

Lee County Board Of County Commissioners
Agenda Item Summary

Blue Sheet No. **20040269**

1. REQUESTED MOTION:

ACTION REQUESTED:

Present Golden Fiftieth Anniversary of LARC, Inc. Resolution.

WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY:

WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:

2. DEPARTMENTAL CATEGORY: 3

COMMISSION DISTRICT: CW

9:30 #3

3. MEETING DATE:

03-23-2004

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 Albion

B. DEPARTMENT County Commission

C. DIVISION _____

BY: *Albion*
by kg

7. BACKGROUND:

8. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS:

9. RECOMMENDED APPROVAL:

A Department Director	B Purchasing or Contracts	C Human Resources	D Other	E County Attorney	F Budget Services				G 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
SOUTH WEST FLORIDA

The Board of County Commissioners

RESOLUTION

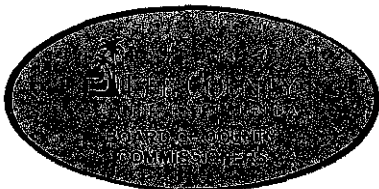
- Whereas: LARC, Inc. was established fifty years ago in March of the year 1954 as the first and only school in Lee County for children with mental retardation. A one room-ten student school house known then as the Lee County Association for Retarded Citizens; and
- Whereas: Over the past 50 years LARC, Inc. has consistently modified and added programs and opportunities in keeping with the times and the needs of people with developmental disabilities living in Lee County; and
- Whereas: Today LARC, Inc. provides Pre-Vocational training, Vocational training, a Supported Employment program, Residential Group Homes, Independent Living Services, and numerous other community inclusive opportunities for 300 local people with developmental disabilities; and
- Whereas: LARC, Inc. has positively influenced the lives of thousands of local people with disabilities and their families since 1954; and
- Whereas: After Fifty Years LARC, Inc. continues to be the primary provider of community-based programs, services and advocacy support anywhere in Lee County for our citizens with developmental disabilities and their families; and
- Whereas: LARC Inc. is a local United Way Partner agency providing a vital service in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida does hereby urge all citizens to join in celebrating the

GOLDEN FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF LARC, INC.

and recognizing this non-profit organization for their ongoing commitment toward enabling people with developmental disabilities to live full and productive lives of inclusion throughout the community.

Duly Executed this 23rd day of March 2004.



**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

Chairman