

RESOLUTION NO. 04-38

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA, APPOINTING **ROBERT V. SCHWERER** TO SERVE AS **CITY ATTORNEY** EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2005.

WHEREAS, John T. Brennan was appointed as City Attorney for the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, effective July 7, 1973, pursuant to Resolution No. 73-70; and

WHEREAS, Robert V. Schwerer became Assistant City Attorney in 1981 and has increasingly, particularly within the last several years, served as the principal legal advisor to, and counselor for, the City of Fort Pierce by assuming various duties and responsibilities previously performed by John T. Brennan, who has reduced his activity in such office accordingly; and

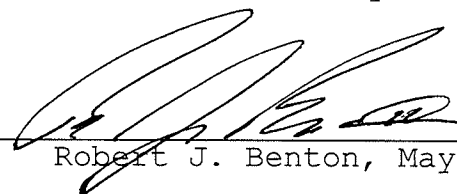
WHEREAS, the City Commission is desirous of effecting the formal transition of Robert V. Schwerer to serve as City Attorney, to be effective January 1, 2005, and to also have supervisory capacity over the City Attorney's office commencing on the date hereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, that attorney Robert V. Schwerer be and he is hereby appointed City Attorney for the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, effective January 1, 2005, to serve at the will of the City Commission, and to further exercise supervisory capacity over the City Attorney's office commencing on the date hereof, and that in such capacity Robert V. Schwerer shall act as the legal advisor to, and counselor for the City and all of its officers in matters relating to their official duties, and to perform services and counseling as City Attorney as promulgated and established by the charter, ordinances and resolutions of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Resolution has been duly adopted this 15th day of November, 2004.

ATTEST:


Cassandra Steele, City Clerk


Robert J. Benton, Mayor

(CITY SEAL)