

RESOLUTION NO. 98- 140

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA PROCLAIMING NOVEMBER
15, 1998 AS AMERICA RECYCLES DAY/FLORIDA RECYCLES
DAY IN NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA**

WHEREAS, each year Americans generate more than 208 million tons of municipal solid waste. That is more than 4.3 pounds per person per day. While the nation has reached an overall recycling rate of over 27 percent, much more can be done, especially in closing the loop and purchasing products made with recycled content.

WHEREAS, to focus the nation's attention on the importance of recycling and closing the loop, businesses, industries, governmental agencies, nonprofit organizations, and individuals have joined together to celebrate America Recycles Day/Florida Recycles Day and are encouraging their employers, staff, customers, membership, and all citizens to pledge to buy more recycled-content products starting on November 15, 1998; and

WHEREAS, participating in America Recycles Day/Florida Recycles 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.

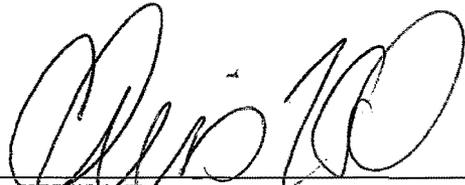
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 14th day of September, 1998, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida as follows:

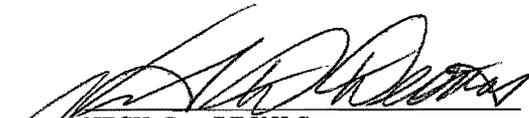
The Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida hereby proclaims November 15, 1998 as *America Recycles Day/Florida Recycles Day* in Nassau County.

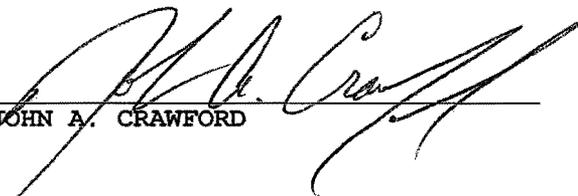
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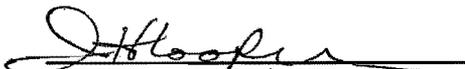
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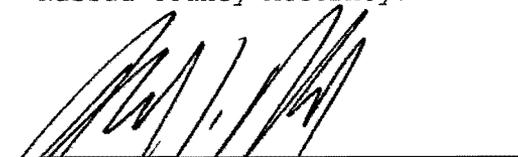
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