



*Indian River County Historical Society*

Dear Friends,

It was my pleasure to serve as last year's President of the Indian River County Historical Society.

Local history is not simply a record of the past - it is a living resource that helps us understand who we are, how we arrived here, and what values we want to carry forward. This past year, I was reminded of just how essential local history is to our shared identity. The stories preserved in our archives, shared by our docents, the artifacts cared for by our volunteers, and the historic sites we maintain, all serve to guide us, ground us, and inspire future generations.

I extend my gratitude for your support of the Indian River County Historical Society. Whether you participated in our programs, volunteered your time, or made a financial contribution, your commitment strengthened our organization and enriched our community.

None of what we do would be possible without the dedication of our members and community partners.

Jay Whiddon  
President  
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