



**LEE COUNTY**  
SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

***The Board of County Commissioners***

**RESOLUTION**

- Whereas:** The Calendar Girls are an award winning and not for profit charitable dance team consisting of women age 50 and older; and
- Whereas:** The Calendar Girls, having created the dance team in 2006, love to dance and spread the joy of dancing for other non-profit organizations, nursing homes, parades and banquets; and
- Whereas:** The Calendar Girls through their performances are able to reach out to the community in a way that brings smiles and fun into often very quiet days; and
- Whereas:** The Calendar Girls have recently performed at several Relay for Life American Cancer Society events in Cape Coral and Estero; and
- Whereas:** The Calendar Girls primary charity is "Paws for Patriots" that is a part of the Southeastern Guide Dog School, which from Palmetto, Florida, trains seeing-eye/guide dogs for our blinded military veterans; and
- Whereas:** The average cost of training one dog for this program is \$60,000 and the school receives no government funding, the Calendar Girls have donated \$25,000 to this cause; and
- Whereas:** The Calendar Girls are currently sponsoring two puppies – named Dancer and Jazz - for this program in southwest Florida.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida that we hereby proclaim Tuesday, March 31, 2009 as:**

**CALENDAR GIRLS DAY**

**in Lee County and urge all citizens to recognize and support the dance team for their outstanding and continual commitment to make Lee County a better place to live, work and raise a family.**

**Duly Executed this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2009.**

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**Chairman**

