

Lee County Board Of County Commissioners
Agenda Item Summary

Blue Sheet No. **20041114**

1. REQUESTED MOTION:

ACTION REQUESTED:

Present National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month Resolution.

WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY:

WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:

2. DEPARTMENTAL CATEGORY: 3

COMMISSION DISTRICT: CW

9:30 #2

3. MEETING DATE:

09-07-2004

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 Judah
- B. DEPARTMENT County Commission
- C. DIVISION _____

BY: *Judah*
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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
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RESOLUTION

- Whereas:** Problems with drugs and alcohol continue to be prevalent here in Florida as well as in every other state in the nation; and
- Whereas:** There is ever-increasing hope that the tide can turn if more and more people with alcohol and drug use disorders are given access to the effective treatments which are available to them; and
- Whereas:** Failure to identify affected people and direct them to such treatments is a barrier to effective treatment and remains a significant problem for people with alcohol or drug use disorders; and
- Whereas:** Other barriers exist, including inadequate public and private insurance coverage for treatment services and shrinking state budgets that limit funding for treatment programs; and
- Whereas:** Saluting people who are in recovery from alcohol and drug use disorders, as well as those who have helped them obtain treatment, helps to overcome such barriers by educating the community about the benefits of treatment, and affirming the goal that all people with alcohol and drug use disorders should have access to treatment services; and
- Whereas:** To help achieve this goal, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration; the Office of National Drug Control Policy; and Southwest Florida Addiction Services invite all residents of Lee County, Florida, to participate in NATIONAL ALCOHOL AND DRUG ADDICTION RECOVERY MONTH (Recovery Month).

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida does hereby proclaim the month of September 2004, as

**NATIONAL ALCOHOL AND DRUG
ADDICTION RECOVERY MONTH**

in Lee County, Florida, and call upon all of its people to observe this month with appropriate programs, activities, and ceremonies supporting this year's theme, "Join the Voices for Recovery...Now!"

Duly Executed this 7th day of September 2004.

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



Chairman