



Legislation Text

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Memorandum

**Date:** May 19, 2020

**To:** The Honorable Moke Simon, Chair, Lake County Board of Supervisors

**From:** Crystal Markytan, Director, Social Services

**Subject:** Adopt Proclamation designating the Month of May 2020, as Older Americans month and authorize the Chair to sign.

**Executive Summary:** (include fiscal and staffing impact narrative):

Older Americans Month  
May 2020  
A Proclamation

Whereas, the County of Lake includes roughly 20,000 citizens age 60 and older; and  
Whereas, the Area Agency on Aging is committed to valuing all individuals and recognizing their ongoing life achievements; and  
Whereas, the older adults in Lake County play an important role by continuing to contribute experience, knowledge, wisdom, and accomplishments; and

Whereas, our older adults are active community members involved in volunteering, mentorship, arts and culture, and civic engagement; and  
Whereas, recognizing the successes of community elders encourages their ongoing participation and further accomplishments; and

Whereas, our community can provide opportunities to allow older citizens to continue to flourish by:

- Emphasizing the importance of elders and their leadership by publicly recognizing their continued achievements
- Presenting opportunities for older Americans to share their wisdom, experience, and skills
- Recognizing older adults as a valuable asset in strengthening American communities

Now therefore, the Lake County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims May 2020 to be Older Americans Month. We urge every citizen to take time this month to recognize older adults and the people who serve and support them as powerful and vital citizens who greatly contribute to the

community.

**Consistency with Vision 2028 and/or Fiscal Crisis Management Plan** (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Well-being of Residents | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety               | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure   | <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Economic Development    | <input type="checkbox"/> Disaster Recovery           | <input type="checkbox"/> County Workforce | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Technology Upgrades</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Collaboration | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Process Efficiency | <input type="checkbox"/> Clear Lake       | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Revenue Generation</i>  |
|  |  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Cost Savings</i>        |

**If request for exemption from competitive bid in accordance with County Code Chapter 2 Sec. 2-38, fill in blanks below:**

Which exemption is being requested?

How long has Agreement been in place?

When was purchase last rebid?

Reason for request to waive bid?

**Recommended Action:** Adopt Proclamation designating the Month of May 2020, as Older Americans Month and authorize the Chair to sign.