

**TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH
RESOLUTION NO. 1037.97**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL
OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH,
FLORIDA; FOR STRICTER HAND GUN
REGULATION.**

WHEREAS, the Town of Golden Beach has proposed an initiative to insure greater control of handguns and their use in order to better protect the safety of persons and property; and

WHEREAS, current state law preempts the field of firearm control and does not allow large highly urbanized counties such as Dade County to impose stricter regulation of the sale, purchase, possession and transfer of firearms and ammunition; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Golden Beach believes that stricter control of firearms and ammunition is absolutely necessary to fight the constant stream of senseless violence which daily deprives our children of their innocence and their lives and deprives our citizens of any meaningful peace of mind and quality of life.

NOW THEREFORE,

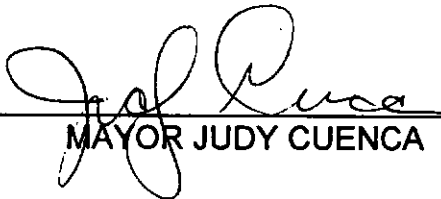
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, that:

Section 1. The Town Council for the Town of Golden Beach hereby expresses its wholehearted support of Handgun Control Initiative and further urges all relevant Federal, State, County and City officials to review proposals controlling and imposing greater restrictions on the availability of ammunition thereby creating double safeguards of the ultimate protection of our citizens and residents.

The Motion to adopt the foregoing Resolution was offered by COUNCIL MEMBER LOWRANCE, seconded by COUNCIL MEMBER ADDICOTT, and on roll call the following vote ensued:

Mayor Cuenca	<u>AYE</u>
Vice Mayor Chikovsky	<u>AYE</u>
Councilmember Lowrance	<u>AYE</u>
Councilmember Addicott	<u>AYE</u>
Councilmember Fistel	<u>AYE</u>

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Golden Beach, Florida this 20th day of May, 1997.



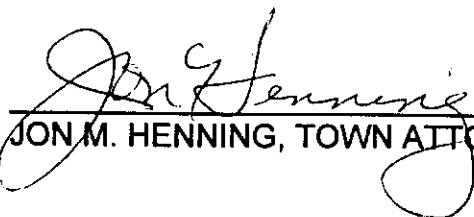
MAYOR JUDY CUENCA

ATTEST:



TOWN CLERK PATRICIA MONGIELLO

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY



JON M. HENNING, TOWN ATTORNEY