

**PROCLAMATION OF  
WELLINGTON, FLORIDA'S COUNCIL  
DECLARING APRIL AS  
NATIONAL DONATE LIFE MONTH IN THE  
VILLAGE OF WELLINGTON, FLORIDA**

*WHEREAS, 114,000 Americans and 5,318 Floridians are currently on the national transplant waiting list; and*

*WHEREAS, another person is added to the waiting list every ten (10) minutes and, on average, twenty-two people die every day because the organs they need are not donated in time; and*

*WHEREAS, the most effective way to address this health crisis is to educate and encourage citizens to commit to: registering their decision to become an organ, eye and tissue donor in the National Donate Life Registry, RegisterMe.org or in the Joshua Abbott Organ and Tissue Donor Registry, DonateLifeFlorida. Org or at their local DMV or Tax Collector's office and learn more about living donation; and*

*WHEREAS, Wellington's Council believes that the Donate Life cause of saving and healing lives through organ, eye and tissue donation is of immediate and worthwhile importance.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, Wellington, Florida's Council hereby declares the month of April as National Donate Life Month in Wellington.*

*IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and cause the Seal of the Village of Wellington, Florida to be affixed this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019.*

**ATTEST:**

**WELLINGTON**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Chevelle Nubin, Village Clerk

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Anne Gerwig, Mayor