

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-76

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, EXTENDING THE BURN BAN**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida adopted Resolution 2017-46 declaring a State of Emergency which prohibits the outdoor burning of yard debris and trash; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners exercised its authority under Chapter 252.38(3), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 252.38(3)(5) provides that the duration of the state of emergency declared locally is seven (7) days; and

WHEREAS, the seven day increment may be extended by a majority vote of the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida; and

WHEREAS, as a result of numerous wildfires and based upon current conditions, the Assistant Fire Chief has recommended that there exists a need to extend this local State of Emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, this 13th day of April, 2017, pursuant to the authority granted by Nassau County Ordinance No. 2001-04, as amended, that:

1. The Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, does hereby extend the State of Emergency for a period commencing April 13, 2017 and continuing the emergency through April 20, 2017.
2. Said State of Emergency is to prohibit all outdoor burning, except pursuant to permits issued by the Florida Forest Service and authorize appropriate action, pursuant to Section 252.38, Florida Statutes. The outdoor burn ban

would not pertain to cooking on attended and monitored barbeque equipment.

3. Said State of Emergency may be extended for a seven (7) day period by the Board of County Commissioners.
4. The appropriate media be notified of the burn ban as well as municipalities, Sheriff's Department and Florida Forest Service.

Attest as to Chairman's
Signature:

*John A Crawford, Ex-Officio Clerk
Reg. Comm. Arthur, DC*

JOHN A. CRAWFORD
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

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NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

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