

Meeting Date
<b>4-25-17</b>



AGENDA	
Section	<b>CONSENT</b>
Item No.	<b>II D.3</b>

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

<b>SUBJECT:</b>	<b>APPOINTMENT, RE: COMMUNITY BASED CARE OF BREVARD, INC. d/b/a BREVARD FAMILY PARTNERSHIP</b>
<b>DEPT/OFFICE:</b>	<b>COUNTY MANAGER'S OFFICE</b>

**Requested Action:**  
 It is requested that the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) authorize the continued appointment of Stockton Whitten to the Board of Directors for Community Based Care of Brevard, Inc. d/b/a Brevard Family Partnership.

**Summary Explanation & Background:**  
 Community Based Care of Brevard, Inc. d/b/a Brevard Family Partnership (BFP) was established in 2003 as a non-profit organization in response to a Legislative mandate to privatize foster care and related services (Section 409.1617, Florida Statutes). It was subsequently awarded the contract, through the Florida Department of Children and Families (DCF), to manage Brevard County's child welfare system. BFP and its community partners provide child abuse prevention, foster care and support, adoption, independent living and community outreach services to the children and families of Brevard County.  
 BFP was envisioned, designed, and implemented by stakeholders in Brevard County through a partnership between Brevard County government, Devereux, and Children's Home Society. While Devereux and Children's Home Society have transitioned off the BFP Board, Brevard County remains as a source of consistency over the past 12 years.  
 According to BFP's Bylaws, the County appoints three (3) Directors to their Board. Mr. Whitten has served in multiple officer positions, including Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Treasurer since May of 2005. It is his desire to continue to serve with this important organization.

Clerk to the Board instruction: None

Exhibits Attached:

Resolutions (If attached): Reviewed by County Attorney    Yes     No     PR

<b>County Manager Stockton Whitten</b>	Assistant County Manager Frank Abbate
	Assistant County Manager Venetta Valdengo



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Stockton Whitten, County Manager

RE: Item II.D.3., Reappointment of Board of Directors for Community Based Care of Brevard, Inc. d/b/a Brevard Family Partnership

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on April 25, 2017, reappointed Stockton Whitten to the Board of Directors for Community Based Care of Brevard, Inc. d/b/a Brevard Family Partnership.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

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cc: Frank Abbate, Assistant County Manager  
Venetta Valdengo, Assistant County Manager