

RESOLUTION 2019-005

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HOWEY-IN-THE-HILLS, FLORIDA; DECLARING THE TOWN COUNCIL'S SUPPORT FOR THE TOWN OF HOWEY-IN-THE-HILLS PUBLIC LIBRARY.

WHEREAS, the Town of Howey-in-the-Hills Public Library was created by Ordinance 95-256; and

WHEREAS, since its creation the Town of Howey-in-the-Hills Public Library has served with distinction as the cultural center of the Town of Howey-in-the-Hills; and

WHEREAS, the Public Library continues to grow and provides book loans, internet access together with special offerings to its card holders; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council desires to recognize the excellent work that the Library Board together with the Friends of the Library and Library Foundation have accomplished in creating a high-quality independent library for the citizens of Howey-in-the-Hills; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council appreciates the role and financial assistance that the Friends of the Library and Library Foundation provide in supplementing the operating budget of the Public Library to ensure that high quality programs and services can continue to be offered; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council desires to work in conjunction with the Library Board, Friends of the Library and Library Foundation in establishing and implementing five and ten year plans for capital improvements and expansion of the Public Library's resources; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HOWEY-IN-THE-HILLS, FLORIDA.

Section 1. The Town Council commends the Library Board, Friends of the Library and Library Foundation for their commitment to providing high quality library programs and services to the citizens of the Town of Howey-in-the-Hills.

Section 2. The Town Council supports the current status of the Public Library as an independent library separate from any regional system.

Section 3. The Town Council is committed to continue funding of the Public Library's operating budget as general budget considerations allow.

PASSED and RESOLVED this 13 day of May, 2019 by the Town Council of the Town of Howey-in-the-Hills, Florida.

David Nebel, Mayor

ATTEST:

Dairian Burke, Town Clerk