

Meeting Date
Nov. 15, 2016



AGENDA	
Section	<b>Resolution</b>
Item No.	I.D

**AGENDA REPORT**  
BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT:	Resolution recognizing Melbourne Greyhound Park
DEPT/OFFICE:	District 5 Commission Office

Requested Action:

It is requested that the Board of County Commissioners approves the resolution recognizing Melbourne Greyhound Park for his continued community support especially during Hurricane Matthew.

Summary Explanation & Background:

Danielle Stern  
(321) 253-6611

Clerk to the Board instruction:

Exhibits Attached:

Contract /Agreement (If attached): Reviewed by County Attorney    Yes     No     PR

County Manager	Deputy County Manager	Department Director / Extension
Stockton Whitten	Assistant County Manager	



Tammy Rowe, Clerk to the Board, 400 South Street • P.O. Box 999, Titusville, Florida 32781-0999

Telephone: (321) 637-2001  
Fax: (321) 264-6972  
Tammy.Rowe@brevardclerk.us

November 16, 2016

MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioner Andy Anderson, District 5 Attn: Danielle Stern

RE: Item I.D., Resolution Recognizing Melbourne Greyhound Park for Continued Community Support, Especially during Hurricane Matthew

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on November 15, 2016, adopted Resolution No. 16-203, recognizing Melbourne Greyhound Park for its continued community support, especially during Hurricane Matthew. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

✓ Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

/dt

Encl. (1)

Brevard



County

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

*Resolution*

*WHEREAS, originally opened in 1971 as a Jai Alai fronton and converted to a greyhound racing track in 1990, MELBOURNE GREYHOUND PARK has been Brevard County's premiere venue for action on the track and at the tables for over 40 years; and*

*WHEREAS, during that time, MELBOURNE GREYHOUND PARK has always played an active role in its community, partnering with organizations to support various charitable events and drives; and*

*WHEREAS, with the threat of Hurricane Matthew potentially causing severe damage to Brevard County, MELBOURNE GREYHOUND PARK answered the requests of numerous city, county, and state agencies to use its facility for both preparation and cleanup for the storm; and*

*WHEREAS, MELBOURNE GREYHOUND PARK allowed the City of Melbourne to use its large parking lot as a sandbag distribution center, helping hundreds of residents quickly receive sandbags to prepare their homes; and*

*WHEREAS, MELBOURNE GREYHOUND PARK was asked by the Brevard County Sheriff's Office Animal Services to use its kennels for an area pet shelter and housed many dogs during the storm; and*

*WHEREAS, MELBOURNE GREYHOUND PARK gave permission to Florida Power and Light to stage trucks in its parking lot for the week following the storm as they restored power to numerous residents.*

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby recognize**

**MELBOURNE GREYHOUND PARK**

*for continually being an excellent community partner and answering the call for help when needed.*

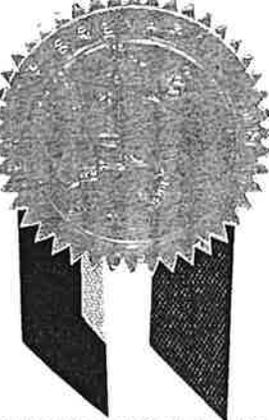
**DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 15th day of November, 2016.**

ATTEST:

*Scott Ellis*

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

*Jim Barfield*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
JIM BARFIELD, CHAIRMAN  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA



## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS**, originally opened in 1971 as a Jai Alai fronton and converted to a greyhound racing track in 1990, Melbourne Greyhound Park has been Brevard County's premiere venue for action on the track and at the tables for over 40 years; and,

**WHEREAS**, during that time, Melbourne Greyhound Park has always played an active role in its community, partnering with organizations to support various charitable events and drives; and,

**WHEREAS**, with the threat of Hurricane Matthew potentially causing severe damage to Brevard County, Melbourne Greyhound Park answered the requests of numerous city, county and state agencies to use its facility for both preparation and cleanup for the storm; and,

**WHEREAS**, Melbourne Greyhound Park allowed the City of Melbourne to use its large parking lot as a sandbag distribution center, helping hundreds of residents quickly receive sandbags to prepare their homes; and,

**WHEREAS**, Melbourne Greyhound Park was asked by the Brevard County Sheriff's Office Animal Services to use its kennels for an area pet shelter and housed many dogs during the storm; and,

**WHEREAS**, Melbourne Greyhound Park gave permission to Florida Power and Light to stage trucks in its parking lot for the week following the storm as they restored power to numerous residents.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA** does hereby recognize

### **MELBOURNE GREYHOUND PARK**

For continually being an excellent community partner and answering the call for help when needed.

**DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED**, in regular session, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, A.D., 2016.

---

JIM BARFIELD, CHAIRMAN  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

ATTEST:

---

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK