

RESOLUTION NO. 2013 – 15

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, DECLARING THE MONTH OF MARCH 2013 AS “WOMEN’S HISTORY MONTH”, IN NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA.

WHEREAS, American women of every race, class and ethnic background have made historic contributions to the growth and strength of our Nation in countless ways; and

WHEREAS, American women have played and continue to play a critical economic, cultural, and social role in every sphere of the life of the Nation by constituting a significant portion of the labor force working inside and outside of the home; and

WHEREAS, American women have played a unique role throughout the history of the Nation by providing the majority of the volunteer labor force of the Nation; and

WHEREAS, American women were particularly important in the establishment of early charitable, philanthropic, and cultural institutions in our Nation; and


WHEREAS, American women of every race, class, and ethnic background served as early leaders in the forefront of every major progressive social change movement; and

WHEREAS, American women have been leaders, not only in securing their own rights of suffrage and equal opportunity, but also in the abolitionist movement, the emancipation movement, the industrial labor movement, the civil rights movement, and other movements, especially the peace movement, which create a more fair and just society for all; and

WHEREAS, despite these contributions, the role of American women in history has been consistently overlooked and undervalued, in the literature, teaching, and study of American history;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this 11th day of March, 2013, that Nassau County hereby declares March 2013 as “Women’s History Month” in Nassau County, Florida.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA



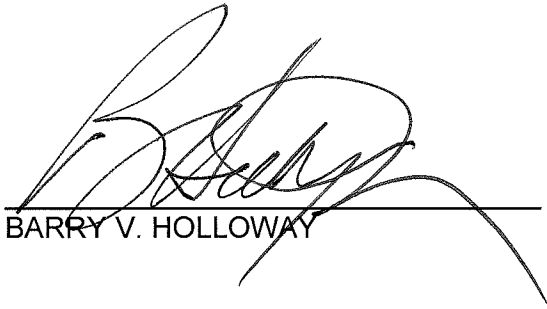
DANIEL B. LEEPER
Its: Chairman



STEPHEN W. KELLEY

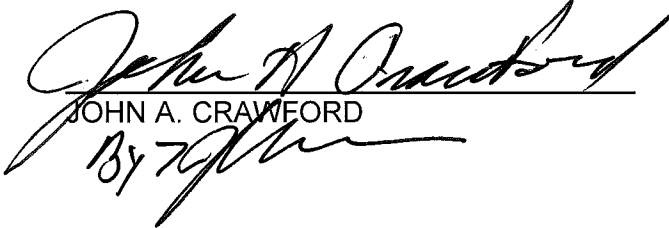



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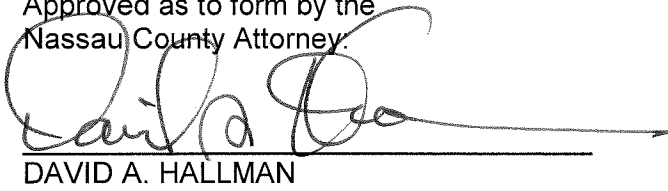

BARRY V. HOLLOWAY


WALTER J. BOATRIGHT

ATTESTATION: Only to Authenticity
as to Chairman Signature:


JOHN A. CRAWFORD
By 

Approved as to form by the
Nassau County Attorney:


DAVID A. HALLMAN