

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA**

RESOLUTION 2024 –

WHEREAS, Premier Community HealthCare Group, Inc., which was founded on July 9, 1979, is a non-profit community health center whose mission is to help people live healthier lives by providing accessible, high quality, and comprehensive health services to all; and

WHEREAS, Premier operates eighteen conveniently located clinics and two mobile units throughout Hernando County and neighboring Pasco County; and

WHEREAS, Premier provides a full range of comprehensive primary care medical services that include family medicine, pediatrics, dental, behavioral health and substance use disorder, obstetrics and gynecology, podiatry, chiropractic care; and

WHEREAS, through 143,761 visits, 40,954 patients received essential medical care in 2023; and

WHEREAS, 83% of Premier's patient population is made up of patients who are uninsured or publicly insured; and

WHEREAS, Premier is one of over 1,400 community health centers in the United States and its territories required by law to cater to medically underserved populations; and

WHEREAS, Premier is the only Federally Qualified Health Center serving the Hernando County community with affordable healthcare options; and

WHEREAS, Premier has been committed to improving access to care for everyone with its long-standing presence in the community since 1979, and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida recognized Premier on their 45th anniversary for their commitment to the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HERNANDO COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The Board of County Commissioners hereby proclaim July 9, 2024, as **PREMIER COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DAY** in Hernando County.

SECTION 2. The Board of County Commissioners urges all residents of Hernando County to join us in extending sincere congratulations and gratitude to Premier Community HealthCare for providing high-quality comprehensive health care services to our community.

ADOPTED in Regular Session this 13th day of August 2024, A.D.

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Attest:

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