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Resolution of the Chatham County Board of Commissioners

Proclaiming February 2016 as We Love Seniors Month

Chatham's older adults are living history and vital to our present and future. Persons aged 60 and older compose a major part of our community – numbering an estimated 21,300 as of July 2015, or about 30 percent of Chatham residents. Woven throughout the fabric of Chatham County as family members, friends, neighbors, co-workers, community leaders, volunteers and caregivers, they merit our respect and appreciation for their many contributions. They have significantly helped all of Chatham define and realize the sense of community we all enjoy today.

Continuing a local tradition, the Chatham County Council on Aging is leading the call to use the spirit of Valentine's Day in February to recognize and value the talents, resourcefulness, imagination and commitment of our seniors. The Council on Aging also thanks the community for its help in ensuring that Chatham County remains a place in which older people can live safely and with dignity and can stay actively and productively engaged.

Now, therefore, we, the Chatham County Board of Commissioners, to honor our older citizens and the work of our Council on Aging, do hereby proclaim February 2016 as We Love Seniors Month in Chatham County and commend this observance to all community members.

Adopted, this the ____ day of _____.

Jim Crawford, Chairman
Chatham County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Lindsay K. Ray, Clerk to the Board
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