

# LAKE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



MAY 17, 2022

## RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF MAY, 2022

### SKIN CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

**WHEREAS, skin cancer is the most common of all cancers in the United States and worldwide. One in five Americans will get skin cancer in their lifetime; and**

**WHEREAS, more than two people die of skin cancer in the United States every hour with 9,500 people being diagnosed every day; and**

**WHEREAS, many people seek sun without taking the advised precautionary measures and are unaware that any darkening of the skin, including a tan, is indicative of UV damage. Ultraviolet radiation is a proven human carcinogen; and**

**WHEREAS, head to toe skin examinations should be performed on a monthly basis because skin cancers are highly treatable when treated early. When treated early, the five-year survival rate for melanoma is 99 percent.**

**NOW THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners in and for Lake County hereby proclaims**

**The month of May, 2022**

**as Skin Cancer Awareness Month**

**and encourage everyone to protect themselves by avoiding indoor tanning and, when enjoying the sun, by wearing hats and sunglasses and always using SPF30+ sunscreen.**

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JOHN R. HAMERCHECK, PRESIDENT

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JOHN PLECNİK, VICE PRESIDENT

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RON YOUNG, COMMISSIONER