



AGENDA REPORT
December 4, 2018

Resolution Reducing Salaries of County Commissioners

SUBJECT:

Partial return of Commission salaries to the General Fund

FISCAL IMPACT:

\$41,156.80 per year

DEPT/OFFICE:

District 2

REQUESTED ACTION:

Reduction of Commission salaries with each Commissioner returning \$8,231.36 after adjusting for taxes to the General Fund codifying similar reduction in the fourth quarter of FY 2019-2020.

SUMMARY EXPLANATION and BACKGROUND:

WHEREAS, the Commissioners, in their collective capacity, believe that drawing a salary above the median household income for Brevard County sends the wrong message to constituents and projects a sense of self entitlement; and

WHEREAS, current consideration of the reduction in BOCC salaries is unripe in light of restrictions provided under section 2.6 of the County Charter; and

WHEREAS, an attempt to change the Charter through a supermajority vote of the BOCC and subsequent special election would lack financial prudence; and

NOW BE IT RESOLVED, the Commissioners of this body, in their individual and collective capacity, are so convinced of the merits of reducing their salaries, that they hereby resolve to return \$8,231.36 of their salaries (after adjusting for taxes) to the General Fund; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, this Commission further resolves to memorialize a reduction of salaries with an effect similar to that discussed above in the fourth quarter of Fiscal Year 2019- 20.

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

No Attachments Available



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December 5, 2018

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioner Bryan Lober, District 2

RE: Item J.5., Reducing Salaries of the County Commissioners

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on December 4, 2018, considered request to reduce Commission salaries with each Commissioner returning \$8,231.36 after adjusting for taxes to the General Fund codifying similar reduction in the fourth quarter of FY 2019-2020, but took no formal action.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Tammy Rowe

Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

cc: Each Commissioner
County Manager
County Attorney
Finance
Budget