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BAKER CLAY DUVAL FLAGLER NASSAU PUTNAM ST. JOHNS

RESOLUTION 88-4

FOR NASSAU COUNTY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
"REGIONAL SOLID WASTE FEASIBILITY STUDY"

WHEREAS, on August 28, 1987 the Govenors Energy Office began requesting proposals for "Technical Assistance to Local and Regional Governments for Solid Waste Feasibility Studies"; and

WHEREAS, this grant money will be used to investigate the feasibility of innovative solid waste management techniques that save energy and or produce renewable energy; and

WHEREAS, participation in this program will award up to \$20,000 in grant money per local government and require a minimum of \$5,000 in matching funds per local government; and

WHEREAS, the Northeast Florida Regional Planning Council as lead agency will combine funds from all participating counties in it's region and produce a "Regional Solid Waste Feasibility Study"; and

WHEREAS, NASSAU county in addition to all counties in the Northeast Florida Region needs to find better methods for solid waste disposal and will greatly benefit from this study.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the NASSAU County Commission respectfully request participation along with the other counties in Northeast Florida in the solid waste feasibility study to be administered by the Northeast Florida Regional Planning Council.

ADOPTED: 10/13/87

NASSAU COUNTY COMMISSION
By: Charles A. Pickett
Chairman

Attest:
[Signature]

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1. Total regional budget for Solid Waste O&M = approximately \$ 12 million.
2. At this time all counties within the region are disposing of their waste within their own county.
3. With population growth the amount of solid waste produced will be proportional.
4. All costs associated with solid waste disposal will continue to increase.
5. On a county by county basis the cost of disposing of solid waste is becoming unendurable.
6. Regional methods for disposing of solid waste along with methods for reducing the amount of solid waste entering landfills must be found.
7. Northeast Florida Regional Planning Council Solid Waste Study from January 1987 recommended further studies to:

- a. establish the feasibility of individual county landfill expansion verses various county cooperative programs for centralization,
- b. establish the most cost effective alternative to landfill expansion for each county, concentrating on refuse-to-energy and composting techniques,
- c. plan for centralization of landfill usage with intercounty cooperative agreements.

8. Fiscal year 1988 Solid Waste Grant Program

Name: Technical Assistance to Local and
Regional Governments for Solid Waste Feasibility
Studies

Issued by: Governor's Energy Office

Funds from: US Department of Energy Overcharge
Recovery Funds

Objective: To assess the feasibility on a
range of energy saving and/or producing criteria
with regards to Solid Waste disposal

Grant Awards: Maximum of \$20,000 per county or
municipality with minimum matching funds of
\$5,000 per county or municipality
Combined awards up to a maximum of
\$100,000 with minimum matching funds of \$5,000
from each county or municipality participating.

Proposal due: October 16, 1987 by 5:00 p.m. E.S.T.

Proposal open: October 19, 1987