

PASCO COUNTY RESOLUTION

Designating the month of March 2012 as “Extension Living Well Month”

Whereas, the health and well-being of the family is crucial to the functioning of the Nation and to providing adults and youth with the necessary skills and knowledge to help them achieve the best quality of life possible; and

Whereas, physically, psychologically, socially, and emotionally strong families provide strength for future generations; and

Whereas, Extension is a nationwide educational network through the land-grant universities, funded cooperatively through the U. S. Department of Agriculture, state governments and county governments; and

Whereas, University of Florida Cooperative Extension initiatives in nutrition, healthy lifestyles, food safety, financial management, parenting, and environmental health enable citizens to gain knowledge and skills to lead full and productive lives; and

Whereas, Extension offers educational workshops, seminars, publications and websites to help families and individuals, farms, businesses and communities; and

Whereas, the designation of “Extension Living Well Month” is a fitting tribute to the National Extension Association for Family and Consumer Sciences’ professionals and local staff who provide education that is critical to the quality of life of adults, youth, and families.

Now therefore, be it resolved by Pasco County Board of County Commissioners that the month of March 2012 be designated as

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and encourages our residents to take advantage of the educational opportunities that Family and Consumer Sciences agent, Family Nutrition Program educators, and Home and Community Education volunteers of the University of Florida offer in the community. These educators provide practical, research-based education that helps county residents in raising kids, eating right, spending smart, and living well.

Dated this 20th day of March 2012



Linda Tesar, Com. Pat Mulieri, Brenda Borjas, Betsy Crisp, and Karen Faverty (Photo by BJ Jarvis)

County Commissioners & other VIPs were presented with a personal copy of NEAFCS *Simply Florida* cookbook.