

**BAY COUNTY (FLA.) REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**RESOLUTION 2009-\_\_\_\_ (#4 proposed)**

**Resolution Calling Upon State Representative Ray Sansom To Resign  
His House Seat**

WHEREAS we Republicans suffered, with our fellow citizens, for years of abuse after abuse by our State and Local Officeholders; which, over the years, were of the Democratic Party; and

WHEREAS the Republican rallying cry, over the years, was that Republican officeholders would provide clean and honest government, if only citizens of Florida would elect Republicans to State and Local offices; and

WHEREAS, in very recent years, we finally began to elect Republican officeholders, one of whom is Florida State Representative, Ray Sansom, from Okaloosa County (Fla.); and

WHEREAS now Rep. Ray Sansom has been indicted by a Leon County Grand Jury after it determined that "...\$6 Million of that money appropriated for Okaloosa County Community College [is going to be used to build an airplane hanger at Destin Airport for wealthy Republican Booster, Jay Odom]..." (See Section B3, Page 3, of the "News Herald," Saturday July 25, 2009); and

WHEREAS, in addition, Rep. Ray Sansom "...also...is charged with perjury...", moreover, Florida House Special Counsel, Steve Kahn, "...found probable cause for the House to impose sanctions on Sansom..."; and

WHEREAS Rep. Ray Sansom was hired by Northwest Florida State College's President to serve as a part time employee of that College in exchange for a salary of \$100,000.00 (See same source cited above); and

WHEREAS Rep. Ray Sansom at least had the grace to resign his new position as Speaker Of The Florida House, but has refused to resign his Seat as a Member of the Florida House, so that the citizens of his District, centered in Okaloosa County, are now being "represented" by a State Representative who is spending this part of his career defending himself from the Florida House Special Committee, as well as defending against the felony charges pending in the Leon County (Fla.) Circuit Court; and

WHEREAS Rep. Ray Sansom's conduct brings shame and disgrace upon all of us fellow Republicans because, wherever venality and corruption and incompetence overwhelm an office, public confidence in our laws are corroded and evaporate; and

WHEREAS Rep. Ray Sansom's conduct is doubly embarrassing for Republicans, because it is the type of conduct, when performed by Democrats, which provided us Republicans with our appeal to the Florida voters to toss out the crooked Democrats, so that ethical Republicans can provide government at the State and Local level in Florida.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BAY COUNTY (FLA.) REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, IN REGULAR SESSION, issues its call to Ray Sansom to resign his seat in the Florida House Of Representatives, so that ethically clean Republicans can stand for election to the vacated position in a special election called by the Florida Governor; and that Sansom's resignation, and the ensuing Special Election be handled expeditiously as possible, so that the people of Okaloosa and neighboring Counties will be able to wade into the approaching 2010 Legislative Session under the representation of an ethically clean and non-conflicted State Representative

**ADOPTED BY THE BAY COUNTY REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IN  
REGULAR SESSION THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2009.**

BAY COUNTY REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE  
COMMITTEE

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
ERIC WALL,  
Secretary

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
JOHN SALAK,  
Chairman