



*By*

*The Board of County Commissioners  
of St. Johns County, Florida*

**A RESOLUTION**

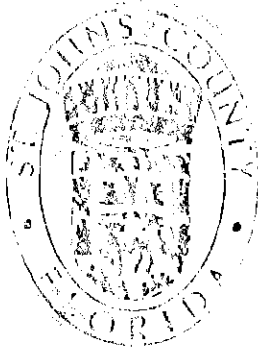
- Whereas,** The Junior Service League of St. Augustine Inc. is a volunteer organization of women from the St. Augustine/St. Johns County community who donate thousands of hours toward the benefit of our area; and
- Whereas,** The Junior Service League of St. Augustine Inc. began the restoration of the St. Augustine Light Station thirteen years ago and has been dedicated towards its completion since; and
- Whereas,** The Junior Service League of St. Augustine Inc. has raised over six hundred thousand dollars to restore the historic 1876 Keeper's House as a Museum and Community event space, thereby providing an excellent educational opportunity for visitors and residents to and from our area; and The Junior Service League's dedication to the preservation of the historic Keeper's House saved the structure from demolition; and
- Whereas,** The Junior Service League of St. Augustine Inc. has taken on the responsibility to preserve and maintain the historic 165 foot landmark Lighthouse and thereby provided a historic educational opportunity for visitors and locals alike, and that opportunity has resulted in over 45,000 visitors to the site a year; and provided for an important lifesaving aid to navigation for our coastal waters; and
- Whereas,** The Junior Service League of St. Augustine Inc. has rallied the local community, the St. Augustine Port, Waterway and Beaches Commission and the State of Florida, to raise the funds necessary to save the historic First Order Fresnel Lens for continued use as an aid to navigation and educational treasure; and
- Whereas,** The Junior Service League of St. Augustine Inc. efforts has resulted in a unique, effective and successful partnership between the League, the United States Coast Guard, the St. Augustine Port, Waterway and Beaches Commission, the State of Florida which serves as an example to others of the need for mutual cooperation between diverse and often distant organizations and entities; and
- Whereas,** The Junior Service League of St. Augustine Inc. efforts to restore and maintain the St. Augustine Light Station has brought state and national attention to the St. Augustine/St. Johns County area;
- Now Therefore** Be it resolved, that the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, does hereby officially draw up this resolution to recognize and honor The Junior Service League of St. Augustine Inc. in appreciation.

**UNANIMOUSLY PASSED AND ADOPTED**

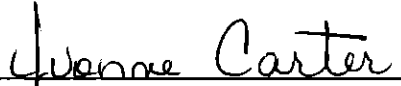
*this 11th Day of May, 1993*

*by the St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners*

**RESOLUTION NO. 93-83**



  
Linda Balsavage, Chair

  
Deputy Clerk of Courts