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## The Board of County Commissioners RESOLUTION

Whereas:

The Independent Order of Foresters is one of the world's oldest and largest fraternal societies that traces its roots back to 1874. With over one million members in the United States, Canada and United Kingdom, their history is rich in examples of charity and benevolences, with children and family at the heart of their organization; and

Whereas: Foresters helos communities with fund raising events, educational support and disaster relief; and

Whereas: Members of the Foresters contribute over two million volunteer hours in addition to raising many hundreds of thousands of dollars, for children and families in need; and

Whereas:

The Independent Order of Foresters supports community agencies and organizations in our local area in the prevention of child abuse and are active in child welfare. The Local Branch raises funds to benefit the 170 children's hospitals in the United States and Canada, through the Children's Miracle Network; and

Whereas:

The Regional Assembly of Southeastern United States will be gathering together to plan further initiatives to support children and families.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida would like to take this opportunity to extend our sincere appreciation to the Independent Order of Foresters for the many contributions they make to our Community and our Nation.

Duly Executed this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2004.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Chairman