

**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-85**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, HONORING THE LIFE OF JACOB DAVID BERGLUND.**

**WHEREAS**, Jacob David Berglund was born on September 24, 2004 to Mark and Anne Berglund and was welcomed by big sisters, Gracie and Alison; and

**WHEREAS**, Jacob David Berglund was a remarkable young man with a heart of gold and an infectious smile; and

**WHEREAS**, Jacob David Berglund lived life to the fullest. He loved being a Boy Scout, taking acting classes, watching The Office, being a deejay, and cheering on his football team, The Yulee Hornets, as the team's mascot, Buzz; and

**WHEREAS**, in July 2018, Jacob David Berglund was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia; and

**WHEREAS**, despite his diagnosis, Jacob David Berglund always remained positive. He went into remission 28 days after his original diagnosis and began his long-term treatment plan; and

**WHEREAS**, in March 2020, Jacob David Berglund's cancer relapsed and he returned to Wolfson's Children's Hospital to begin another round of chemotherapy; and

**WHEREAS**, on April 8, 2020, Jacob David Berglund made the decision to forgo further treatment after learning that the disease was resistant and progressing rapidly; and

**WHEREAS**, Jacob David Berglund spent his last few days in this life surrounded by people he loved. He received calls from President Trump, Tim Tebow and some of his favorite cast members from The Office; and

**WHEREAS**, on Good Friday, April 10, 2020, Jacob David Berglund was baptized to reconfirm his faith in Jesus Christ. Later that day, Jacob David Berglund watched as hundreds of vehicles drove past his house so members of the community could show their love support for him and his family; and

**WHEREAS**, on Saturday, April 11, 2020, Jacob David Berglund finally earned his Eagle Scout pin, an accomplishment he reached prior to being diagnosed; and

**WHEREAS**, at 12:04 a.m. on Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020, Jacob David Berglund passed away peacefully at his home surrounded by his loving family; and

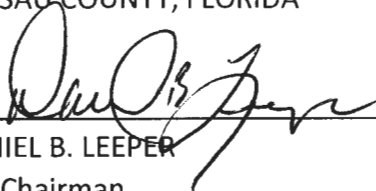
**WHEREAS**, Jacob David Berglund will always be remembered for his outgoing personality and zest for life.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2020 that:

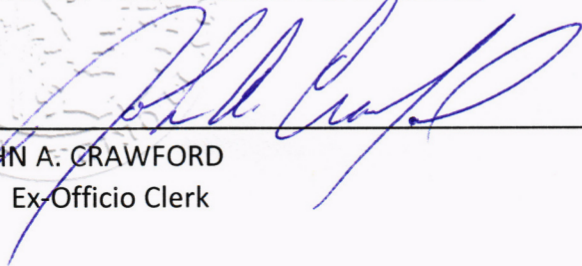
1. The Board extends their deepest sympathy to Jacob David Berglund's friends and family.

2. The Board urges residents of Nassau County to keep the Berglund family in their prayers as they grieve the loss of Jacob David Berglund.
3. The Board hereby proclaims September 24, 2020, as "Jacob David Berglund Day" in remembrance of Jake's birthday and the impact he made on his community.

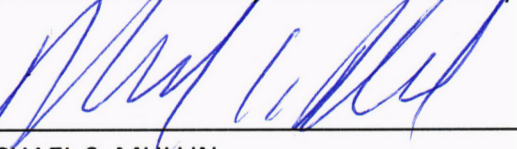
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NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

  
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DANIEL B. LEEPER  
Its: Chairman

ATTEST AS TO CHAIRMAN'S SIGNATURE:

  
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JOHN A. CRAWFORD  
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney:

  
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MICHAEL S. MULLIN