

# RESOLUTION

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED AT THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA, ON THE 25<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH, A.D., 2003.

**WHEREAS**, Seminole County Cultural Arts Council, Inc. and the Seminole County Board of County Commissioners recognize the important role art plays in our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Seminole County Board of County Commissioners would like to recognize a local artist; and

**WHEREAS**, the Seminole County Cultural Arts Council has selected, Claire Lavin, as the first to be recognized as Seminole County's "Artist of the Year"; and

**WHEREAS**, Claire Lavin is a Mixed Media Designer and Artist. She is the author of six arts and crafts instruction books, and she has been a designer and illustrator for numerous projects including Crafts Magazine. Claire Lavin is presently concentrating on design, development, and exhibition of Integrated Design Collection and philosophy; and

**WHEREAS**, Claire Lavin is a visible figure in the arts community as an accomplished artist within Seminole County and is an active supporter of the arts in our County; and

**WHEREAS**, Claire Lavin contributes her time, talent, and efforts to promote new and established artists throughout the County. She is a "hands on" teacher, "hands on" advocate, and "hands on" assistant to fellow cultural artists; and

**WHEREAS**, Claire Lavin is a Board member of the Casselberry Center for the Arts, a member of the Orlando Visual Arts League (OVAL), the Orlando Museum of Art, and has been provided membership into the Seminole Cultural Arts Council, Inc.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Seminole County Board of Commissioners wishes to commend Claire Lavin for her talent and her efforts to promote artists throughout the County.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this Resolution be spread upon the Official Minutes by the Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County, Florida and that this Resolution be presented to Claire Lavin with congratulations and best wishes upon her selection as Seminole County's "Artist of the Year".

**ADOPTED**, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, A.D., 2003.

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**ATTEST:**

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Maryanne Morse, Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners in and for the County of Seminole, State of Florida

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Daryl G. McLain, Chairman  
Board of County Commissioners  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_