



AGENDA REPORT
May 7, 2019

Board Discussion Only: Dissolution of PSJ and NMI Dependent Special Districts

SUBJECT:

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DEPT/OFFICE:

District 3

REQUESTED ACTION:

Discussion only; no substantive action or vote will be sought.

SUMMARY EXPLANATION and BACKGROUND:

On Oct. 5th, 2017, I brought forward two ordinances for permission to advertise. These ordinances would have dissolved the Port St. John and North Merritt Island Dependent Special Districts. The measures were not adopted.

Since this time, there have been several relevant events that might lead members of the current Board to reach a different conclusion.

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

- ▣ **NMI Ordinance**
- ▣ **PSJ Dissolution Ordinance**



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May 8, 2019

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: John Tobia, District 3 Commissioner

RE: Item J.5., Board Discussion Only for Dissolution of PSJ and NMI Dependent Special Districts

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on May 7, 2019, discussed dissolution of PSJ and NMI dependent special districts, but took no formal action.

Your continued cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Tammy Rowe

Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

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ORDINANCE NO. 2019-

**AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTIONS 98-141
THROUGH 98-152 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF
BREVARD COUNTY AND THEREBY DISSOLVING THE
NORTH MERRITT ISLAND DEPENDENT SPECIAL
DISTRICT FLORIDA; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE
DATE**

WHEREAS, the North Merritt Island Dependent Special District was created by the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners on December 15, 1998; and

WHEREAS, Fla. Stat. § 189.071(1) provides that "the merger or dissolution of a dependent special district may be effectuated by an ordinance of the local general-purpose governmental entity wherein the geographical area of the district or districts is located..."; and

WHEREAS, Sec. 98-143, Code of Ordinances of Brevard County, Florida states that "the North Merritt Island Dependent Special District may be dissolved by an ordinance repealing the provisions of this article..."

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, as follows:**

SECTION 1. Sections 98-141 through 98-152, Code of Ordinances of Brevard County, Florida, is hereby repealed and the North Merritt Island Dependent Special District is dissolved, effective January 1, 2020.

SECTION 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 2020

DONE AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2019

BREVARD COUNTY

ATTEST:

BY: _____

KRISTINE ISNARDI, CHAIR

(As approved by the Board on _____, 2019)

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-

**AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTIONS 98-101
THROUGH 98-112 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF
BREVARD COUNTY AND THEREBY DISSOLVING THE
PORT ST. JOHN DEPENDENT SPECIAL DISTRICT
FLORIDA; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

WHEREAS, the Port St. John Dependent Special District was created by the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida on July 2, 1996; and

WHEREAS, Fla. Stat. § 189.071(1) provides that "the merger or dissolution of a dependent special district may be effectuated by an ordinance of the local general-purpose governmental entity wherein the geographical area of the district or districts is located..."; and

WHEREAS, Sec. 98-103, Code of Ordinances of Brevard County, Florida states that "the Port St. John Dependent Special District may be dissolved by an ordinance repealing the provisions of this article..."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, as follows:

SECTION 1. Sections 98-101 through 98-112, Code of Ordinances of Brevard County, Florida, is hereby repealed. The Port St. John Dependent Special District is dissolved.

SECTION 2. **Effective Date.** This ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 2020.

DONE AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2019.

BREVARD COUNTY

ATTEST:

BY: _____
KRISTINE ISNARDI, CHAIR

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

(As approved by the Board on _____, 2019)