

RESOLUTION NO. 2013 - 70

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF MAY
18-24, 2013, AS SMALL BUSINESS WEEK.**

WHEREAS, the business of America begins with small business owners, who work hard every day to turn their dreams into enterprises; and

WHEREAS, businesses that employ 25 people or less make up almost 90 percent of the membership of the Amelia Island-Fernandina Beach-Yulee Chamber of Commerce, Nassau County's largest business advocacy organization; and

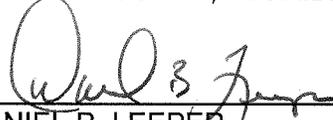
WHEREAS, the Chamber assisted 78 businesses last year to open or expand in Nassau County, thereby strengthening our economy, generating many new jobs and improving the quality of life for citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Chamber's first Small Business Expo, designed to both help aspiring entrepreneurs start a new business and help existing businesses to grow, will be held May 18 at the FSCJ Nassau Center in Yulee.

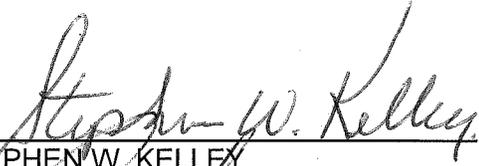
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this 13th day of May 2013, that:

1. The week of May 18-24, 2013, be proclaimed as Small Business Week in Nassau County, Florida.
2. The Board hereby urges all citizens to join the Board in celebrating the accomplishments of small business owners and their employees.
3. The Board hereby urges all citizens to encourage the development of new small businesses in Nassau County, Florida.

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NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA



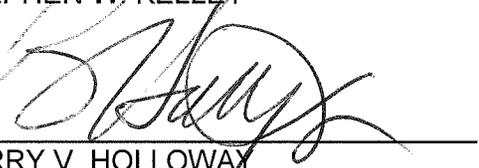
DANIEL B. LEEPER
Its: Chairman



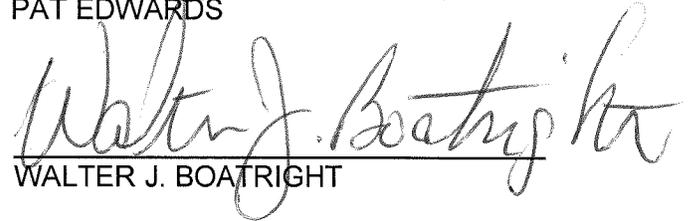
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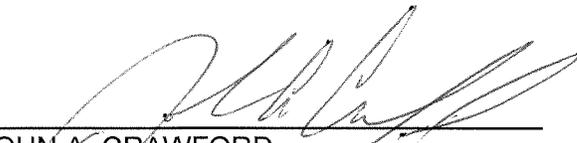


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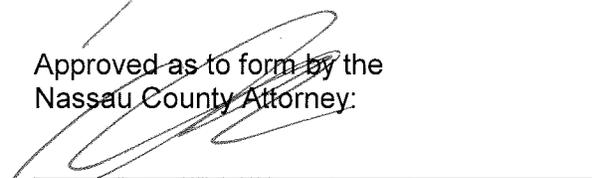
WALTER J. BOATRIGHT

ATTESTATION: Only to Authenticity
as to Chairman's Signature:



JOHN A. CRAWFORD

Approved as to form by the
Nassau County Attorney:



DAVID A. HALLMAN