

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF  
THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH, FLORIDA  
RESOLUTION NO. 99-1

WHEREAS, the Town of Fort Myers Beach is actively pursuing policies to promote the stewardship of our marine resources; and

WHEREAS, the Town has been working on a comprehensive beach and dune management plan and has studied and discussed the current rules on live shelling; and

WHEREAS, The Town believes that the current rule that allows the taking of two live shells should be changed and a total ban on live shelling should be considered; and

WHEREAS, The Town, believes that a total ban would be easier to enforce and allow our area to protect our native live marine shells and also that education and signage is necessary to explain to our residents and our guests why a ban on live shelling is necessary;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH THAT:

1. The Town Council supports the recommendation of the Marine Resources Task Force to pursue a ban on live shelling within the territorial boundaries of the Town.
2. Forward this resolution to the Marine Fisheries Commission and ask that they hold hearings to consider a live shelling ban for Fort Myers Beach.

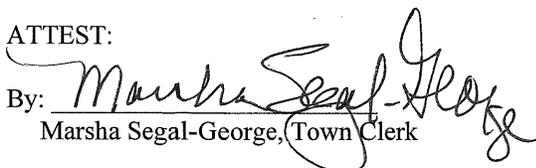
The foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Town Council upon a motion and second and, upon being put to a vote, the result was as follows:

Anita T. Cereceda	<u>yes</u>
Dan Hughes	<u>yes</u>
John Mulholland	<u>yes</u>
Garr Reynolds	<u>yes</u>
Ray Murphy	<u>yes</u>

DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED this 4th day of January, 1999

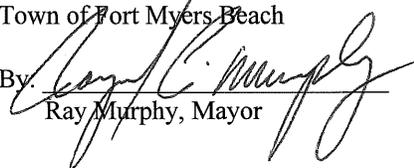
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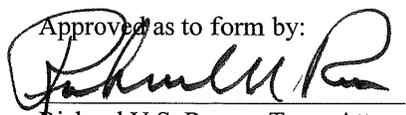
  
Marsha Segal-George, Town Clerk

Town of Fort Myers Beach

By:

  
Ray Murphy, Mayor

Approved as to form by:

  
Richard V.S. Roosa, Town Attorney