WHEREAS, Tom Dorman has had a lifelong interest in sports, and served as a football and basketball referee in high school and in college; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dorman served the citizens of Orange County as County Commissioner from 1982 to 1990; and

WHEREAS, during his term of office Mr. Dorman was actively committed to sponsoring the growth of sports in Orange County by facilitating actions attracting professional sports franchises and amateur athletic events to the area; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dorman was instrumental in forming the interlocal agreement between Orange County and the City of Orlando, which provided for the county contributing over 50 million dollars toward the construction of the Orlando Arena; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dorman was instrumental in providing funding of over 34 million dollars for the expansion of the Citrus Bowl; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dorman has been instrumental in the effort to obtain a professional baseball franchise for Orange County; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dorman has been active in the development of amateur sports in the Central Florida area, and has actively supported the effort to bring World Cup Soccer to Orlando in 1994; and

WHEREAS, the efforts of Mr. Dorman in the support and promotion of professional and amateur sports has significantly contributed to the health and entertainment of the citizens of Orange County, both adults and children;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Proclaimed by the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County, Florida, that

TOM DORMAN

is recognized for his contributions to Orange County in the areas of professional and amateur sports, and honored for his achievements on behalf of the citizens of Orange County.

Done and Ordered this 31st day of December, 1990

LINDA W. CHAPIN, COUNTY CHAIRMAN