

MESSAGE FROM YOUR BOARD



We are pleased to present you with our **2016 Doing Things Accomplishments Report**, which highlights many of the things done over the past year to make Pinellas County an even better place for you to call home.

In 2016, we continued to focus on **Our Vision: To Be the Standard for Public Service in America**. With your input and our Strategic Plan as a compass, we set the policies and guidance for our staff of approximately 1,800 dedicated employees to keep **Doing Things for You!**

We continued to **Deliver First Class Services** by expanding opportunities for you to communicate with us through our community work sessions. To **Ensure Public Health, Safety and Welfare**, we strengthened our partnerships to protect you and prevent the spread of the Zika virus and other mosquito-borne illnesses.

Practicing Environmental Stewardship, we launched a special task force to address countywide wastewater and stormwater issues brought about by recent heavy rainfall.

To **Foster Economic Growth and Vitality**, we invested in communities of most need by supporting affordable housing and creating a plan to invest BP settlement funds. **Supporting a Quality Workforce**, we established a new training program to enhance workplace safety and inspired our youth about careers in public service.

These and many more of our **Doing Things** in 2016 are the result of our belief that **With Partners We Can Do More**. Through meaningful partnerships and public engagement, we worked to more closely align your experiences with your expectations of service.

As your Board of County Commissioners, we thank you, our Citizens, for another great year of working together for the betterment of Pinellas County. We look forward to continue fulfilling Our Vision and providing the leadership to do things that will take us to new levels of success into the future.

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