

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES

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AGENDA MEMO

TO: TOWN COUNCIL

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DATE: NOVEMBER 12, 2024

SUBJECT: PROCLAMATION – PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 17-23, 2024, AS HUNGER AND HOMELESSNESS AWARENESS WEEK

Background:

Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week is an annual event sponsored by the National Coalition for the Homeless and the National Student Campaign Against Hunger and Homelessness. It aims to raise awareness about the root causes of hunger and homelessness while promoting compassion and engagement within communities.

In the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, hunger and homelessness remain critical issues. The Homeless Coalition of Palm Beach County and the United Way Hunger Relief Advisory Council play vital roles in addressing these challenges by providing essential resources, services, and advocacy for affected individuals and families in the region, including our Town.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the Town Council adopt the proclamation for **Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week**, formally designating November 17-23, 2024, as a week of awareness, action, and support for efforts to combat hunger and homelessness in the community.