

FRI 6/16/17 MIN MAG: WHEELER RETIRING

FOR MINUTE MAGAZINE, I'M EZRA MARCUS.
THE LONGTIME DIRECTOR OF THE MONROE COUNTY
TOURIST DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL IS RETIRING
IN SEPTEMBER.

70-YEAR-OLD HAROLD WHEELER HAS GUIDED
T-D-C OPERATIONS FOR MORE THAN 21 YEARS...
SINCE HIS SELECTION BACK IN APRIL OF 1996.
WHEELER SAYS THE T-D-C PLAYS AN IMPORTANT
ROLE IN MAINTAINING QUALITY OF LIFE FOR
KEYS RESIDENTS... AND HE PUSHES BACK ON
RECENT CALLS TO DISBAND THE COUNCIL...

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WHEELER SAYS HE PLANS TO SPEND MORE TIME
WITH HIS 7-YEAR-OLD SON AFTER RETIREMENT...
AND WILL SPLIT HIS TIME BETWEEN FLORIDA AND
HIS HOME IN THE MOUNTAINS OF NORTH CAROLINA.
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