

Lee County Board Of County Commissioners  
Agenda Item Summary

Blue Sheet No. **20041214**

**1. REQUESTED MOTION:**

**ACTION REQUESTED:**

Present 105<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of VFW Resolution.

**WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY:**

**WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:**

**2. DEPARTMENTAL CATEGORY: 3**

**COMMISSION DISTRICT: CW**

**9:30 #1**

**3. MEETING DATE:**

**09-28-2004**

**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 Coy
- B. DEPARTMENT County Commission
- C. DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_

BY: *Coy*  
*by kof*

**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



***The Board of County Commissioners***

**RESOLUTION**

- Whereas:** The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States was first established in 1899 when a group of 13 Spanish American War Veterans convened in Columbus, Ohio; and
- Whereas:** The purpose of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is to preserve and expand Veterans rights and benefits, advocating a strong national defense, promoting patriotism, and offering community service; and
- Whereas:** The Veterans of Foreign Wars is dedicated to assisting Veterans and family members with benefits available from the Veterans Administration, guiding and supporting them through the claims process; and
- Whereas:** The Veterans of Foreign Wars contributes greatly to our country and the community, with such programs as the Citizenship Education and Community Service program, the National Legislative Service, Military Assistance Program, the Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program and the Buddy Poppy program; and
- Whereas:** The Veterans of Foreign Wars was a leader in contributions to the World War II Memorial raising over \$2.6 million dollars for this project; and
- Whereas:** The Veterans of Foreign Wars national membership now sits at over 1.8 million Veterans who have served our country on foreign soil wherever duty calls; and
- Whereas:** The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States is celebrating its 105<sup>th</sup> anniversary of service to our Veterans, nation and community.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida is pleased to join District 13 of the VFW of the State of Florida in celebrating the honored occasion of 105 years of dedication and service to this great nation.**

**Duly Executed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 2004.**

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



**Chairman**