## **RESOLUTION NO. 2019-01**

A RESOLUTION OF THE NASSAU COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, HONORING AND COMMENDING STEPHAN R. LEIMBERG ON THE SELECTION OF HIS PHOTOGRAPH FOR THE 2019 FLORIDA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES CALENDAR.

WHEREAS, the Florida Association of Counties produces an annual calendar which features scenic photos of locations throughout Florida; and

WHEREAS, each summer, the Florida Association of Counties holds a contest in which all 67 counties are encouraged to submit photographs consistent with the theme established for the next edition; and

WHEREAS, in July 2018, the Florida Association of Counties announced the theme for the 2019 calendar, "Old Florida", which would highlight Florida's rich and diverse history and feature historical landmarks and sites; and

WHEREAS, the County Manager's Office published a story on The County

Insider and the County's FaceBook page encouraging Nassau County residents to enter
the contest; and

WHEREAS, 351 photos were submitted, and of those, only 15 were selected for the 2019 calendar; and

WHEREAS, on December 6, 2018, Nassau County received a copy of the 2019

F. A. C. Calendar which included a photo from Nassau County as the feature for the month of August; and

WHEREAS, the photo was submitted by Stephan R. Leimberg, a local professional photographer who specializes in wildlife, still life and portraits; and

WHEREAS, Stephan R. Leimberg's work also illustrates scenes of architecture

from around the world; and

WHEREAS, Stephan R. Leimberg's collection includes photographs from one of

the nation's first welcome stations located in Boulogne, at the Florida/Georgia line on

U.S. Highway 1, which runs from Maine to Key West; and

WHEREAS, the welcome station that was once filled with motels, billboards,

restrooms, and souvenir stands for weary travelers now consists of ruins and buildings

that are now used for other purposes; and

WHEREAS, Stephan R. Leimberg's photo of the old souvenir shop captured the

unique experience of Old Florida and serves as a reminder of how far we have grown as

a community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of

Nassau County, Florida, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2019, that:

1. The Board expresses their gratitude to Stephan R. Leimberg for submitting his photos

for FAC's Calendar Contest.

2. The Board is honored to have a location in Nassau County as the featured photo for

the month of August 2019.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

USTIN M. TAYL

Its: Chairman

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Attest as to Chairman's Signature:

JOHN A. CRAWFORD Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney:

MICHAEL S. MULLIN