RESOLUTION NO. 96-66

RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 95-45. THIS RESOLUTION MODIFIES RULE 1.305 "TRAVEL EXPENSES," IN THE ST. JOHNS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS RULES AND POLICIES. THE REVISION ALLOWS MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO RENT VEHICLES UPON THE COMMENCEMENT OF TRAVEL.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners attends local, state and national meetings which are held for the purpose of furnishing information and guidance on local government affairs as they affect St. Johns County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, from time to time, may find it necessary to rent a vehicle upon the commencement of official County travel.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners, St. Johns County, Florida, that Resolution 95-45 is hereby amended by deleting the existing paragraph 1 and adding the following in its stead:

1. Board members traveling on official County business shall be subject to the same travel policies and regulations that are utilized by all County employees (Administrative Code, Section 102) except as denoted herein.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Resolution 95-45 is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph 9 thereto:

9. Authorize members of the Board of County Commissioners the use of a rental car for out-of-county travel with the provision that a compact or mid-size vehicle be used depending on the length of the trip.

10. Rental and return of vehicles from vendors by Board members shall be as follows:

A. If the planned travel commences in the morning hours, the rental vehicle may be picked up the afternoon before the trip.
B. If the planned travel commences in the afternoon the rental vehicle may be picked up the morning of the trip.
C. Return of rental vehicles to vendors shall be on the day of return to St. Johns County or the morning after if the return occurs after the vendor's business hours.
D. No payments will be made by the County for rental vehicles for any usage exceeding these time frame requirements.
11. No payments will be made by the County for rental vehicles for trips of less than one hundred (100) miles (one way) from point of departure to point of destination.

12. Liability and personal injury protection insurance coverage shall be purchased through the vendor at the time of rental of the vehicle. Coverage amounts should be $10,000 for bodily injury per person, $20,000 per accident, $10,000 property damage and personal injury protection (P.I.P.) of $10,000.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 23rd day of April, 1996.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: Donald Jordan
Chairman - Donald Jordan

ATTEST: CARL “BUD” MARKEL, CLERK

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Deputy Clerk