

Meeting Date
October 6, 2015



AGENDA	
Section	RESOLUTION
Item No.	<i>I. H.</i>

AGENDA REPORT
BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT:	Resolution: Florida Native Plant Month
DEPT/OFFICE:	County Commissioner Curt Smith, District 4

Requested Action:
 It is requested that the Board approve a resolution recognizing October 2015 as Florida Native Plant Month

Summary Explanation & Background:

POC: Molly Tice 633-2044
 Molly.tice@brevardcounty.us

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	



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October 7, 2015

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioner Curt Smith, District 4 Attn: Molly Tice

RE: Item I.H., Resolution Proclaiming Florida Native Plant Month

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on October 6, 2015, adopted Resolution No. 15-193, to proclaim October 2015 as Florida Native Month in Brevard County. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

✓ Tammy Etheridge, Deputy Clerk

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Encl. (1)

Brevard



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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolution

WHEREAS, the Florida Native Plant Society began in the summer of 1980 in Winter Park, Florida, by a group of scientists, educators, and conservationists concerned about the loss of Florida's native plants and the introduction of non-native species overtaking natural areas; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the Florida Native Plant Society is the preservation, conservation, and restoration of the native plants and native plant communities of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Society now consists of 37 chapters and 3,500 members from all walks of life who volunteer their time, knowledge, and skills in public workshops, Land Management Reviews, raising money for Conservation and Research grants, Landscape Awards, restoration projects, and teaching Floridians about the benefits of native plants; and

WHEREAS, Brevard County has an incredible wealth of natural areas to showcase Florida's native plants and native plant communities; and

WHEREAS, the Conradina and Sea Rocket Chapters of Florida Native Plant Society have members who participate in activities that benefit the citizens and environment of Brevard County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby declare October 2015 as

FLORIDA NATIVE PLANT MONTH

in Brevard County.

DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session this 6th day of October 2015.

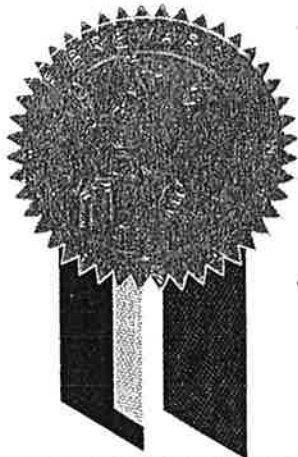
ATTEST:

Scott Ellis

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

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ROBIN FISHER, CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA



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