



Chatowsky Master Gardener of the Quarter!

Florence Chatowsky was named as the Martin County Master Gardener of the Quarter at the January monthly meeting. She has been a Master Gardener since November 1997. During those years she has enjoyed being part of their Shade House crew and was co-chair of that program for 4 years during which time she, along with the other Master Gardeners, offered great plants at the Master Gardeners' Fall and Spring Plant Sales. She participated in the Martin County Green School Program, worked on the community gardens at the Audubon House, the Martin County Extension Office and the Sea Gate Community Park.

Chatowsky will be familiar to many as she greeted and shared information with visitors to the Master Gardener Booth at the County Fair and has given presentations to the Master Gardeners on her favorite topics "Native Plants and "Vegetable Gardening" in Florida.

When presented with her award, Chatowsky was quoted, "Being a Master Gardener has been fun, dirty, and full of opportunities to learn about plants inside and out. I have met very interesting and talented people and it has been my pleasure". Congratulations Florence, for many jobs well done!