

**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-28**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, COMMENDING KRISTEN MUSGROVE ON RECEIVING THE MILKEN EDUCATOR AWARD FOR THE 2019/2020 SCHOOL YEAR.**

**WHEREAS**, Kristen Musgrove is a life-long resident of Nassau County, Florida, who grew up in the Hilliard area; and

**WHEREAS**, Kristen Musgrove graduated from Hilliard Middle-Senior High in 2001 and from the University of North Florida in 2006 with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Elementary Education; and

**WHEREAS**, Kristen Musgrove began teaching in 2007 and has worked at Yulee Elementary School, Hilliard Elementary School and Hilliard Middle-Senior High where she currently teaches 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Math; and

**WHEREAS**, Kristen Musgrove is a two-time recipient of the Nassau County Golden Apple Award, a prestigious award created to honor exemplary teachers; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 5, 2020, Kristen Musgrove was awarded the Milken Educator Award, an award created to reward early-to-mid year career education professionals for their early achievements and for the promise of accomplishments to come; and

**WHEREAS**, Kristen Musgrove is among 40 Milken Education Award Honorees for

the 2019/2020 School Year, but is the only winner this year from the State of Florida; and

**WHEREAS**, Kristen Musgrove's 6<sup>th</sup> grade classes are leading the School District with 97% of her students demonstrating math proficiency; and

**WHEREAS**, when asked what she loves most about teaching, Kristen Musgrove stated, *"I love seeing the "lightbulb" go off when a student grasps a concept and the smile that comes with it. I also enjoy building relationships and letting them know that I genuinely care about who they are and what they become. Teaching is the most rewarding profession and I could not imagine doing anything else"*.

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners are proud to have Kristen Musgrove representing Nassau County and look forward seeing more of her achievements in the years to come.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this 24th day of February, 2020 that:

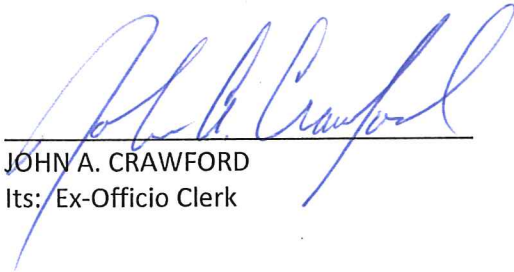
1. The Board commends Kristen Musgrove on being awarded the Milken Educator Award for the 2019/2020 School Year.
2. The Board extends their best wishes to Kristen Musgrove as she travels to Indianapolis in March to the Milken Educator Forum to meet with State and Federal leaders to discuss the future of education.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA**



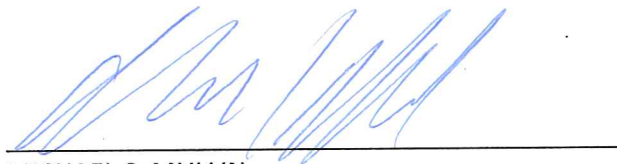
DANIEL B. LEEPER  
Its: Chairman

**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  
Its: County Attorney