

Resolution 22- _____

**A RESOLUTION ON BEHALF OF THE BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS RECOGNIZING THE OFFICE OF THE BREVARD COUNTY
SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS AND THE HONORABLE LORI SCOTT**

WHEREAS, Supervisor of Elections Lori Scott has diligently served as the independently elected Supervisor of Elections for Brevard County since her first election in 2008; and

WHEREAS, the lack of opposition she faced in 2012, 2016, and 2020 are demonstrative of her exemplary and phenomenal performance in this role; and

WHEREAS, in this role the sanctity of the democratic process has been preserved by her unfaltering adherence to law and regulation; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Lori Scott began her time in public service in 1987 as a legislative aide, which included working for Representative Bill Posey; and

WHEREAS, prior to running for her own office, Supervisor Scott served nearly eight years as a legislative aide to Senate President Mike Haridopolos; and

WHEREAS, since repeatedly being elected as the Supervisor of Elections, Supervisor Scott has also served as the Florida Supervisors of Elections (FSE) State Association Legislative Affairs Chair; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Lori Scott currently serves on the FSE Board of Directors and as the Vice Chair of the Administrative Rules Committee; and

WHEREAS, in 2020 Supervisor Scott was named “Best of Brevard” by the Florida Today for her seamless management of elections during an unprecedented pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the Supervisor of Elections Office serves Brevard County’s 450,000+ electors, the 10th largest in the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, this office efficiently facilitates voting, collects and disseminates election information, and ensures the security of the election process; and

WHEREAS, staff members in the Brevard County Supervisor of Elections Office are always prompt and professional when providing assistance and are vastly knowledgeable about their organizational procedures; and

WHEREAS, the Brevard County Supervisor of Elections Office received the United States Election Assistance Commission National Cleary Award for Poll Worker Training in 2016; and

WHEREAS, the Brevard County Supervisor of Elections Office and the Honorable Lori Scott were commended by the Florida Today in 2014 for their unrivaled efficiency in conducting elections by collecting 104,000 ballots before regular polling places opened; and

WHEREAS, in 2018 the Palm Beach Post ran an article admiring the Brevard County Supervisor of Elections for a perfect vote recount, the only of the top 20 largest counties in Florida to do so.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Brevard County Supervisor of Elections is instrumental in ensuring the proper functionality of the government and consists of dedicated and exceptional civil servants, and the unsurpassable performance of Supervisor Scott has proved an essential component of the continued success and dependability of the Office.

DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 16th day of August, 2022.

ATTEST:

RACHEL SADOFF, CLERK

KRISTINE ZONKA, CHAIR
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BREVARD COUNTY, FL