

Resolution

Northeast Florida Regional Council

2014-17

Recognizing the 50th Anniversary of the West Florida Regional Planning Council

WHEREAS, the West Florida Regional Planning Council was formed as the third regional planning council in the State of Florida in 1964; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the West Florida Regional Council is to provide professional planning, coordinating and advisory services to local governments, state and federal agencies and the public in order to preserve and enhance quality of the life in Northwest Florida; and

WHEREAS, local governments throughout the Region recognize the need for regional coordination to address community issues that extend beyond the county and municipal boundaries; and

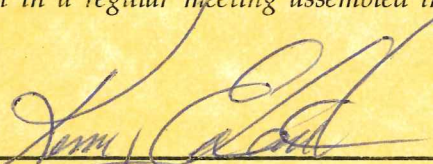
WHEREAS, the West Florida Regional Planning Council has engaged in strategic regional planning, comprehensive economic development strategic planning, emergency preparedness planning, transportation planning, environmental planning and education, and intergovernmental review activities to coordinate planning for the future of the Region; and

WHEREAS, for the past 50 years, the West Florida Regional Planning Council has brought together local governments and gubernatorial appointees to provide a venue for analyzing issues, resolving problems, and sharing solutions among the seven jurisdictions of Bay, Escambia, Holmes, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Walton and Washington Counties;

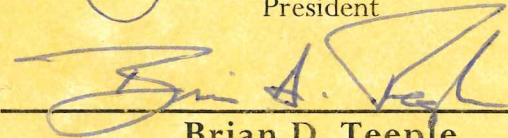
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the policy body of the Northeast Florida Regional Council hereby congratulates the West Florida Regional Planning Council on its 50th Anniversary and recognizes its contributions in advancing the regional agenda.

Unanimously adopted by the Northeast Florida Regional Council in a regular meeting assembled in the City of Jacksonville, on the second day of October, 2014.





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President



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