**Agenda Report** 

2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way Viera, FL 32940



# **Resolution/Award/Presentation**

E.2.

5/6/2025

### Subject:

Resolution, RE: Proclaiming May 2025 as Older Americans Month - District 4

### **Fiscal Impact:**

None

# **Dept/Office:**

Housing & Human Services

## **Requested Action:**

It is requested that the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners Proclaim May 2025 as "Older Americans Month".

# Summary Explanation and Background:

Each May, the Brevard Commission on Aging seeks to recognize May as Older Americans Month, aligning with the annual national theme for 2025: "Flip the Script on Aging" Committee members acknowledge the vital role older adults play in the strength and vibrancy of our community.

At the March 13, 2025, Commission on Aging meeting, a motion was brought forth and unanimously approved, to recognize May 2025 as Older Americans Month. They highlighted One Senior Place, a respected Brevard County business, and its CEO Don Kramer, as well as health and wellness advocate Jeanette White, for their contributions toward the efforts of older adults in our community.

Mr. Don Kramer and Ms. Jeanette White will accept the resolutions.

### **Clerk to the Board Instructions:**

Clerk to the Board Instructions: Please frame two Resolutions



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May 7, 2025

MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioner Rob Feltner, District 4

RE: Item E.2., Resolution Proclaiming May 2025 as Older Americans Month

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on May 6, 2025, adopted Resolution No. 25-032, proclaiming May 2025 as Older Americans Month. 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

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Encl. (1)



WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Brevard County Board of Commissioners and the Brevard Commission on Aging to celebrate the enormous contributions of our older citizens in the strengthening and prosperity of Brevard County; and

WHEREAS. Brevard County represents the 19<sup>th</sup> largest elder population in Florida, and approximately 26 percent of Brevard County's total population is 65 years of age or older; and

WHEREAS, older citizens are a diverse and treasured link to our heritage, and join with citizens across the United States in the promotion of the National Administration on Aging theme of "Flip the Script on Aging"; and

WHEREAS, in keeping with this national theme, we recognize One Senior Place, and Don Kramer CEO, celebrating 20 years of services and resources provided to the residents of Brevard County, caring for the aging navigating on their own, and by the example, continues to remain engaged and successful in the community; and

WHEREAS, we also recognize health and wellness advocate, and trained fitness instructor Jeanette White, for her dedication to seniors over the last 40 years, including teaching unique exercise classes that combine hand eye coordination and rhythmic moves to music; and

WHEREAS, we applaud their work to combat ageism and engage with fellow citizens throughout the County, cities, other non-profit organizations, and advocate on behalf of seniors and their families; as we know that connecting with others plays a vital role in the health and wellbeing of our community and our senior population.

NOW. THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby proclaim May 2025, to be designated as

#### **OLDER AMERICANS MONTH**

DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED, in regular session this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

ATTEST:

RACHEL M. SADOFF, CLERK





ROB FELTNER, CHAIRMAN BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

#### **Older Americans Month Proclamation**

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Rachel Sadoff, Clerk

Rob Feltner, Chairman Board of County Commissioners Brevard County, Florida

Board Meeting Date				
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