

RESOLUTION NO. 99-80

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, REQUESTING THAT THE TRUSTEES OF THE INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT TRUST FUND OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA ESTABLISH AN EROSION CONTROL LINE ON THE SHORELINE OF THE ATLANTIC OCEAN FOR APPROXIMATELY 2.5 MILES THROUGH A PORTION OF ANASTASIA STATE PARK CONTINUING SOUTH THROUGH A PORTION OF ST. AUGUSTINE BEACH; SETTING FORTH FINDINGS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, approximately 2.5 miles of shoreline in Anastasia State Park continuing southerly within the City of St. Augustine Beach has been declared an area of critical erosion by the Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Beaches and Coastal Systems, and

WHEREAS, St. Johns County, by Resolution #94-217 dated November 29, 1994, declared that a major disaster has occurred in St. Johns County along and adjacent to the Atlantic Ocean in the city limits of the City of St. Augustine Beach, and

WHEREAS, the St. Augustine Port, Waterway and Beach District has developed an Inlet Management Plan and an Erosion Control Program to help mitigate the erosive impacts of the inlet, and

WHEREAS, a large beach profile provides the best protection for upland properties for a severe storm event, and

WHEREAS, St. Johns County has agreed to act as local sponsor with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to assist in the nourishment of this 2.5 miles of critically eroded shorelines, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to delineate the boundary between upland properties and state owned submerged lands before undertaking a nourishment project.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that:

1. The Commission requests that the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund establish an erosion control line on 2.5 miles of beach located between Florida Department of Environmental Protection monument R-137 through R-150.

2. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 18 day of May, 1999.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: Marc Jovalsone
Its Chair

ATTESTED: Cheryl Strickland, Clerk

By: Patricia DeGrande
Deputy Clerk