRA was established in 1996 as a proactive effort to reverse declining conditions within the Town's designated redevelopment areas and restore a strong sense of place and community. Since its creation, the CRA has worked to leverage public investment and stimulate private investment through improvements to the physical and economic environment.

Over the past 30 years, the Lake Park CRA has supported significant improvements throughout the community, including streetscape enhancements along Park Avenue and 10th Street, improvements within the Town's Arts, Commerce, and Hometown Districts and alleyway improvements serving Park Avenue businesses. More recently, the CRA has continued to address downtown parking, housing conditions, economic development, public infrastructure and other priorities identified in the CRA Redevelopment Plan.

Florida Redevelopment Week provides an opportunity to recognize these efforts and highlight the important role redevelopment plays in Lake Park and communities throughout Florida. It also offers an opportunity to recognize the residents, businesses, property owners, community partners and public officials whose participation and investment contribute to the continued revitalization of Lake Park.

Recommended Motion:

No motion is required.