

RESOLUTION NO. 2016 - 118

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROCLAIMING SEPTEMBER 2016 AS "NATIONAL SENIOR CENTER MONTH".

WHEREAS, the month of September is devoted to celebrating Senior Centers and their contribution to improving the quality of life for older adults, as designated by the Older Americans Act; and

WHEREAS, older Americans are significant members of our society who, through their hard work and sacrifice, have earned our respect and care; and

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Council on Aging has been caring for Nassau County senior citizens, promoting independence and a better life for them by providing hot meals, companionship, and engaging activities for more than 40 years; and

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Council on Aging offers services, assistance, and support to more than 2,000 Nassau County seniors and provides 34,277 nutritious meals to Meals on Wheels recipients, enabling our community's seniors to stay at home, where the vast majority wish to remain; and

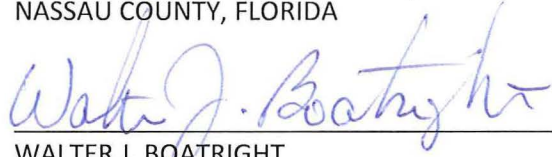
WHEREAS, the Nassau County Council on Aging, through its two Senior Life Centers, offers programs and opportunities for seniors to stay active and healthy, continue learning, share experiences and stay connected with friends, which reduces isolation and depression while improving health and wellness in our seniors' lives; and

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Council on Aging affirms the dignity, self-worth and independence of our older citizens by facilitating their decisions and actions and enabling their continued contributions to our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, this 12th day of September, 2016, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, that:


1. The Board recognizes the importance and many contributions of the Nassau County Council on Aging.
2. The Board calls upon all citizens to recognize the special contributions of senior center members and the special efforts of Nassau County Council on Aging staff and volunteers who work every day to help our seniors live happy, healthy lives.

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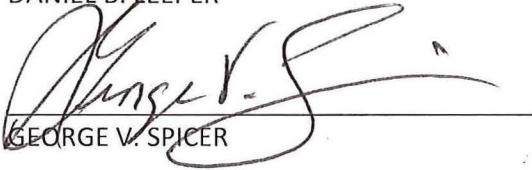


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Its: Chairman



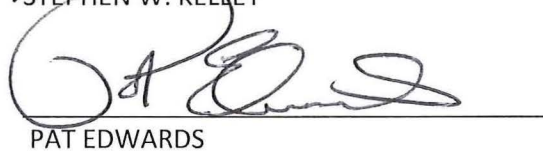
DANIEL B. LEEPER



GEORGE V. SPICER



STEPHEN W. KELLEY



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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:



MICHAEL S. MULLIN