RESOLUTION NO. 2011-116

A RESOLUTION HONORING JERRY ALTON "AL" GIDDENS ON HIS RETIREMENT AFTER TWENTY-FIVE (25) OUTSTANDING YEARS WITH THE COUNTY.

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WHEREAS, on October 1, 1985 Jerry "Al" Giddens began his career with Nassau County as a Firefighter/Emergency Medical Technician/ Apparatus Operator (currently known as an Engineer); and

WHEREAS, on October 1, 1988 Jerry "Al" Giddens was promoted to the rank of Station Officer. Jerry "Al" Giddens remained in the Station Officer position for approximately 2 years. On October 1, 1995 he was promoted to Deputy Chief/Firefighter/Paramedic where he remained until February 11, 1997 when he took the position of Captain/Firefighter/Paramedic. Jerry "Al" Giddens remained in the position of Captain/Firefighter/Paramedic for approximately 3 years, until he took the position of Lieutenant where he remained until his retirement; and

WHEREAS, Jerry "Al" Giddens has consistently given his all for the employees of Nassau County, the citizens of Nassau County, and the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, on June 30, 2011, Jerry "Al" Giddens announced his retirement effective July 14, 2011; and

WHEREAS, Jerry "Al" Giddens will be deeply missed by those who have had the honor to work with him, as well as the citizens of Nassau County who he worked so hard to protect.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida this 25th day of July, 2011 as follows:

- The Board publicly thanks and commends Jerry "Al" Giddens for twentyfive plus years of outstanding service dedicated to the citizens of Nassau County.
- 2. The Board acknowledges his outstanding service to the Board of County Commissioners, as well as those who had the privilege to work with him.
- The Board, on behalf of all the citizens of Nassau County, extends their sincere appreciation to Jerry "Al" Giddens for all he has done to make this a great County.

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ATTEST AS TO CHAIRMAN'S SIGNATURE: JOHN A. CRAWFORD Ins: Ex-Officio Clerk	
Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attonicy:	

VID A. HALLMAN