

Lee County Board Of County Commissioners  
Agenda Item Summary

Blue Sheet No. **20031294**

**1. REQUESTED MOTION:**

**ACTION REQUESTED:**

Present Cape Coral Citizen of the Year Resolution.

**WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY:**

**WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:**

**3. MEETING DATE:**

**9:30 #2**

**11-18-03**

**4. AGENDA:**

- CONSENT
- ADMINISTRATIVE
- APPEALS
- PUBLIC
- WALK ON
- TIME REQUIRED:

**5. REQUIREMENT/PURPOSE:**  
(Specify)

- STATUTE
- ORDINANCE
- ADMIN. CODE
- OTHER

**6. REQUESTOR OF INFORMATION:**

- A. COMMISSIONER Commissioner Coy
- B. DEPARTMENT County Commission
- C. DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_

BY: *Coy*  
*by Coy*

**7. BACKGROUND:**

**8. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS:**

**9. RECOMMENDED APPROVAL:**

A	B	C	D	E	F				G
Department Director	Purchasing or Contracts	Human Resources	Other	County Attorney	Budget Services				County Manager
					OA	OM	Risk	GC	
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

**10. COMMISSION ACTION:**

- APPROVED
- DENIED
- DEFERRED
- OTHER



LEE COUNTY  
SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

**The Board of County Commissioners**

**RESOLUTION**

Whereas: The Lee County Board of County Commissioners is pleased to have this opportunity to congratulate Bob Welsh upon receiving the 2003 Cape Coral Citizen of the Year Award; and

Whereas: Bob Welsh is a man who epitomizes the belief that it is better to give than to receive. He is a kind, giving, resilient and compassionate man as evidenced by the many organizations he supports through his money, time and talents. Bob has supported the American Cancer Society, Cape Coral Community Foundation, Cape Coral Police Department, Children's Science Center, Christian Chamber of Commerce, HELP Ministry, Mariner High School, Southwest Florida All Stars, and the list goes on; and

Whereas: During the 1999 Kosovo refugee crisis, Bob coordinated an effort to donate relief kits and money to help the displaced Kosovo refugees. As a result of Bob's leadership, First National Bank, Riverside Bank and Wal-Mart along with several community service clubs and churches were actively involved in this effort and collected nearly \$30,000 dollars in relief kits and cash being donated to the Kosovo refugees through a relief organization; and

Whereas: Bob is a good friend to those who know him and to many that have never met him. He is one of the busiest men around but will ALWAYS make time for his family, friends, and worthwhile causes. The number of lives he has touched with his generosity cannot be represented in a list. Bob Welsh represents the true meaning of what a Citizen of the Year should be and is truly deserving of this honor.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida would like to take this opportunity to express to you our sincere appreciation and heartfelt THANK YOU for your untiring efforts and dedication to making your community a better place for everyone.

Duly Executed this 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 2003.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA



Chairman