

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: February 5, 2007

SUBJECT: Blue Ribbon Committee on Illegal Immigration

ATTACHMENTS: No

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

At the December 4, 2006 Board meeting, the Board reviewed a charter for the Blue Ribbon Committee on Illegal Immigration and directed the County Manager to develop and return to the Board a list of proposed groups to be represented on this Committee. The County Manager presented this list of groups at the January 2, 2007 Board meeting. At that time, the County Manager also proposed a Committee membership of eleven (11) members, with five (5) of those as at-large representation. During this meeting, the Board of Commissioners agreed to provide the County Manager with their choices from the original list of groups to be represented on this Committee. The Board submitted the following to be included for representation on the Committee:

A representative from the following:

- Local law enforcement
- Faith community
- Business community
- Agriculture
- Latino/Hispanic advocate

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The County Manager requests that the Board of Commissioners authorize him to begin communication with the groups listed above, requesting a representative from each to sit on this Committee.

Suggested Motion:

I move that the Board of Commissioners authorize the County Manager to begin communicating with these groups, requesting representation on the Blue Ribbon Committee for Illegal Immigration.