## RESOLUTION NO. 98-171

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DELAY DEMOLITION ON THE NASSAU SOUND BRIDGE UNTIL THE NASSAU COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS CAN STUDY THE ECONOMIC FEASIBILITY OF PRESERVING THE NORTH PORTION OF THE BRIDGE TO BE USED AS A FISHING PIER

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County,
Florida is desirous of conducting the necessary studies of the Nassau
Sound Bridge; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the studies is to determine the feasibility of the county maintaining a portion of the Nassau Sound Bridge as a fishing pier; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation has scheduled January 1999 as the month and year in which demolition of the Nassau Sound Bridge was to take place.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this 23rd day of November, 1998, as follows:

- The Board of County Commissioners hereby requests that the Florida Department of Transportation delay any demolition of the Nassau Sound Bridge at least for a period of one hundred twenty (120) days.
- 2. That the Board of County Commissioners be allowed to conduct whatever necessary studies to determine whether or not the preservation of a portion of that bridge is feasible.
- 3. The Board of County Commissioners requests any response from the Florida Department of Transportation regarding this request and if the Florida Department of Transportation does not wish to grant the additional time that an immediate meeting be arranged

between the Secretary of the Florida Department of Transportation and the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

NICK D. DEONAS

Its: Chairman

ATTEST:

J. M. Oyley, Jr., Clerk By: Marie J. Dinstrong, D. C.

J. M. "CHIP" OXLEY, JR. Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney:

MICHAEL S. MULLIN