

**Lee County Board Of County Commissioners
Agenda Item Summary**

Blue Sheet No. 20061045

1. ACTION REQUESTED/PURPOSE:

Ceremonial Resolution recognizing Community Health Center Week

2. WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:

3. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATION:

4. DEPARTMENTAL CATEGORY: #3

CP #1

5. MEETING DATE:

August 15, 2006

6. AGENDA:

CONSENT
 ADMINISTRATIVE
 APPEALS
 PUBLIC
 WALK-ON

**7. REQUIREMENT/PURPOSE
(SPECIFY)**

STATUTE
 ORDINANCE
 ADMIN.
 CODE
 OTHER

8. REQUEST INITIATED:

COMMISSIONER _____
DEPARTMENT County Commission
DIVISION _____
BY: _____

9. BACKGROUND:

10. REVIEW FOR SCHEDULING

Department Director	Purchasing or Contracts	Human Resources	Other	County Attorney	Budget Services				County Manager/P.W. Director
					Analyst	Risk	Grants	Mgr.	
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

11. COMMISSION ACTION

Approved
 Deferred
 Denied
 Other



The Board of County Commissioners

RESOLUTION

- Whereas:** The Family Health Centers of Southwest Florida, Inc. is a private, not-for-profit corporation that has provided quality comprehensive primary health care to the medically and dentally underserved people of Lee County for more than 40 years; and
- Whereas:** Family Health Centers of Southwest Florida, Inc. has made great strides in expanding access to affordable health care and reducing health disparities; and
- Whereas:** Family Health Centers of Southwest Florida, Inc. delivered 1535 babies in 2005 at Health Park and Gulf Coast Hospitals; and
- Whereas:** Family Health Centers of Southwest Florida, Inc. has improved the health status of Lee County by promoting health awareness, providing primary care of the highest quality, and offering disease management programs for patients with diabetes, hypertension, and cardiovascular problems; and
- Whereas:** Family Health Centers of Southwest Florida, Inc. serves as a vital safety net delivering care to over 55,000 patients annually, regardless of insurance status or ability to pay, and contributes to the health and overall economy of the community by offering comprehensive health services, employing approximately 275 staff, and exercising community leadership.

NOW, THEREFORE, in recognition of “Community Health Center Week”, which was celebrated during the week of August 6 through 12, 2006, the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida extends their grateful appreciation to the Family Health Centers of Southwest Florida, Inc. for their important contributions in safeguarding health and improving the quality of life for the people of Lee County.

Duly Executed this 15th day of August.



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

Chairwoman