

Meeting Date
March 21, 2017



Section	RESOLUTION
Item No.	I.G.

**AGENDA REPORT**

*BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS*

SUBJECT:	Resolution: Declaring March 2017 as Eye Donor Month in Brevard County.
DEPT/OFFICE:	County Commissioner Curt Smith, District 4

Requested Action:

It is requested that the Board approve a Resolution declaring March 2017 as Eye Donor Month in Brevard County.

Summary Explanation & Background:

DiAnn McCormack will be there to accept.

POC: Molly Tice 633-2044  
Molly.tice@brevardcounty.us

*APPROVED*  
*MARCH 21 2017*  
*County Board*

Exhibits Attached: Resolution (1) Framed

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

County Manager	Deputy County Manager	Department Director / Extension
Stockton Whitten	Assistant County Manager	



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March 22, 2017

MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioner Curt Smith, District 4 Attn: Molly Tice

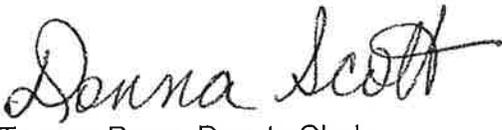
RE: Item I.G., Resolution Proclaiming March 2017 as Eye Donor Month in Brevard County

The Board of Commissioners, in regular session on March 21, 2017, adopted Resolution No. 17-051, proclaiming March 2017 as Eye Donor Month in Brevard County. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

*for*   
for: Donna Scott  
Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk  
/dt

Encl. (1)

Brevard



County

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

*Resolution*

*WHEREAS, millions worldwide suffer from corneal blindness or are visually impaired from corneal conditions; and*

*WHEREAS, sight is one of our most powerful senses and corneal transplantation can restore sight to those suffering from corneal blindness; and*

*WHEREAS, the purpose of EYE DONOR MONTH is to encourage eye donation and honor those who have given the precious Gift of Sight; and*

*WHEREAS, nearly nine million Floridians have registered their decision with the Joshua Abbott Organ and Tissue Donor Registry to ensure their wishes to be organ, tissue, or eye donors are honored; and*

*WHEREAS, eye donation can provide comfort and purpose to grieving families and provide hope and healing to transplant recipients; and*

*WHEREAS, eye donation is one of the most selfless gifts we can make to our fellow citizens, and it is vitally important to discuss with our family and loved ones our desire and decision to donate.*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby proclaim the month of March 2017 as**

**EYE DONOR MONTH**

*and encourages citizens to consider giving the Gift of Sight through eye donation and to sign up on Florida's donor registry by visiting [www.DonateLifeFlorida.org](http://www.DonateLifeFlorida.org), or when renewing their driver license or state identification card.*

**DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED** in regular session, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2017.

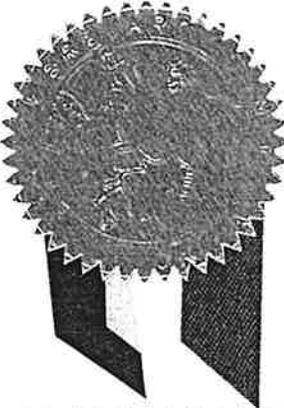
ATTEST:

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SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Handwritten signature of Curt Smith in black ink.

CURT SMITH, CHAIRMAN  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA



## **A PROCLAMATION EYE DONOR MONTH**

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**WHEREAS**, eye donation is one of the most selfless gifts we can make to our fellow citizens, and it is vitally important to discuss with our family and loved ones our desire and decision to donate;

**NOW, THEREFORE** be it resolved that the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida does hereby proclaim the month of March 2017 as

### **EYE DONOR MONTH**

And encourages citizens to consider giving the *Gift of Sight* through eye donation and to sign up on Florida's donor registry by visiting [www.DonateLifeFlorida.org](http://www.DonateLifeFlorida.org), or when renewing their driver license or state identification card.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida this 21st day of March 2017.

**Board of County Commissioners  
Brevard County, Florida**

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Curtis Smith, Chairman  
Board of County Commissioners