

JEB BUSH
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

Mediation Week

WHEREAS, Florida is a leader in recognizing and promoting mediation as an alternative to litigation; and

WHEREAS, mediation is used by administrative agencies and court programs to effectively and efficiently resolve disputes; and

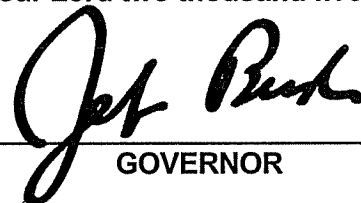
WHEREAS, mediation empowers individuals to develop solutions to conflicts that are tailored to their particular needs; and

WHEREAS, community-based mediation programs resolve neighborhood and community conflicts, strengthening relationships;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jeb Bush, Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all celebrating *Mediation Week*, October 16-22, 2005.



**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I
have hereunto set my hand
and caused the Great Seal of
the state of Florida to be affixed
at Tallahassee, the Capital, this
12th day of July in the year of
our Lord two thousand five.**


GOVERNOR