

# Resolution

*Northeast Florida Regional Council*

2023-01

Honoring

**The Honorable Jeff Rawls**

**WHEREAS**, the Honorable Jeff Rawls, County Commissioner, was appointed in August 2019 by the Putnam County Board of County Commissioners to serve as a representative on the Northeast Florida Regional Council Board of Directors; and

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Rawls served as a member of the Personnel, Budget & Finance Policy Committee, and the Affordable Housing Committee; and

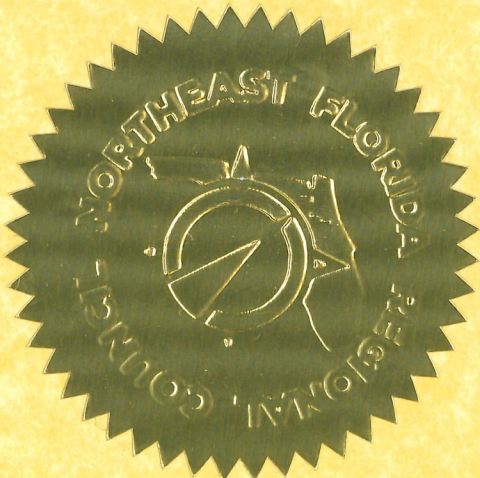
**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Rawls advocated strongly for a regional look at the Opioid Crisis and the impact on Northeast Florida, which resulted in Council staff dedicating time and resources to the opioid epidemic; and

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Rawls served the Council and Northeast Florida citizens with great distinction, devotion, and dedication; and

**WHEREAS**, his efforts on behalf of the Council and Northeast Florida is greatly appreciated and will be missed.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the policy body of the Northeast Florida Regional Council hereby commends Commissioner Rawls for his efforts and contributions during his tenure and expresses its sincere appreciation for his service.

*Unanimously adopted by the Northeast Florida Regional Council in a regular meeting assembled in the City of Jacksonville, on the fifth day of January, 2023.*



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**Randle P. DeFoor**

President

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Elizabeth Payne", is written over a horizontal line.

**Elizabeth Payne**

CEO