May 31, 2019

Mr. Jeff Johnson  
State Director, AARP Florida  
400 Carillon Parkway, #100  
St. Petersburg, FL 33716

RE: Marion County Support to Join AARP Network of Age Friendly States and Communities

Dear Mr. Johnson,

The Marion County Board of County Commissioners offers our support to Marion Senior Services, as the lead agency, in achieving the designation of an Age Friendly Community through the AARP Network of Age Friendly States and Communities and the World Health Organization Global Network of Age-Friendly Cities and Communities on behalf of Ocala/Marion County, Florida.

We believe it is in the interest of all Marion County residents to have a healthy and robust community in order for people of all age groups to live and thrive alongside each other.

We value the contribution of our aging population and will continue to support policy and programmatic work that is beneficial for people of all ages.

Sincerely,

Michelle Stone,  
Chairman