## Treasure Coast Builders Association is Celebrating Careers in Construction Month: A Collaborative Effort Recognized by Local and State Authorities



Receiving the Martin County Board of County Commissioners Proclamation included, from left, Bob Zaccheo of Project LIFT, Ronnie Kirchman of Kirchman Construction, Maddie Wiliams of Skilled Trades of the Treasure Coast, TCBA President Niki Norton of N2 Architecture & Design, Kevin Farrell of the Martin County Boys & Girls Clubs and Commissioner Ed Ciampi.

Port St. Lucie, FL— In a joint effort to highlight the significance of the construction industry and the skilled professionals who contribute to its growth, October has been officially declared as "Careers in Construction Month" by the counties of Martin, St. Lucie, Indian River, and Okeechobee, as well as the City of Port St. Lucie and Ft. Pierce, Florida. This recognition is further endorsed by the esteemed Governor Ron DeSantis.

The construction sector plays a pivotal role in the economic development of our communities, creating job opportunities, and enhancing the overall infrastructure. "Careers in Construction Month" serves as an occasion to acknowledge and appreciate the hardworking individuals who build the foundations of our society.

Local authorities in Martin, St. Lucie, Indian River, and Okeechobee counties, along with the City of Port St. Lucie and Ft. Pierce, express their gratitude to the construction professionals who contribute to the growth and prosperity of our region. By designating October as "Careers in Construction Month," they

aim to help raise awareness about the diverse career opportunities available within the construction sector and encourage individuals to explore and pursue rewarding careers in this dynamic industry.

Throughout the month of October, and all year long, various events and educational programs including weeklong boot camps, job fairs and mentorships in both middle and high schools are organized to showcase the importance of construction careers. Partnerships with our local economic development organizations, training providers and other nonprofit organizations reinforce all these efforts. These initiatives provide valuable insights into the skills required, training opportunities available, and the positive impact that individuals can make by choosing a career in construction.

The collaborative effort of local and state authorities in recognizing "Careers in Construction Month" underscores the shared commitment to supporting and promoting the construction industry. It is an invitation to the community to join in celebrating the achievements of construction professionals, and for young adults and under employed individuals to consider the exciting possibilities that a career in construction can offer.

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