

RESOLUTION NO. 87-M-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF  
ORANGE COUNTY SUPPORTING THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1987, AS  
"FAIR HOUSING MONTH" IN ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

WHEREAS, the greatest heritage of American citizenship is a system of government under laws devised by elected representatives of the people and administered by independent courts in which every American enjoys equal standing; and

WHEREAS, the strength of our nation, and of all its states and counties flows from the promise of individual equality and freedom of choice; and

WHEREAS, the nineteenth anniversary of the National Fair Housing Law, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, during the month of April, is an occasion for all Americans to rededicate themselves to the principle of freedom of choice and to participate in activities to eliminate vestiges of housing discrimination wherever they exist. This law guarantees for each citizen that critical, personal element of freedom of choice - selection of the home; and

WHEREAS, every citizen is dependent upon the rule of law in his or her daily affairs, and as fair housing is the policy of Orange County, implementation of that policy requires the positive commitment, involvement and support of each one of our citizens; and

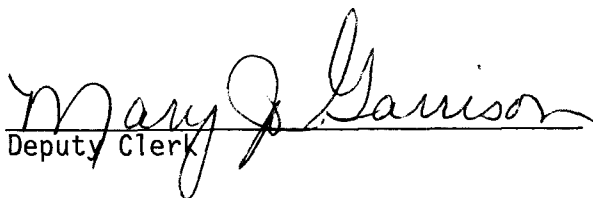
WHEREAS, barriers that diminish the rights and limit the options of any citizen will ultimately diminish the rights and limit the options of all.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, to designate April, 1987, as "Fair Housing Month" in Orange County, and urge the people, organizations, churches, schools and the communications media to observe "Fair Housing Month" with appropriate information and educational programs.

ADOPTED this 6th day of April, 1987.

  
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CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

ATTEST:

  
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Deputy Clerk

APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY  
COMMISSIONERS AT THEIR MEETING  
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