Dear Friends,

Since our founding in 2001, Florida has grown by 4 million people and continues to grow by nearly 1,000 people per day. This rate of growth makes our collective work even more vital. The more people we can educate about Florida’s natural resources, the better equipped we will be to protect them for future generations to enjoy.

Securing funds to create a permanent endowment helps ensure the long-term sustainability for future Master Naturalists. Your support sends a powerful message to state and university leaders about the benefits of FMNP.

Please see the other side of this document for the many ways to financially support the long-term growth and viability of FMNP. I hope you’ll join me in securing the future of this valuable program.

Sincerely,

Marty Main, Ph.D., Program Leader
UF/IFAS Florida Master Naturalist Program

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Thank You!
For more information, please contact Marty Main at (352) 294-2728, mmain@ufl.edu or John Hooker at 352-294-7868, jdhooker@ufl.edu.

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