RESOLUTION NO. 86-124

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the ability of people to learn to cope with the challenges of lifegreatly affects the enjoyment and fulfillment they derive from that life, and

WHEREAS the abuse and misuse of chemical substances can interfere with a person's ability to cope and to enjoy life, and

WHEREAS such chemical abuse can interfere with a youngster's development of coping skills or adults to employ such skills, and

WHEREAS such chemical abuse has a detrimental effect on all aspects of society,

NOW, THEREFORE I, Francis Brubaker, Chairman of the County Commission of St. Johns County, Florida, do hereby proclaim the week of October 19 through October 25, 1986 as

OcSoberfest: Substance Abuse Awareness Week

and I call upon the citizens of St. Johns County to educate themselves to the issues of substance abuse and avail themselves of the services available in the education, prevention, identification, intervention, and treatment of substance abuse. I encourage our county's prevention specialists, education and treatment professionals, law enforcement officers, community organizations and media to join together in making the public aware of the importance of increasing their awareness of substance abuse issues.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of St. Johns County, Florida to be affixed this 9 day of September in the year nineteen hundred and eighty-six.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

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ATTEST: CARL "BUD" MARKEL, CLERK

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