WHEREAS, artist Martha Lent is a longtime Central Florida resident, whose passion for our state's natural beauty is evident in her recent works; and

WHEREAS, her newest piece, a larger than life mural entitled "A Celebration of Hope and Creativity," now welcomes visitors to the Florida Hospital Health Village SunRail Station; and

WHEREAS, the mural is affixed to the hospital's McRae Avenue parking garage and measures 12 feet wide by 40 feet tall and depicts a stunning Florida nature scene; and

WHEREAS, the piece is part of a larger project that provided enhancements to the entire Loch Haven Cultural Park, which was made possible through the hard work of Martha Lent, along with the partnership between the City of Orlando, Florida Hospital and SunRail; and

WHEREAS, this mural is added to Martha Lent's impressive list of public art pieces including works at the Orange County/Orlando Magic Goldenrod Recreation Center, the Deltona Regional Children's Library, Capital Regional Medical Center in Tallahassee and Shands Hospital in Jacksonville; and

WHEREAS, Martha Lent has inspired many students in the study of the arts through the development of arts-integrated curriculums for youth and adults through community outreach programs;

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, Buddy Dyer, Mayor of the City of Orlando, and Robert F. Stuart, District 3 City Commissioner, hereby do proclaim Monday, February 27, 2017, as

"Martha Lent Day"

in the City of Orlando as a token of grateful appreciation for her contribution to the artistic landscape of our City Beautiful and for her dedication and passion to bringing art to everyone.

> IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and caused the Seal of the City of Orlando to be affixed this 27th of February, 2017.

Robert F. Stuart, City Commissioner,

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