

RESOLUTION NO. 96- 70

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA IN RECOGNITION OF THE OUTSTANDING EFFORTS BY THE COMMITTEE OF 100 IN PURSUIT OF THE FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL MUSEUM.

WHEREAS, the Florida Agricultural Museum, a non-profit direct support organization of the Florida Department of Agriculture, initiated a search for a site to relocate the museum from Tallahassee; and

WHEREAS, the Committee of 100, saw the opportunity to attract a multi-million dollar tourism operation of educational historical significance to St. Johns County; and

WHEREAS, to this end, the Committee of 100 gathered a team of concerned St. Johns County residents and businessmen and coordinated a proposal of magnitude to present to the Florida Agricultural Museum Board of Trustees, in competition with numerous counties throughout the State; and

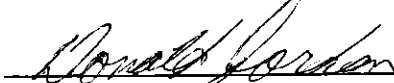
WHEREAS, due to the leadership and determination of the Committee of 100, St. Johns County achieved ranking in the top six counties in the State for proposals submitted; and

WHEREAS, St. Johns County's interest, support and dedication to the location of the Florida Agricultural Museum in Northeast Florida contributed to Flagler County's selection as the future site for the Museum,


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners, St. Johns County Florida, that the Committee of 100, its leaders and members, be duly recognized and commended for the outstanding effort made to attract clean, compatible industry to St. Johns County in pursuit of the Florida Agricultural Museum.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of May, 1996, by the Board of County Commissioners, St. Johns County, Florida.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA


Chairman, Donald Jordan

ATTEST: CARL "BUD" MARKEL, CLERK


Deputy Clerk