

APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS AT THEIR MEETING
DEC 09 1985

R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. dedicated his life so that all Americans may enjoy the freedoms guaranteed citizens under the Declaration of Independence and the United States Constitution; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King demonstrated that geographic boundaries or national origins do not impede man's ability to contribute to world peace efforts, as recognized by his receipt of the Nobel Peace Prize in 1964; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King dreamed of a better life for all humankind and advocated nonviolent methods of social change in the struggle for justice, equality and freedom; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King was born (in 1929) on January 15, which has been declared a legal holiday in the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the third Monday in January is a national holiday in celebration of Dr. King's birthday;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County, Florida, that the week beginning January 15, 1986, shall be "Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Week" in Orange County, in recognition of Dr. King's life.

DULY ADOPTED in regular session this 9th day of December 1985.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: Tom Dorman
TOM DORMAN, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

THOMAS H. LOCKER, CLERK

Board of County Commissioners

By: Dorothy E. Lambert
ASST-DEPUTY CLERK