



PROCLAMATION

TOWN COUNCIL — TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES

WHEREAS, Arbor Day is an annual observance that celebrates the importance of trees and encourages tree planting and care as a way to promote environmental sustainability and community beautification; and

WHEREAS, trees play a vital role in reducing the erosion of topsoil by wind and water, cutting heating and cooling costs, moderating the temperature, cleaning the air, producing oxygen, and providing habitat for wildlife; and

WHEREAS, trees are a renewable resource that increase property values, enhance the economic vitality of business areas, and beautify our community; and

WHEREAS, Arbor Day was first celebrated in 1872 and has grown into a tradition recognized in communities across the United States and the world; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Loxahatchee Groves is committed to preserving its rural character and natural environment and encourages thoughtful stewardship through tree planting and landscape conservation efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Town proudly supports Arbor Day as a means to engage residents, businesses, and students in environmental education and conservation;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida, do hereby proclaim **April 25th, 2025, as Arbor Day** in the Town of Loxahatchee Groves and further encourage the citizens of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves to increase their knowledge of how to protect themselves and their property from flooding.

NATIONAL ARBOR DAY

*In the Town of Loxahatchee Grove,
Palm Beach County, Florida*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Anita Kane, Mayor of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Palm Beach County, Florida, do hereby affix my official signature and the Official Seal of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, FL, on this 1ST day of April 2025.

Anita Kane, Mayor

Valerie Oakes, CMC, Town Clerk