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| Meeting Date |
| May 26 th , 2016 |



| AGENDA | |
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| Section | Resolution |
| Item No. | I C |

AGENDA REPORT
BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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| SUBJECT: | Resolution for Sherry Acanfora- Ruohomaki |
| DEPT/OFFICE: | Trudie Infantini, District 3 Commission |

Requested Action:

It is requested that the Board of County Commissioners approve this resolution congratulating Sherry Acanfora-Ruohomaki for winning the 2016 State of Florida Small Business Person of the Year Award.

Summary Explanation & Background:

Sherry Acanfora-Ruohomaki will be present to accept this resolution.

Chalisa Roopnarine
321-952-6300

Clerk to the Board instruction:

Exhibits Attached:

Contract /Agreement (If attached): Reviewed by County Attorney Yes No PR

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| County Manager | Deputy County Manager | Department Director / Extension |
| Stockton Whitten | Assistant County Manager | D3 County Commissioner |



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May 27, 2016

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioner Trudie Infantini, District 3 Attn: Linda Mannier

RE: Item I.C., Resolution Congratulating Sherry Acanfora-Ruohomaki for Winning the 2016 State of Florida Small Business Person of the Year Award

The Board of Commissioners, in regular session on May 26, 2016, adopted Resolution No. 16-082, congratulating Sherry Acanfora-Ruohomaki for winning the 2016 State of Florida Small Business Person of the Year Award. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK**

Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolution

WHEREAS, SHERRY ACANFORA-RUOHOMAKI was recently honored by the U.S. Small Business Association as the 2016 State of Florida Small Business Person of the Year; and

WHEREAS, SHERRY'S dog Sly inspired her to research about working with animals and pushed her towards her dream of one day opening a dog day care center and boarding facility; and

WHEREAS, SHERRY fulfilled her dream and opened K-9 Kampus on March 15, 2010, with the support of her husband Davin; and

WHEREAS, K-9 Kampus has become the leading animal day care center and boarding facility in Brevard County, winning the 2015 Best of Brevard award and the 2015 Hometown News Reader's Choice Award, it was also a finalist for the 2015 Regional Small Business Award; and

WHEREAS, SHERRY volunteers with weVENTURE's IGNITE 360 Mentoring Program, she also partners with Paws for Boots and Paws for Veterans, allowing them the use of K-9 Kampus for their veterans to play with the animals; and

WHEREAS, she has been invited to attend a ceremony in Washington D.C. to receive her award along with the winners from the 53 states and territories.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby congratulate

SHERRY ACANFORA-RUOHOMAKI

for winning the 2016 SBA Small Business Person of the Year award for the State of Florida.

DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 26th day of May, 2016.

ATTEST:

Scott Ellis

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Jim Barfield

JIM BARFIELD, CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA



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