## **RESOLUTION NO. 2021-086**

## A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, HONORING JANET LOVELESS ON HER RETIREMENT AFTER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF SERVICE.

WHEREAS, Janet Loveless began her employment with Nassau County, on November 6, 1995, as a Reference Librarian; and

WHEREAS, Janet Loveless was promoted to Assistant Library Director in May of 1995; and

WHEREAS, Janet Loveless believed continuing her formal education was important and returned to school, where she earned her Master of Library Science (MLS); and

WHEREAS, striving to further her knowledge and ability to effectively serve the citizens, Janet Loveless earned the Florida specific Sunshine State Library Leadership Institute Certificate in 2005 and also a Public Library Administration Certification in 2016; and

WHEREAS, Janet Loveless is a true public servant who serves the residents through her job duties with Nassau County, as well as in her personal time, she served on the Northeast Florida Library Information Network Board (local consortia) as a small library representative for two terms from 2010 through 2016; and

WHEREAS, Janet Loveless organized and implemented Black History Month programs, including the African American Read-In for 20 years; and

WHEREAS, Janet Loveless worked with many local groups as a liaison for the Library, including the Amelia Island Genealogical Society from 2013-2021, Amelia Island Book Festival from 2003-2021, and Duncan Lamont Clinch Historical Society from 2011-2021; and

WHEREAS, Janet Loveless was a professional member of the American Library Association for 28 years, Public Library Association and Florida Library Association member for 20 years; and

WHEREAS, Janet Loveless has provided exemplary service to the citizens of Nassau County, as well as to her co-workers by performing her duties throughout her years of service in a conscientious and responsible manner; and

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WHEREAS, Janet Loveloss appounded her retirement offective March 10, 2021; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 24th day of May, 2021,

by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, that:

- 1. The Board publicly commends Janet Loveless for her outstanding service and dedication to Nassau County.
- 2. The Board, on behalf of all citizens in Nassau County, extends their sincere appreciation to Janet Loveless for all she has done to make this a great County.
- 3. The Board hereby express best wishes to Janet Loveless for continued health and happiness in the years to come.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

THOMAS R. FORD Its: Chairman

Attest as to Chairman's Signature:

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Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney:

MICHA S. MULLIN