

RESOLUTION NO. 97-112
A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING SUPPORT
FOR THE ST. JOHNS COUNTY COUNCIL ON AGING, INC.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida (the "Board") has historically been a major provider and supporter of health and human services in Florida and has demonstrated the commitment needed to address a multitude of human and social services problems; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners recognizes that the elderly population of St. Johns County continues to grow which requires a community-based service agency to manage and coordinate services in St. Johns County; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners recognizes that the St. Johns County Council on Aging, Inc. was established to serve the needs of the elderly in St. Johns County; and;

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners recognizes the services St. Johns County Council on Aging, Inc., provides are very beneficial to the county's elderly and that the Council on Aging provides efficient, cost-effective and coordinated management of human services to the elderly in the county, and;


WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has established the Health and Human Services Advisory Council to exist and to serve as an advisory body to the Board regarding health and human services in St. Johns County, and, the St. Johns County Health and Human Services Advisory Council has strongly recommended supporting the St. Johns County Council on Aging, and;

WHEREAS, the St. Johns County Council on Aging, Inc. understands the needs of the elderly and maintains a good working relationship with the Health and Human Services Advisory Council and other local community service agencies, and;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners supports the St. Johns County Council on Aging, Inc. as the recognized, local provider for services to the elderly. The St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners supports the concept of local agencies providing services to the citizens of the county and recommends to the Northeast Florida Area Agency on Aging that consideration be made for the St. Johns County Council on Aging, Inc. to be the designated lead agency and service provider for services to the elderly in St. Johns County.

Passed and Adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, this 22 day of July, 1997.

Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida
By:  _____
Chairman

ATTEST: Cheryl Strickland, Clerk

By:  _____
Deputy Clerk