

RESOLUTION NO. 97-163

WHEREAS, the Small County Coalition, a coalition of county commissions representing counties with populations less than 150,000 exists to stimulate increased visibility and support for issues of primary concern to small counties and rural communities; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, has a need to have information, interpretation and consultation services that are directed specifically to the ongoing needs of small counties and rural communities within the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the cost of retaining such services is reduced by participation with a consortium framework; and

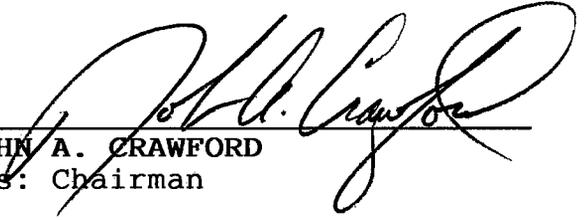
WHEREAS, the Small County Coalition has designated Robert P. Jones & Associates to provide governmental relations consulting services relating to small county and rural community issues.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this 28th day of July, 1997, approves membership in the Small County Coalition for FY 97-98 and agrees to pay \$2,150.00 for services through September 30, 1998.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, agrees to make the payment to Robert P. Jones and Associates for services associated with the Small County

Coalition.

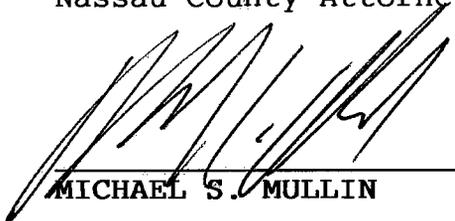
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

  
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JOHN A. CRAWFORD  
Its: Chairman

ATTEST:

  
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J. M. "CHIP" OXLEY, JR.  
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the  
Nassau County Attorney:

  
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MICHAEL S. MULLIN