RESOLUTION NO. 2013 - 93

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF AUGUST 19 THROUGH AUGUST 25, 2013 AS "CAREER AND VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER APPRECIATION WEEK" IN NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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, Fire Fighters throughout the state and across the nation have joined the Muscular Dystrophy Association for the past 58 years in the fight against neuromuscular diseases; and

WHEREAS, the Muscular Dystrophy Association is extremely grateful to the Fire Fighters of Nassau County whose "Fill the Boot" campaign will assist 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 the Fire Fighters of Nassau County, the MDA is sponsoring Nassau County Career and Volunteer Firefighter Appreciation Week for the week of August 19 through August 25, 2013; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate for all Nassau County citizens to join the Muscular Dystrophy Association in this tribute to our Fire Fighters.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT REVOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this 21st day of August, 2013, that:

- The week of August 19 through August 25, 2013, is hereby proclaimed as "Career and Volunteer Firefighter Appreciation Week" in Nassau County, Florida.
- 2. The Board of County Commissioners commends the Fire Fighters of Nassau County for their efforts on behalf of the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

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