RESOLUTION 2007 - 155

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF AUGUST 27 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2007, AS NASSAU COUNTY CAREER AND VOLUNTEER FIRE FIGHTER APPRECIATION WEEK.

WHEREAS, fighting fires is one of the most hazardous professions, requiring physical strength, stamina, extensive training, courage, and selfless concern for the welfare of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, in addition to their daily service to communities, both career and volunteer fire fighters throughout the State and across the nation have joined the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) for the past fiftythree (53) years in the fight against neuromuscular diseases; and

WHEREAS, MDA is extremely grateful to all Nassau County career and volunteer fire fighters for their support and dedication; and

WHEREAS, the funds collected through the "Fill the Boot" by all Nassau County career and volunteer fire fighters assisted MDA in providing medical services at local clinics, summer camps, research grants, support groups, and public education seminars at no cost to local children and families; and

WHEREAS, in honor of the efforts of all the Nassau County career and volunteer fire fighters, MDA is

sponsoring Nassau County Fire Fighter Appreciation Week; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate for all Nassau County citizens to join the MDA in this tribute to all of our fire fighters.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 27th day of August 2007, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, as follows:

The week of August 27 through 31, 2007, is hereby 1. proclaimed to be:

NASSAU COUNTY CAREER AND VOLUNTEER FIRE FIGHTER APPRECIATION WEEK

2. The Board also commends all Nassau County Career and Volunteer Fire Fighters for their efforts on behalf of MDA.

> BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

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Attest as to Chairman's Signature:

JOHN A. CRAWFORD
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the

Nassau County Attorney:

DAVID A. HALLMAN