

Lee County Board Of County Commissioners
Agenda Item Summary

Blue Sheet No. **20041342**

1. REQUESTED MOTION:

ACTION REQUESTED:

Present Fort Myers Fall Boat Show Resolution.

WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY:

WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:

2. DEPARTMENTAL CATEGORY: 3

COMMISSION DISTRICT: CW

9:30 #1

3. MEETING DATE:

11-09-2004

4. AGENDA:

- CONSENT
- ADMINISTRATIVE
- APPEALS
- PUBLIC
- WALK ON
- TIME REQUIRED:

5. REQUIREMENT/PURPOSE:

(Specify)

- STATUTE
- ORDINANCE
- ADMIN. CODE
- OTHER

6. REQUESTOR OF INFORMATION:

- A. COMMISSIONER Commissioner Albion
- B. DEPARTMENT County Commission
- C. DIVISION

BY: *Albion*
by kg

7. BACKGROUND:

8. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS:

9. RECOMMENDED APPROVAL:

A Department Director	B Purchasing or Contracts	C Human Resources	D Other	E County Attorney	F Budget Services				G County Manager
					OA	OM	Risk	GC	
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

10. COMMISSION ACTION:

- APPROVED
- DENIED
- DEFERRED
- OTHER



LEE COUNTY
SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

The Board of County Commissioners

RESOLUTION

- Whereas: Lee County has 237 square miles of inland water and 172 square miles of coastal water and thousands of miles of inland canals, and
- Whereas: One out of every ten Lee County residents own a boat and thousands more enjoy our beautiful waterways, and
- Whereas: SWFMIA members provide the majority of public water access, and
- Whereas: Florida's recreational boating industry's economic impact is twice as great as the citrus industry statewide, and
- Whereas: The Southwest Florida Marine Industry Association (SWFMIA) has a long tradition of promoting boating and protecting the rights of boaters in a balanced proactive manner, and
- Whereas: The SWFMIA-owned Fort Myers Fall Boat Show provides educational opportunities on safe boating practices, environmental practices, and endangered species, and
- Whereas: The Fort Myers Fall Boat Show includes more than 60 companies and 140 manufacturers, with over 800 boats and accessories on public display, and
- Whereas: The Fort Myers Fall Boat Show has nearly \$2 million in direct and indirect economic impact from attendee expenditures; and retail sales value of boat sales resulting from the show are over \$7.5 million. Resulting in a total economic impact of over \$10 million dollars.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida would like to take this opportunity to support the 32nd Annual Fort Myers Fall Boat Show and its benefits to Lee County's economy and family recreational opportunities.

Duly Executed this 9th day of November 2004.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Chairman