

ORDINANCE NUMBER 77-23

INTRODUCED BY COMMISSIONER BENET

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY OF ST. JOHNS, STATE OF FLORIDA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 77-19 AS AMENDED, REGULATING TRAFFIC PATTERN AND FLOW OF TRAFFIC ON THE BEACHES BORDERING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN FROM 4TH STREET IN THE TOWN OF ST. AUGUSTINE BEACH, FLORIDA, SOUTH TO CRESCENT BEACH RAMP IN ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA; AND PROVIDING FOR ONE-WAY TRAFFIC EASTERLY FROM THE 4TH STREET RAMP AND "A" STREET RAMP; AND PROVIDING FOR EFFECTIVE DATES FROM APRIL 15TH THROUGH SEPTEMBER 15TH OF EACH YEAR FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M. ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS AND STATE LEGAL HOLIDAYS; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR ORDINANCE TO TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATLY.

WHEREAS, it has been determined by unanimous vote of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, that an emergency exists with reference to traffic problems on the beaches bordering the Atlantic Ocean between the 4th Street ramp in St. Augustine Beach, Florida, and the Crescent Beach ramp in St. Johns County, Florida, lying to the south thereof, and that it is necessary for the public welfare, safety and convenience that an emergency ordinance be passed regulating such traffic, and amending Ordinance 77-19 as amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, this Commission determines that an emergency exists and that immediate enactment of this ordinance is necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA:

Section 1. That this Board determines that an emergency exists and waives notice of requirements and determines that immediate enactment of this ordinance is necessary.

Section 2. That the flow of motor powered vehicle traffic on the beach bordering the Atlantic Ocean between the 4th Street ramp and the Crescent Beach ramp is hereby designated as one-way traveling southerly only, between April 15th and September 15th of each year on Saturdays, Sundays and State legal holidays, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on said days.

Section 3. That the 4th Street ramp in the Town of St. Augustine Beach, Florida, and the "A" Street ramp in the Town of St. Augustine Beach, Florida, are hereby designated as one-way entrances to the beach going easterly only, between April 15th and September 15th of each year on Saturdays, Sundays and State legal holidays, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on said days.

Section 4. The effective time for enforcement of this ordinance shall be between April 15th and September 15th of each year, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and State legal holidays.

Section 5. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or provision of this ordinance hereby adopted is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance shall not be affected.

Section 6. This ordinance is enacted under the provisions of the Laws of the State of Florida and Chapter 21543, Special Acts of Florida 1941.

Section 7. Any person, firm or corporation found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punishable as provided by the State of Florida Uniform Traffic Control Law.

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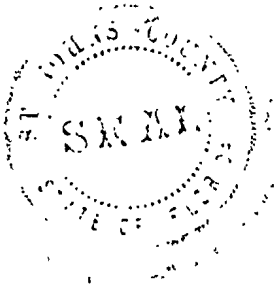
Section 8. This is an emergency ordinance enacted under Section 125.66, Florida Statutes, Subparagraph 3, and shall take effect when a copy has been accepted by the postal authorities of the government of the United States for special delivery by registered mail to the Department of State of the State of Florida.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: W. Earl Byrd  
Chairman

ATTEST: Marie Spaulding  
Deputy Clerk

(SEAL)





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July 14, 1977

Honorable Oliver Lawton  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
St. Johns County  
Post Office Drawer 299  
St. Augustine, Florida 32084

Attention: Marie Spaulding, Deputy Clerk

Dear Mr. Lawton:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 125.66, Florida Statutes, this will acknowledge your letter of July 12 and certified copy of St. Johns County Emergency Ordinance No. 77-23, which was received and filed in this office on July 14, 1977.

Kindest regards.

Cordially,

*Nancy Kavanaugh*  
(Mrs.) Nancy Kavanaugh  
Chief, Bureau of Laws

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*Oliver Lawton*  
CLERK, CIRCUIT COURT

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