

# Andy Anderson

For County Commission, District 5

## CONSTITUENT REPRESENTATION

### *Brevard County District 5 Residents Are Important to Andy Anderson*

Brevard County's Commissioners are elected by district, not at large. While commissioners should consider the needs of the entire county, they must also ensure that the needs of their own constituents are addressed. Entrenched Viera politicians have allowed the pendulum to swing too far the other way, making decisions that go against the needs of their constituents in hopes of being elected to a higher paying office.

- In November of 2006 Brevard County was informed that the State intended to delay the commencement of the Palm Bay Road widening project until 2012. Upon notification, Andy took the lead to find a road funding solution. He called for a multi-jurisdictional meeting between the agencies and municipalities bordering Palm Bay Road. Together they came up with a plan to pay for the project and keep it on schedule. Andy led the way in forging a new road-fund distribution agreement.
- A largely ignored portion of County Commission District 5 are the beach areas. Brevard's beaches are unique and serve as a major source of revenue for Brevard's economy. It has been related to Andy by beach-side residents that they have felt neglected by their County Commissioners. When elected, Andy will make sure those voices are represented.
- Just like you, Andy is also fed up with the traffic congestion. Instead of helping Brevard find another way to address its road maintenance backlog, our county commissioners chose to fund cultural arts programs and overpriced parks and recreation projects. The County Commission has repeatedly failed to upgrade and maintain our roads. Andy supports cooperation and collaboration between the County and the cities, and would have voted to implement and expand our road improvement projects.
- The Brevard County MPO has repeatedly reprioritized funding for the St. John's Heritage Parkway (formerly the Palm Bay Parkway). One of Andy's top road fund priorities is restoration of the St. John's Heritage Parkway funding. Andy has knocked on more than 4,000 doors, and the voters are telling him that their County Commissioner is unresponsive to their concerns. District 5 Commissioner Candidate Janice Kershaw is a good example of this phenomenon. In fact it was her unresponsiveness as a School Board Member that prompted Andy to become involved in politics back in 2002.

## HANDS ON LEADERSHIP *The Andy Anderson Approach*

- Andy will bridge the Trust Divide and improve Brevard County's relationship with voters
- Andy will represent the needs of his district when making decisions
- A proven community leader, Andy is a strong advocate for all of the people in District 5
- Andy will seek to make commission meetings more accessible to the residents so they can voice their opinions and needs.

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