

Proclamation

WHEREAS, National Minority Health Month's purpose is to highlight the importance of improving the health of racial and ethnic minorities by promoting health equity, eliminating health disparities, thereby improving the health of all groups within our community.

WHEREAS, racial and ethnic minorities account for the smallest population in Citrus County, yet bear the heaviest burden as it relates to poor health outcomes; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Health in Citrus County has assembled a coalition and developed a workplan and projects to address health inequity and disparities in the County; and

WHEREAS, the City of Crystal River believes there are important, long-term community benefits to be gained by working to improve the health outcomes of minority and ethnic populations; and

WHEREAS, the City of Crystal River and community partners can work together to ensure that access to health care and healthy living opportunities are available to all residents and community members; and

WHEREAS, the City of Crystal River is calling upon each citizen and business to help end health inequity and health disparities.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved, on this 10th day of April, 2023, that by virtue of the authority vested in the City Council we do hereby proclaim the Month of April as:

National Minority Health Month

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Crystal River, Florida, this 10th day of April, 2023.

Joe Meek, Mayor

Attest:

Mia Fink, City Clerk

