## **RESOLUTION NO. 2024-**

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, ENDORSING THE DEDICATION OF THE PORTION OF STATE ROAD A1A IN NASSAU COUNTY AS "JIMMY BUFFETT MEMORIAL HIGHWAY"

**WHEREAS,** Jimmy Buffett was an American singer-songwriter known for his lifestyle described as "island escapism;" and

**WHEREAS,** Jimmy Buffett entertained audiences for over five decades, releasing his first record in 1970; and

WHEREAS, over the course of his career, Jimmy Buffett created 27 studio albums, multiple New York Times bestselling books, a Broadway play, and business empire; and

WHEREAS, from his musical career, Jimmy Buffett received two Grammy nominations and two County Music Association Awards; and

WHEREAS, after a long career and accumulation of millions of adoring fans, Jimmy Buffett passed away peacefully in the comfort of friends and family on September 1, 2023; and

WHEREAS, Florida House of Representatives House Bill 91 will be presented to designate all portions of State Road A1A in Florida as "Jimmy Buffett Memorial Highway; and

**WHEREAS,** with the support of the Nassau County Board of County Commissioners, House Bill 91 will be presented to the Florida House of representatives for approval; and

WHEREAS, with House Bill 91 becoming law, the Florida Department of Transportation will erect suitable markers designating the portion of State Road A1A in Nassau County as the Jimmy Buffett Memorial Highway.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA that on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of January 2024, this Board endorses the dedication of the portion of State Road A1A within Nassau County as "Jimmy Buffett Memorial Highway."

	BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA
	JOHN MARTIN Its: Chairman
Attest as to Chairman's Signature:	Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney:
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