

**RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM MAY 2023
BUSINESS APPRECIATION MONTH**

WHEREAS, the Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia has traditionally recognized May 2023 as **Business Appreciation Month** in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and called this observance to the attention of all citizens; and,

WHEREAS, businesses in Isle of Wight County play essential roles in strengthening our community through innovation, creation and expansion; and,

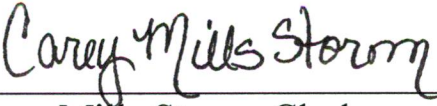
WHEREAS, Isle of Wight County businesses provide over 9,700 jobs and offer a variety of products and services to customers around the globe; and,

WHEREAS, 99 percent of Isle of Wight County companies are small businesses; and,

WHEREAS, Isle of Wight County recognizes the accomplishments of our entrepreneurs, small and medium size businesses, and major employers that contribute greatly to the economy and culture of the County and to the Commonwealth of Virginia.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Isle of Wight, Virginia, that the month of May 2023 be designated as Business Appreciation Month and call this observance to the attention of all our citizens.


Adopted this 20th day of April, 2023.



Carey Mills Storm, Clerk



William M. McCarty, Chairman

Approved as to form:


Robert W. Jones, Jr., County Attorney