

**RESOLUTION 2023- 119**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION PURSUANT TO A DECLARED FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, the State of Florida has experienced natural disasters that affect the public safety and general welfare of the citizens of this state, and in response, the Florida legislature enacted the State of Emergency Management Act (Chapter 252, Florida Statutes) to provide for emergency procedures; and

**WHEREAS**, the occurrence of natural disasters is unpredictable and the response to these natural disaster and other public emergencies requires prompt decision-making and administrative action in order to protect the public welfare and interest; and

**WHEREAS**, Florida Statutes 125.74 delegates the administrative function of County government to the County Manager; and

**WHEREAS**, local, state and federal disaster preparation, response, and recovery may require the execution of orders, contracts, grants, loans, agreements, or other documents by an authorized representative or agent of the City; and

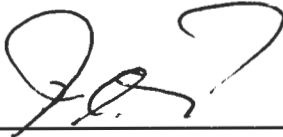
**WHEREAS**, the County adopted Resolution 2023-118 adopting the Nassau County Comprehensive Emergency Plan in order to provide more efficient and orderly disaster preparedness and recovery.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, that:

1. The BOCC confirms, ratifies and adopts the 2023-2027 Nassau County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan, as may be adopted from time to time.
2. The BOCC hereby confirms, ratifies and authorizes the County Manager, or their designee, to take all reasonably necessary administrative action to preserve life, property and public welfare pursuant to a declared federal, state or local state of emergency, including the temporary suspension of local rules and regulations which may impede or delay the County's preparation, response or recovery.
3. The BOCC intends the authority conveyed to the County Manager or designee found in section 2 herein to be plenary, without the need to obtain further approvals from the BOCC during the pendency of a declared state of emergency, including any necessary related administrative action occurring after the expiration of the declaration of a state of emergency. This authority includes, but is not limited to, the execution and delivery of all related documents pertaining to the County's application and request for public assistance and the designation of the County Manager or designee as the County's official authorized to sign, execute and deliver all federal, state, and local disaster relief funding agreements, grants, or any other related public assistance documents, on behalf of the Nassau County as grantee or sub-grantee.

**PASSED IN REGULAR SESSION** of the Board of County Commissioners for Nassau County, Florida, this 12th day of June, 2023.

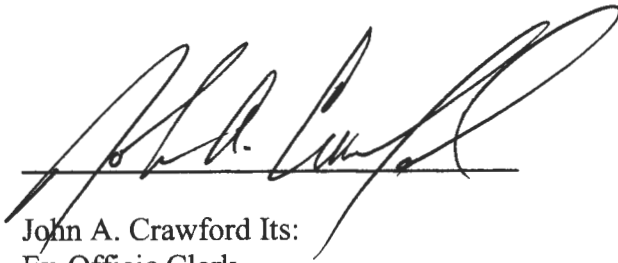
**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA**



---

Klynt A. Farmer  
Chairman

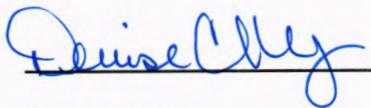
Attest as to Chairman's signature:



---

John A. Crawford Its:  
Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the Nassau  
County Attorney:



---

Denise C. May