TREASURE COAST REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL

MEMORANDUM

To: Council Members

From: Staff

Date: April 12, 2019

Subject: Resolution Recognizing the 50th Anniversary of the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council

Introduction

For the past 50 years, the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council (NCFRPC), in partnership with economic development organizations and local governments, has promoted regional strategies, partnerships and solutions to strengthen the economic competitiveness and quality of life among the twelve jurisdictions of Alachua, Bradford, Columbia, Dixie, Gilchrist, Hamilton, Lafayette, Levy, Madison, Suwannee, Taylor, and Union counties.

The NCFRPC was originally established on May 7, 1969 as the fourth regional planning council in the State of Florida. Their mission is to improve the quality of life of the Region’s citizens by enhancing public safety, protecting regional resources, promoting economic development, and providing technical services to local governments. The attached resolution recognizes the 50th anniversary of the NCFRPC.

Recommendation

Council should approve the attached resolution recognizing the 50th anniversary of the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council.

Council Action – April 19, 2019

Commissioner Smith from Martin County moved approval of the staff recommendation. Councilmember Parrish, Gubernatorial Appointee from St. Lucie County, seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Attachment
RESOLUTION #19-02

A RESOLUTION OF THE TREASURE COAST REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL REPRESENTING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS OF INDIAN RIVER, MARTIN, PALM BEACH, AND ST. LUCIE COUNTIES, FLORIDA RECOGNIZING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council was formed as the fourth regional planning council in the State of Florida on May 7, 1969; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council is to improve the quality of life of the Region’s citizens by enhancing public safety, protecting regional resources, promoting economic development, and providing technical services to local governments; and

WHEREAS, the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council, in partnership with economic development organizations and local governments, promotes regional strategies, partnerships and solutions to strengthen the economic competitiveness and quality of life of the 12 counties and 40 incorporated municipalities in the north central Florida region; and

WHEREAS, local governments throughout the north central Florida region recognize the need for regional coordination to address community issues that extend beyond county and municipal boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council has engaged in strategic regional planning, comprehensive economic development strategy planning, and emergency preparedness planning for the future of the north central Florida region; and

WHEREAS, for the past 50 years, the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council has brought together local governments and gubernatorial appointees to provide a venue for analyzing issues, resolving problems and sharing solutions among 52 jurisdictions in Alachua, Bradford, Columbia, Dixie, Gilchrist, Hamilton, Lafayette, Levy, Madison, Suwannee, Taylor, and Union counties.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council congratulates the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council on its 50th Anniversary and recognizes its contribution in advancing the regional agenda.

DULY ADOPTED by the Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council this 19th day of April 2019.

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