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Board of County Commissioners

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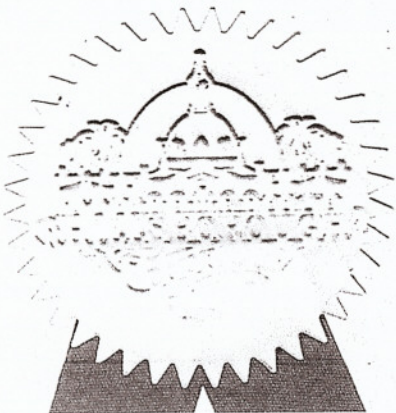
The Members of the Prescription Drug Monitoring Task Force

for their dedication and perseverance in attaining legislation in the State of Florida for a statewide Prescription Drug Monitoring Program to effectively eliminate the illegal use of prescription drugs by doctor shopping, pharmacy shopping and other illicit means.

Comprised of more than forty pharmacists, law enforcement, relatives who have lost loved ones and many others, this task force embarked on a six year-long effort to see Florida join the overwhelming majority of other states with laws to protect our population from this tremendous societal ill and to break the pipeline of easily gained prescription drugs trafficked to other parts of our nation.

The Prescription Drug Monitoring Task Force members' tireless hard work shall stand as a reminder to all that it is the power and courage of individuals collectively seeking what's right that ultimately establishes a common good.

Awarded this 15th day of July, 2009.



Ken Hagan
 Chairman
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 Vice Chairman
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