

Resolution 92-81  
A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY  
COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA  
DESIGNATING THE WEEK OF JUNE 7 THROUGH JUNE  
13, 1992 AS NATIONAL SAFE BOATING WEEK

**WHEREAS**, water related recreational activities are vital elements in the lives of the citizens of St. Johns County, Florida, and

**WHEREAS**, Florida's 8400 miles of saltwater tidal coastline, 3 million acres of inland lakes and 11,000 miles of rivers and streams provide for many of the needed outlets for recreation and relaxation, and

**WHEREAS**, recreational boating is one of Florida's leading outdoor activities with more than 4 million residents participating in this pastime, and

**WHEREAS**, Florida is the fastest growing recreational boating state in the nation with over 718,000 registered vessels and increasing at over 10,000 vessels each year, and

**WHEREAS**, every year lives are lost in boating accidents in spite of the educational efforts of the Florida Marine Patrol, U.S. Coast Guard, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary, U.S. Power Squadrons, Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission and local agencies, and

**WHEREAS**, the Florida Marine Patrol, U.S. Coast Guard, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary, U.S. Power Squadrons, Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission and other cooperating agencies and groups have developed and are now executing campaigns in this field, and

**WHEREAS**, the sponsors of these safety programs have addressed their efforts to the youth and general public of Florida, urging them to enhance boating pleasure and avoid possible loss of life and property damage, and

**WHEREAS**, we the citizens of St. Johns County, Florida affirm and support the goals of National Safe Boating Week, June 7 - June 13, 1992.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida does hereby proclaim the week beginning June 7, 1992 as

**"NATIONAL SAFE BOATING WEEK"**

in St. Johns County and urge all citizens who use our waterways to join in learning and practicing safe boating and in having their boats inspected for proper safety equipment.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 26th day of May, 1992 by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: *Laura Beltrame*  
Its Chairman

ATTEST: CARL "BUD" MARKEL

By: *Andy Edgell*  
Deputy Clerk