

FLORIDA'S SPACE COAST

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioner John Tobia, District 3

RE: Item L.5., Resolution Honoring the Late Mark Cook, Former Brevard County Commissioner

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on February 25, 2020, adopted Resolution No. 20-019, honoring the late Mark Cook, former Brevard County Commissioner. 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

Encl. (1)

RESOLUTION 20-019

RESOLUTION HONORING THE LATE MARK COOK, FORMER BREVARD COUNTY COMMISSIONER

WHEREAS, the Honorable Mark Cook passed away on January 24, 2020 at the age of 66; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Mark Cook served on the Brevard County Commission from 1994 to 1998 for District 4 and served as the Board's Chair from November of 1995 until November 1996; and

WHEREAS, not only did he serve as County Commissioner, he worked as an assistant to a County Commissioner for eight years; and

WHEREAS, he also served on multiple community boards such as being a charter member of Citizens Against Government Waste, Brevard County Republican Executive Committee, Melbourne Board of Realtors, and the National Rifle Association; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Cook served as the Chairman of the Brevard County Growth Evaluation Committee, served on the Brevard County Housing Authority and the Brevard County Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Cook enjoyed working as a substitute teacher in Brevard County and went back to school and earned a Master's Degree in Social Studies Education from Nova Southeastern University in 2000; and

WHEREAS, he was greatly esteemed by the community and beloved by everyone he met including, his friends, colleagues, and other elected officials, and his passing is a loss to all of Brevard residents.

NOW, **THEREFORE**, **BE IT RESOLVED THAT** THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONER COOK WILL ALWAYS BE FONDLY REMEBERED AND CELEBRATED HERE IN BREVARD COUNTY.

DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 25th day of February, 2020.

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

ATTEST

BRYAN LOBER, CHAIR BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

BREVARD COUNTY, FL