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No. 79-12

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County that Honorable E. N. "EDDIE" McKENDREE has submitted his Notice of Retirement to the Governor of the State of Florida, as Property Appraiser of Nassau County, to be effective April 30, 1979; and

WHEREAS, the said E. N. "EDDIE" McKENDREE has since February 2, 1950 continuously dedicated himself to serving the Citizens of Nassau County; and

WHEREAS, during such time Mr. McKendree has distinguished himself by also serving in other related functions and offices, including the following:

- a) President of the Tax Assessors Association of Florida, as well as serving on all major offices in the Association;
- b) Served on Legislative Committee for the Tax Assessors Association of Florida for 15-years;
- c) Served on State Ad Valorem Tax Committee of Florida as Representative of Tax Assessors Association of Florida;
- d) Appointed in 1960 to serve and help write the Florida Tax Guide;
- e) Served on the Agriculture Committee to update Agriculture Section of Tax Guide;
- f) Served as State Chairman of the International Association of Assessing Officers for 3-years;
- g) Elected to a 2-year term on Board of Directors of International Association of Assessing Officers (membership approximately 5,000), (50 states and 5 foreign countries);
- h) Completed six Tax Seminar study courses on Assessment Principles;
- i) Served as Instructor, University of Georgia, Georgia Association of Assessing Officers;

and,

WHEREAS, Mr. McKendree has further dedicated himself to the needs and welfare of the City of Fernandina Beach through his varied community services and his service for 23-years as a Volunteer Fireman in the Fernandina Beach Volunteer Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, the BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU
COUNTY desire to express its appreciation to Mr. McKendree for
his many years of honorable service to the Citizens of Nassau
County;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it RESOLVED by the BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY in its regular meeting duly assembled that Mr. McKendree be commended for his excellent service to the County of Nassau, together with the Board of County Commissioners best wishes for his continued success.

ADOPTED this 24th day of April, 1979.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

GENE R BLACKWELDER Chairman

JOHN F. CLAXTON, Vice-Chairman

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Its: Ex-officio Clerk

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