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A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY REQUESTING THAT THE FLORIDA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES SEEK LEGISLATION WHICH WOULD AUTHORIZE NON-CHARTERED COUNTIES TO LEVY A TAX ON THE PURCHASE OF ELECTRICITY, METERED OR BOTTLED GAS.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statutes, Chapter 166.231, municipalities may levy a tax on the purchase of electricity or metered or bottled gas; and

WHEREAS, there is a doubt as to the ability of non-chartered counties to levy such a tax; and

WHEREAS, the electric tax is a fairer tax due to the fact that all citizens of the county would pay such a tax; and

WHEREAS, due to the ever increasing costs to non-chartered counties, especially rural counties, the tax would be a fairer method of meeting said costs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 19th day of April, 1988, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, that the Board hereby requests that:

1. The Florida Association of Counties seek authorization, from the Legislature, to enact an electric tax in the same manner and method as provided for municipalities.

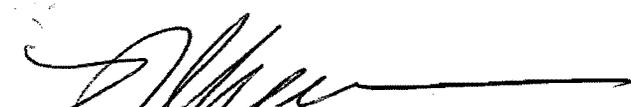
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA



CHARLES A. PICKETT

Its: Chairman

ATTEST:-



T. J. GREESON

Its: Ex-Officio Clerk