



Agenda Report

2725 Judge Fran Jamieson
Way
Viera, FL 32940

Resolution/Award/Presentation

E.1.

3/9/2021

Subject:

Resolution memorializing Commissioner Ron Pritchard

Fiscal Impact:

None

Dept/Office:

District 4

Requested Action:

It is requested that the Board approve a Resolution honoring the life and memory of Commissioner Ron Pritchard

Summary Explanation and Background:

A Resolution memorializing former Commissioner Ron Pritchard

Clerk to the Board Instructions:

Please frame the Resolution



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March 10, 2021

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioner Curt Smith, District 4

Attn: Adrienne Schmadeke

RE: Item E.1., Resolution Memorializing Commissioner Ron Pritchard

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on March 9, 2021, adopted Resolution No. 21-019, memorializing Commissioner Ron Pritchard. 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)

Brevard



County

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolution

WHEREAS, the residents of Brevard County lost a valued community leader on the 22nd of January, 2021, with the death of **COMMISSIONER RON PRITCHARD**; and

WHEREAS, born on the 31st of July, 1944 in New York, New York, he became a resident of Brevard County in 1994; and

WHEREAS, while **RON PRITCHARD** was Brevard County District 2 Commissioner from 2002-2006, he served as Vice Chairman in 2003-2004 and Chairman of the County Commission from 2004-2005; and

WHEREAS, **RON PRITCHARD** was an instrumental force for saving both Patrick Air Force Base and Canaveral Air Force Station from Base Realignment and Closure, adopting a new Sexual Offender Ordinance, the addition of a boat ramp on North Banana River Drive, creating the Lori Wilson Dog Park, passing an Ordinance to address the illegal sale and use of fireworks, and placing the 1,000 Islands in Cocoa Beach under conservation protection; and

WHEREAS, a recipient of the Cocoa Beach Chamber of Commerce "Hometown Hero Award" for 2001 and 2002, he was a supporter of community and government organizations, serving on the Tourist Development Council, Economic Development Council, Brevard Water Supply Board, Public Safety Coordinating Council, Value Adjustment Board, East Central Florida Regional Planning Council, Metropolitan Planning Council, Brevard County Internal Audit Committee, Cocoa Beach Area Chamber of Commerce Government Relations Committee, Brevard County Citizen Budget Review Committee, Brevard County District II Dredging Committee, Citizens for Florida's Waterways, Leadership Brevard, Marine Industry Association of Brevard, Republican Executive Committee, Merritt Island Executive Council, Keep Brevard Beautiful, Vietnam Veterans of Brevard, and was a charter member of the North Merritt Island United Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, he is survived by his wife, Donna; children, Rob (Tisa) Pritchard, Cristen Pritchard, Wendy (Jamie) Richardson, Kristina Booker; and six grandchildren

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, join in honoring the life and memory of

COMMISSIONER RON PRITCHARD

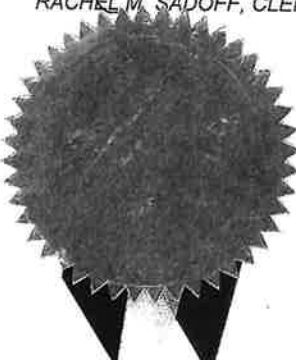
and express our sympathy and condolences to the members of his family.

DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 9th day of March, 2021.

ATTEST:

RACHEL M. SADOFF, CLERK

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



Deborah Thomas

From: Bellak, Christine <Christine.Bellak@brevardfl.gov>
Sent: Thursday, February 11, 2021 8:19 AM
To: Deborah Thomas
Subject: Ron Pritchard.pdf
Attachments: Ron Pritchard.pdf

Deborah,

I have not entered it into the system yet, but it has been reviewed and accepted . D4 will have this Resolution on the MARCH 9th Agenda . Family will be there to accept the framed copy .
(just an advanced heads up) Have a GREAT day .

Regards,

Christine Bellak



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