

RESOLUTION R-16-008

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF RENAMING THE  
MANATEE COUNTY EAST BRADENTON POOL,  
WILLIE J. "BRO" CLEMONS, JR. POOL

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Clemons was well known throughout the community as a coach, mentor and friend to all those with whom he interacted with while holding teaching and coaching positions at the former Lincoln High School and Southeast High School, including the opportunity to coach three time Super Bowl champion Henry Lawrence and become lifelong friends with Mr. Mickey Presha, Executive Director of the Manatee County Rural Health.

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Clemons who graduated from Lincoln High School in 1960 and graduated Florida A & M University in 1964 was also active in the community, serving on boards for organizations such as the Florida Sickle Cell Foundation and directing youth agencies including the Palmetto Youth Center, 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue Community Center and the Police Athletic League.

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Manatee County Commissioners have been requested to rename the Manatee County East Bradenton pool in memory of Willie J. "Bro" Clemons, Jr.,

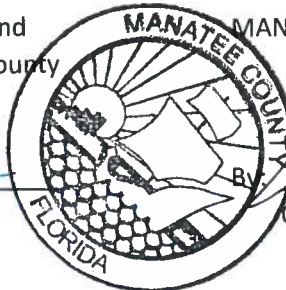
**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, does hereby support and authorize the Manatee County East Bradenton Pool to be renamed the Willie J. "Bro" Clemons, Jr. Pool.

**DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, with a quorum present and voting this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016.

Attest: Angelina Coloneso  
Clerk of the Circuit Court and  
Comptroller of Manatee County

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF  
MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: Robin Roth DC  
Clerk



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Chairperson