

RESOLUTION NO. 2018 - 113

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2018 AS COMMUNITY
PLANNING MONTH IN NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

WHEREAS, change is constant and affects all cities, towns, suburbs, counties, boroughs, townships, rural areas, and other places; and

WHEREAS, community planning and plans can help manage this change in a way that provides better choices for how people work, live, and play; and

WHEREAS, community planning provides an opportunity for all residents to be meaningfully involved in making choices that determine the future of their community; and

WHEREAS, the full benefits of planning require public officials and citizens who understand, support, and demand excellence in planning and plan implementation; and

WHEREAS, the month of October is designated as National Community Planning Month throughout the United States of America and its territories; and

WHEREAS, The American Planning Association and its professional institute, the American Institute of Certified Planners, endorse National Community Planning Month as an opportunity to highlight the contributions sound planning and plan implementation make to the quality of our settlements and environment; and

WHEREAS, the celebration of National Community Planning Month gives us the opportunity to publicly recognize the participation and dedication of the members of planning commissions and other citizen planners who have contributed their time and expertise to the improvement of Nassau County; and

WHEREAS, we recognize the many valuable contributions made by our professional community planners in Nassau County, and extend our heartfelt thanks for the continued commitment to public service by these professionals; and

WHEREAS, we celebrate Nassau County's first American Planning Association-Florida Best Practices Award for the William Burgess Overlay District, presented at the state planning conference in West Palm Beach on September 12, 2018, one of only nine state awards presented this year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this 8th day of October 2018, that the month of October 2018 is hereby designated as Community Planning Month in Nassau County, Florida in conjunction with the celebration of National Community Planning Month.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED THIS 8TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2018.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA



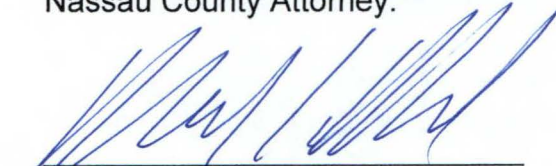
PAT EDWARDS
Its: Chair

ATTEST as to Chairman's Signature:



JOHN A. CRAWFORD
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form and legality by the
Nassau County Attorney:



MICHAEL S. MULLIN,
County Attorney