



PROCLAMATION

September 10 – 18, 2016

“National Drive Electric Week”

WHEREAS, National Drive Electric Week is a nationwide celebration that will take place September 10 – 18, 2016, drawing global attention to the environmental, economic, and other benefits of plug-in electronic vehicles and encouraging use of these vehicles powered by clean, affordable, domestic electricity; and

WHEREAS, this year’s National Drive Electric Week celebration, “Electrify the Island,” is designed to unite the local area as a focal point for electric vehicle use and empower residents and visitors to continue adopting sustainable practices; and

WHEREAS, National Drive Electric Week will be hosted by Mote Marine Laboratory - a world-class marine research institution with a Sustainable Energy Initiative to support and implement the use of eco-friendly technologies in its operations - with local event partners City of Sarasota and Sarasota County, along with national partners Sierra Club, Electric Auto Association, and Plug In America representing drivers and supporters of plug-in vehicles.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Commission of the Town of Longboat Key, Florida, and on behalf of the citizens of our community, takes great pride in recognizing September 10 - 18, 2016 as

“National Drive Electric Week”

a week of special importance and worthy of the recognition of the citizens of the Town of Longboat Key.

Jack Duncan, Mayor

ATTEST:

Trish Granger, Town Clerk



End of Agenda Item