

Meeting Date
Oct 6, 2015



AGENDA	
Section	Resolution
Item No.	I.C

AGENDA REPORT
BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT:	Resolution: Proclaiming Filipino American History Month
DEPT/OFFICE:	Commissioner Robin Fisher District 1 County Commissioner

Requested Action:
 Resolution proclaiming October 2015 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

Together with the Brevard County Domestic Violence Task Force, we urge citizens to speak out against domestic violence, support survivor's efforts to live free from abuse, and hold those who abuse accountable.


Summary Explanation & Background:

Staff Contact: Holly Carver, Legislative Aide, District 1: 321-264-6750

Clerk to the Board instruction:

Exhibits Attached:

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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October 7, 2015

MEMORANDUM

TO: Chairman Robin Fisher, District 1 Attn: Holly Carver

RE: Item I.C., Resolution Recognizing Domestic Violence Awareness Month

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on October 6, 2015, adopted Resolution No. 15-188, proclaiming October 2015 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Tammy Etheridge, Deputy Clerk

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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolution

WHEREAS, the crime of domestic violence violates an individual's privacy and dignity, security, and humanity, due to an abuser's systematic use of physical, emotional, sexual, psychological, and economic control; and

WHEREAS, 3,727 domestic violence offenses were reported to law enforcement in Brevard County in 2014 and of those, seven victims were killed; and

WHEREAS, the problems of domestic violence are not confined to any group or groups of people, and are supported by societal indifferences; and

WHEREAS, the impact of domestic violence is wide ranging, directly affecting individuals and society as a whole, here in Brevard County, throughout the United States, and the world; and

WHEREAS, all citizens of Brevard, government officials, law enforcement agencies, health care providers, domestic violence programs, social service providers, educators, clergy, and community leaders must join together to end the abuse and violence that continues to threaten the health, safety, and well-being of so many in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby proclaim the month of October 2015 as

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

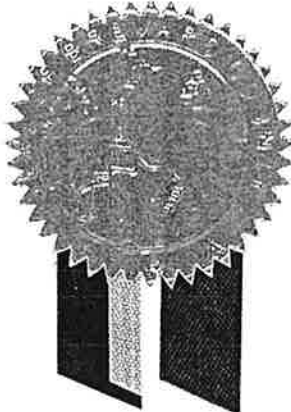
Together with the Brevard County Domestic Violence Task Force, we urge citizens to speak out against domestic violence, support survivor's efforts to live free from abuse, and hold those who abuse accountable.

DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session this 6th day of October 2015.

ROBIN FISHER, CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

ATTEST:

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK



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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, does hereby proclaim the month of October 2015 as

“Domestic Violence Awareness Month”

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ATTEST:

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

ROBIN L. FISHER, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Brevard County, Florida