



OBSERVER CORPS REPORT
Daytona Beach City Commission
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The City Commission meeting included the presentation by Richard Lovett, President of the Volusia/Flagler Association of Code Enforcement to Denzel Sikes for **Code Enforcement Officer of the Year**. Mr. Sikes heads up code enforcement activities for the City of Daytona Beach.

Matt Reinhart, District 2 Volusia County Councilman, appeared before the Commission to request that the Daytona Beach City Commission provide a letter of support for his proposal to establish a countywide list of residents who have been convicted of domestic violence on two separate occasions. Councilman Reinhart explained that the proposed list is intended to help increase public awareness and provide local officials with an additional tool for addressing repeat domestic violence offenses within the community. He asked the Commission to consider supporting the initiative through a formal letter that could be used as the proposal moves forward for further review and consideration.

The commissioners voted unanimously to support the proposal.

Daytona Beach is celebrating its 150th anniversary in July 2026. There are numerous activities planned in celebration around the city on various dates and times.

Commissioner Henry expressed her concerns regarding data centers and the impact they are having on the various locations they have chosen to join. She encouraged all present to investigate and learn more about the impact data centers are having on the communities they have joined. She suggested Daytona Beach might consider a moratorium on data centers.