

RESOLUTIONS, AWARDS AND PRESENTATIONS
E. ITEM 1.



AGENDA REPORT
August 6, 2019

Resolution Florida Wildlife Hospital & Sanctuary, District 4

SUBJECT:

Resolution commending Florida Wildlife Hospital & Sanctuary.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NONE

DEPT/OFFICE:

District 4

REQUESTED ACTION:

It is requested that the Board approve a resolution honoring and commending Florida Wildlife Hospital & Sanctuary non-profit organization for its great efforts of preserving our native wildlife and environment in need.

CLERK TO THE BOARD INSTRUCTIONS:

We would greatly appreciate this being framed.

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

- **Florida Wildlife Hospital & Sanctuary**



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August 7, 2019

MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioner Curt Smith, District 4 Attn: Patrick Woodard

RE: Item E.1., Resolution Commending Florida Wildlife Hospital & Sanctuary

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on August 6, 2019, adopted Resolution No. 19-120, honoring and commending Florida Wildlife Hospital & Sanctuary non-profit organization. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Tammy Rowe

Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

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Encl. (1)

Brevard



County

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolution

WHEREAS, one act of compassion, caring for an injured wild animal in 1973, evolved into taking care of sick and injured animals from home, accepting native and migratory wildlife; without tax support from the state or city; and

WHEREAS, in 1998, the Florida Wildlife Hospital and Sanctuary opened their doors as a non-profit organization dedicating its time to Florida wildlife in need of rehabilitation without tax support from the state, cities, or county, and the majority of funds are derived from donations; and

WHEREAS, Florida Wildlife Hospital and Sanctuary's mission has remained the same: to aid injured, sick, and abandoned wildlife and return them to their place in the ecosystem; and

WHEREAS, they are dedicated to saving wildlife through, research, education, and conservative medicine; and they offer immediate on-site critical care such as radiography, while also providing for long-term rehabilitation for approximately 5,000 wildlife patients each year; and

WHEREAS, in 2008, a 100-foot long bird of prey flight building was added for the rehabilitation of larger birds, and this facility is made available to other rehabilitation organizations to provide the best care to as many patients as possible; and

WHEREAS, Florida Wildlife Hospital and Sanctuary uses ambassador animals to provide education programs for school groups and the public, and offers rewarding volunteer opportunities to the public; and

WHEREAS, Florida Wildlife Hospital and Sanctuary works closely with the Brevard Sheriff Animal Control, Florida Fish and Wildlife, as well as other wildlife rehabilitators and animal welfare groups in the State; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Wildlife Hospital and Sanctuary's dedicated leadership, staff, and volunteers tirelessly pursue the mission and dedicate thousands of volunteer hours rescuing and rehabilitating local wildlife.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, proclaims August 6, 2019, as

FLORIDA WILDLIFE HOSPITAL & SANCTUARY FOUNDATION DAY IN BREVARD COUNTY

and urges all citizens to help protect wildlife through education and awareness,

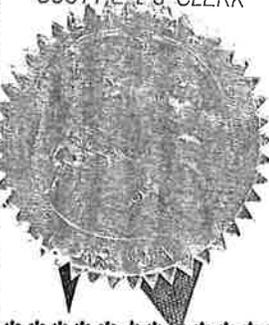
DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED in regular session, this 6th day of August 2019.

ATTEST:

Scott Ellis

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

KRISTINE ISNARDI, CHAIR
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA



RESOLUTION (please frame for presentation)

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