

RESOLUTION NO. 98-139

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA PROCLAIMING OCTOBER 17,
1998 AS FIRST COAST RECYCLES DAY IN NASSAU
COUNTY, FLORIDA**

WHEREAS, many businesses, industries, governmental agencies, nonprofit organizations, and individuals are joining together to take part in First Coast Recycles Day on October 17, 1998; and

WHEREAS, the recycling industry is one of Florida's fastest growing industries, representing over 13,000 jobs and more than \$2.7 billion in capital investment; and

WHEREAS, the recycling industry represents 3.2 percent of the total manufacturing sector value added in Florida, with more than \$1 million added in the processing and manufacturing of paper, plastic, metals, and glass; and

WHEREAS, recycling saves our landfill space and our valuable natural resources for generations to come; and

WHEREAS, participating in First Coast Recycling Day is one way citizens can help raise awareness about the need to reduce waste by reusing, recycling, and buying recycled products; and

WHEREAS, the theme for the event is "if you're not buying recycled, you're not really recycling"; and

WHEREAS, state and community leaders need to spread the word about the excellent programs they have established, the growth of markets for recyclables, and the importance of buying recycled products.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 14th day of September, 1998, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida as follows:

The Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida hereby proclaims October 17, 1998 as *First Coast Recycles Day* in Nassau County.

ATTEST:

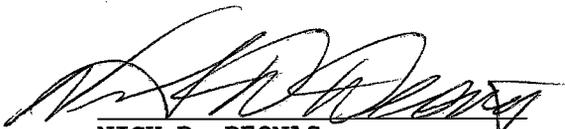
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NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA



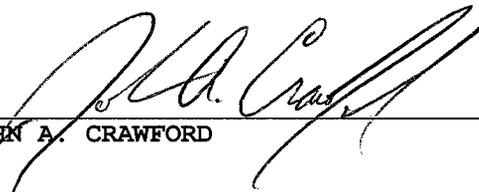
J. M. "CHIP" OXLEY, JR.
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk



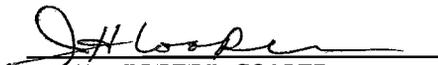
CHRIS KIRKLAND
Its: Chairman



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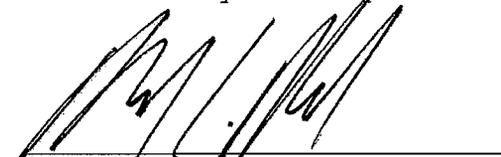


J. H. "PETE" COOPER



MARIANNE MARSHALL

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Nassau County Attorney:



MICHAEL S. MULLIN