

# WALK ON

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Lee County Board Of County Commissioners  
Agenda Item Summary

Blue Sheet No. 20070245

**1. ACTION REQUESTED/PURPOSE:**

Ceremonial Resolution Recognizing Black History Month

**2. FUNDING SOURCE:**

**3. WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:**

**4. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATION:** Approve

**5. Departmental Category:** WO 1

**6. Meeting Date:** 02/13/2007

**7. Agenda:**

- Consent
- Administrative
- Appeals
- Public
- Walk-On

**8. Requirement/Purpose: (specify)**

- Statute
- Ordinance
- Admin. Code
- Other

**9. Request Initiated:**

Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_  
 Department \_\_\_\_\_  
 Division \_\_\_\_\_  
 By: \_\_\_\_\_

**10. Background:**

**11. Review for Scheduling:**

Department Director	Purchasing or Contracts	Human Resources	Other	County Attorney	Budget Services				County Manager/P. W. Director
					Analyst	Risk	Grants	Mgr.	

**12. Commission Action:**

- Approved
- Deferred
- Denied
- Other *Presented*



**LEE COUNTY**  
SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

***The Board of County Commissioners***

**RESOLUTION**

**Whereas:** Across the United States, February is celebrated as Black History Month; and

**Whereas:** The rich history of African-Americans in the United States, Florida, and Lee County is a study in persistence, perseverance and strength; and

**Whereas:** Lee County, as the Spring Training home to the Minnesota Twins and Boston Red Sox, notes that with the beginning of the baseball season, 60 years have passed since Jackie Robinson broke the so called "color line" in professional baseball, itself a significant milestone in Black History; and

**Whereas:** The innumerable awards, accomplishments and achievements attained by African-Americans across the United States, Florida and in Lee County serve as testaments to the positive effect that the African- American community has had on our nation's development; and

**Whereas:** A true appreciation of Black History Month reveals to all people the universal human desire for equality and justice; and

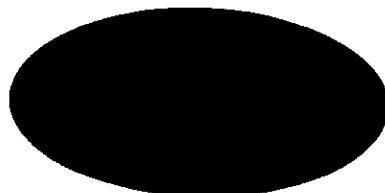
**Whereas:** The Lee County Black Affairs Advisory Board supports this resolution in its continuing effort to raise the profile of the African-American community and the continuing efforts to achieve equality and justice for all African-Americans in Lee County.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida does hereby recognize February 2007 as:

**Black History Month**

in Lee County.

Duly Executed this 13th day of February, 2007.



**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

Chairman