INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT

This agreement made and effective as of the __12th__ day of ___June__, 2006, by and between the Department of Juvenile Justice (Department) and __Nassau__ County (County):

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the 2004 Legislature enacted section 985.2155, Florida Statutes, requiring that costs of juvenile detention prior to disposition be a joint obligation of the state and the County; and

WHEREAS, DJJ requires that information concerning juveniles remain confidential;

NOW, THEREFORE in consideration of the following agreements, the parties do hereby covenant and agree to the following:

1. The Department agrees to share juvenile information, including, but not limited to, the juvenile's name, home address, and the name and address of the juveniles' parent or guardian, with the County for purposes of determining and verifying a juvenile's county of residency.

2. The County agrees to maintain the confidentiality of any and all juvenile information it receives from the Department and to ensure that the confidential nature of this information is maintained with respect to any records and reports created or disseminated. The County also agrees that the information will be used only for the purpose for which it was provided.

Modification of this agreement shall be made only by the consent of both parties and shall include a written document setting forth the modifications and signed by both parties. This agreement may be terminated with 30 days written notice to the other party.

This agreement shall be in effect for a period of _____one_____ years from the date of full execution, unless otherwise modified.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their undersigned officials as duly authorized.

COUNTY
Nassau

STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE

SIGNED BY: _____

Jim B. Higginbotham

NAME: ~~Thomas D. Branan, Jr.~~

TITLE: ~~Chairman~~ Vice Chairman
Nassau County Board of County
Commissioners

DATE: June 12, 2006

SIGNED BY: _____

NAME: _____

TITLE: _____

DATE: 6/26/06

June 29, 2006

Mr. John A. Crawford
Ex-Officio Clerk
Nassau County
PO Box 4000
Fernandina Beach, Florida 32035-4000

Dear Mr. Crawford:

In accordance with the Department's commitment to assure that the counties pay only the portion of detention costs for which they are responsible, and that each county pay only for detention services provided to youth from that county I have enclosed two CD's which contain the quarterly spreadsheets for the period of July 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005. The spreadsheets pertain to the youth who were in secure detention, pre-disposition along with their county of residence and the number of pre-disposition detention days for which the county is responsible. In addition the spreadsheets contain identifiers for each youth that will allow the counties to verify the address and county of residence.

Please keep in mind the information we are providing is confidential and can only be used for the purpose that was intended which is to verify the county of residency of the youth and the number of days the youth was in secure detention prior to disposition. This information will be used to reconcile the Department's records to determine the actual amount each county is responsible for when we complete the annual reconciliation this November.

The final rule and the new spreadsheet listing the cost allocations for each county effective with the invoice for December 2005 through the invoice for October 2007 are posted on our website (http://www.djj.state.fl.us/costsharing/index.html).

If you have questions, you can contact me by email at johnny.siets@djj.state.fl.us, or by phone at (850) 921-2084.

Sincerely,

Johnny Siets
Finance and Accounting Director

The mission of the Department of Juvenile Justice is to protect the public by reducing juvenile crime and delinquency in Florida.