

2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way Viera, FL 32940



#### Resolution/Award/Presentation

E.1. 4/19/2022

#### Subject:

Resolution recognizing April 30<sup>th</sup> 2022 as Therapy Animal Day

#### **Fiscal Impact:**

None

#### **Dept/Office:**

District 4

#### **Requested Action:**

It is requested that the Board approve a Resolution recognizing April 30<sup>th</sup> 2022 as Therapy Animal Day in Brevard County

### **Summary Explanation and Background:**

National Therapy Animal Day was created to recognize all therapy animals who partner with their human companions to bring comfort and healing to those in need. Therapy animals can be found helping people of all ages in a variety of settings, from personal homes to schools, hospitals and assisted living facilities

#### Clerk to the Board Instructions:

Please Frame 1 Resolution



#### FLORIDA'S SPACE COAST

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

Telephone: (321) 637-2001 Fax: (321) 264-6972 Kimberly.Powell@brevardclerk.us



April 20, 2022

MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioner Curt Smith, District 4

Attn: Keith Alward

RE:

Item E.1., Resolution Recognizing April 30th, 2022, as National Therapy Animal Day

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on April 19, 2022, adopted Resolution No. 22-035, recognizing April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022, as National Therapy Animal Day. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS RACHEL M. SADOFF, CLERK

Kimberly Powell, Clerk to the Board

/dt

Encl. (1)





**ዹ፠፠፞፞፠**፞፠፠ጜጜጜጜጜጜጜጜጜጜጜጜጜጜ

County

## **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

# Resolution

WHEREAS, There are thousands of therapy animal teams serving in communities across the United States; and

WHEREAS, organizations have designated April 30th as NATIONAL THERAPY ANIMAL DAY; and

WHEREAS, therapy animal teams in Brevard County play an essential role in improving human health and well-being through the human-animal bond; and

WHEREAS, therapy animal teams make millions of visits per year in settings such as hospitals, nursing homes, schools, and hospice; and

WHEREAS, therapy animal teams interact with a variety of people in our community including veterans, seniors, patients, students facing literacy challenges, and those approaching end of life; and

WHEREAS, these exceptional therapy animals who partner with their human companions bring comfort and healing to those in need.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby proclaim April 30th,

#### NATIONAL THERAPY ANIMAL DAY

DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 19th day of April, 2022.

ATTEST:

M. SADOFI

KRISTINE ZONKA, CHAIR

BOARD OF COUNTCOMMISSIONERS

BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

#### NATIONAL THERAPY ANIMAL DAY

There are thousands of therapy animal teams serving in communities across the United States; and

WHEREAS, organizations have designated April 30th as National Therapy Animal Day; and

WHEREAS, therapy animal teams in Brevard County play an essential role in improving human health and well-being through the human-animal bond; and

WHEREAS, therapy animal teams make millions of visits per year in settings such as hospitals, nursing homes, schools and hospice; and

**WHEREAS**, therapy animal teams interact with a variety of people in our community including veterans, seniors, patients, students facing literacy challenges, and those approaching end of life; and

WHEREAS, these exceptional therapy animals who partner with their human companions bring comfort and healing to those in need.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby proclaim April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022 as :

#### **National Therapy Animal Day**

Done, Ordered, and Adopted, in regular session, this 19th day of April 2022.

| ATTEST          | KRISTINE ZONKA , CHAIR BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA |
|-----------------|--|
| RACHEL M SADOFF |  |

**CLERK**