



# Agenda Report

2725 Judge Fran Jamieson  
Way  
Viera, FL 32940

## Resolution/Award/Presentation

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E.3.

2/9/2021

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**Subject:**

Resolution Honoring the Distinguished Service of Scott Ellis, Retired Brevard County Clerk of Court

**Fiscal Impact:**

None

**Dept/Office:**

District 3

**Requested Action:**

Board Passage of Attached Resolution

**Summary Explanation and Background:**

See Resolution

**Clerk to the Board Instructions:**

Please Frame Attached Resolution



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February 10, 2021

**M E M O R A N D U M**

TO: Commissioner John Tobia, District 3      Attn: Billy Prasad

RE: Item E.3., Resolution Honoring the Distinguished Service of Scott Ellis

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on February 9, 2021, adopted Resolution No. 21-007, recognizing and congratulating Scott Ellis for his achievements as Brevard County Clerk of Court. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
RACHEL M. SADOFF, CLERK

*Kimberly Powell*  
Kimberly Powell, Clerk to the Board

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Brevard



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**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

*Resolution*

**RESOLUTION HONORING SCOTT ELLIS, RETIRED CLERK OF THE COURT**

**WHEREAS, SCOTT ELLIS** was born in Charleston, West Virginia; and

**WHEREAS, MR. ELLIS** graduated from Eau Gallie High School in 1976; and

**WHEREAS, MR. ELLIS** is a veteran of the United States Air Force, having served honorably until 1980; and

**WHEREAS, in 1992 MR. ELLIS** ran for and won a seat on the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners, whereby he immediately became a staunch advocate for accountability in Government; and

**WHEREAS, he** was a key supporter of the Charter Cap, ensuring limits on run-away budgetary growth; and

**WHEREAS, throughout his career, MR. ELLIS** was a harsh critic of the Environmentally Endangered Lands Program; and

**WHEREAS, MR. ELLIS** began his most recent term as Clerk of the Court during a tumultuous time, in which his predecessor was facing felony corruption charges for which he was later convicted; and

**WHEREAS, throughout his career, MR. ELLIS** has attracted superb talent to his staff, including a highly qualified and gifted in-house counsel; and

**WHEREAS, during his most recent tenure, MR. ELLIS** continued his long tradition of ensuring accountability when he challenged the Board's decision to take out a bond for a cash handout to Blue Origin; and

**WHEREAS, MR. ELLIS** will be remembered always as an advocate for transparency, accountability, and efficiency in government.

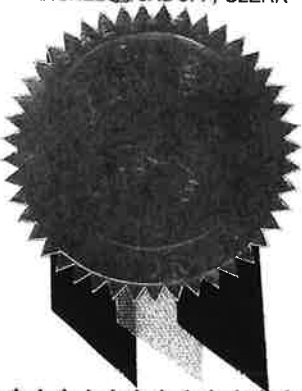
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT SCOTT ELLIS, RETIRED CLERK OF THE COURT OF BREVARD COUNTY,** will always be fondly remembered and celebrated in Brevard County.

**DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED,** in regular session, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February 2021.

ATTEST:

RACHEL M. SADOFF, CLERK

RITA PRITCHETT, CHAIR  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA



**RESOLUTION 21-\_\_\_\_\_**

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**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT SCOTT ELLIS, RETIRED CLERK OF THE COURT OF BREVARD COUNTY, WILL ALWAYS BE FONDLY REMEMBERED AND CELEBRATED IN BREVARD COUNTY.**

**DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 26<sup>TH</sup> Day of January, 2021.**

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RITA PRITCHETT, CHAIR  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BREVARD COUNTY, FL

ATTEST:

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SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK