RESOLUTION 97-10

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN SUPPORT OF AN ACTION BY THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE DISTRICT (MSD) OF PONTE VEDRA TO CONSTRUCT, INSTALL AND MAINTAIN A SIGN INDICATING ENTRANCE TO THE GREATER PONTE VEDRA AREA.

WHEREAS, The Ponte Vedra Municipal Service District is a legal entity created by the Florida Legislature in April, 1982; and

WHEREAS, Ponte Vedra Beach has gained national and international recognition as a unique tourist destination and headquarters of the American Tennis Professionals Association (ATP) and the Professional Golfers Association (PGA); and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Service District desires to construct, install, and maintain a "place" or "greeting" sign to welcome visitors to the greater Ponte Vedra Beach area; and

WHEREAS, employees of the Florida Department of Transportation have assisted Municipal Service District officials in choosing a site for the sign; and

WHEREAS, the concept of this sign and its placement has been reviewed and approved by Florida Senator William "Bill" Bankhead, within whose District it is to be placed; and

WHEREAS, the Visioning Process recently completed by District 4 Commissioner Joanne Cody and St. Johns County staff discovered that District 4 residents are proud of their community and wish to identify and promote it for themselves, for the County, and for visitors;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, approves and supports the action of the Municipal Service District of Ponte Vedra Beach to construct, install, and maintain a sign indicating the entrance to Ponte Vedra Beach, St. Johns County, at a site immediately south of the St. Johns County/Duval County Line.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ______ day of ______, 1997.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHN'S COUNTY, FLORIDA

Chairman

ATTEST: Cheryl Strickland, Olerk

BY: - Hilla Sacette

Deputy Clerk