

**Lee County Board Of County Commissioners
Agenda Item Summary**

Blue Sheet No. 20060357

1. ACTION REQUESTED/PURPOSE:

Ceremonial Resolution Recognizing Sexual Assault Awareness Month – Commissioner Hall

2. WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:

3. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATION:

4. DEPARTMENTAL CATEGORY: #3

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5. MEETING DATE:

04-04-2006

6. AGENDA:

CONSENT
 ADMINISTRATIVE
 APPEALS

PUBLIC
 WALK-ON

**7. REQUIREMENT/PURPOSE
(SPECIFY)**

STATUTE
 ORDINANCE
 ADMIN.
 CODE
 OTHER

8. REQUEST INITIATED:

COMMISSIONER Commissioner Hall
DEPARTMENT County Commission
DIVISION

BY: [Signature]

9. BACKGROUND:

10. REVIEW FOR SCHEDULING

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

11. COMMISSION ACTION

Approved
 Deferred
 Denied
 Other



The Board of County Commissioners

RESOLUTION

- Whereas:** Sexual assault continues to be a major social crisis in our society; and
- Whereas:** Sexual assault affects every child and adult in Fort Myers as a victim/survivor or as a family member, significant other, neighbor or co-worker of a victim/survivor; and
- Whereas:** Volunteers and service providers in our community are working to provide a continuum of care to sexual assault survivors through 24-hour hotlines, counseling, support groups, advocacy, medical care and education; and
- Whereas:** ACT (Abuse Counseling and Treatment) seeks to improve services for victims/survivors of sexual assault and prevent future sexual assault through public awareness and services for victims; and
- Whereas:** This community recognizes the vital importance of designating a time devoted to increasing the general public's awareness and support of agencies providing services to rape victims; and
- Whereas:** We hold forth a vision of a community free from sexual violence.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida that we do hereby proclaim April 2006 as:

SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH

In Lee County

Duly Executed this 4th day of April 2006.



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

Chairwoman