

RESOLUTION NO. 2012- 75

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR, OR DESIGNEE, TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION AND ANY OTHER REQUIRED PAPERWORK, IN ORDER TO SEEK FUNDING ASSISTANCE THROUGH THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION OFFICE OF GREENWAYS AND TRAILS, RECREATIONAL TRAIL PROGRAM, TO IMPROVE EXISTING TRAILS IN NOCATEE PRESERVE.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection allows local governments to make application through a grant program for trail improvements that benefits public access to natural settings within the Nocatee Preserve; and

WHEREAS, the deadline for the County submitting the application is March 30, 2012; and

WHEREAS, the County has reviewed the pending Grant application; and

WHEREAS, the County shall apply for no more than \$160,000; and

WHEREAS, after a review of the Grant application, the County has determined that nothing contained in the Grant application negatively impacts the interests of the County; and

WHEREAS, after a review of the Grant application and accompanying materials, the County has determined that none of the requirements, restrictions, and/or obligations associated with award of the Grant, or the Grant itself, negatively impact the interests of the County; and

WHEREAS, after a review of the Grant application and accompanying materials, the County has determined that an award of a Florida Department of Environmental Protection Grant to improve trails within the Nocatee Preserve serves the overall interests of the County.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida that:

~~Section 1. The above Recitals are incorporated by reference into the body of this Resolution, and such Recitals are adopted as Findings of Fact.~~

Section 2. The Board of County Commissioners hereby approves and authorizes the County Administrator, or designee, to submit a completed application based on the approved guidelines for grant submittal on behalf of the St. Johns County Recreation & Parks Division for a Florida Department of Environmental Protection grant to improve trails within the Nocatee Preserve.

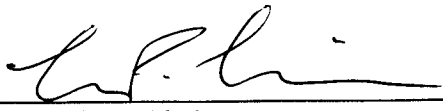
Section 3. The Board of County Commissioners hereby authorizes the County

Administrator, or designee, to execute any other paperwork necessary, and/or associated with the application for the Department of Environmental Protection grant.

Section 4. To the extent that there are typographical or administrative errors or omissions that do not change the tone, tenor, or context of this Resolution, then this Resolution may be revised without subsequent approval of the Board of County Commissioners.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, this 6th day of March, 2012.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA**

By: 
Mark P. Miner, Chair

ATTEST: CHERYL STRICKLAND, CLERK

By: 
Deputy Clerk

RENDITION DATE 3/8/12

