

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Anne Cyr Jackson a native of Maine was born at the foothills of Mt. Katahdin, the baby girl of a family of seven. Later her family migrated to the village of East Eddington known for where the first sight of the sunrise appears in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Anne was a preacher's kids and met her husband in the 1960s at church. Lloyd was from Jacksonville, Florida but stationed at Dow Air Force Base in Bangor, Maine; and

WHEREAS, after Lloyd severed his 4 years in the Air Force, he became employed by the USDA, where his positioned took them from Jacksonville to Puerto Rico to Palm Beach County, Florida and back to Jacksonville; and

WHEREAS, in 1982 they moved back to Jacksonville where Anne started working for a law firm as Executive Secretary to the Executive Director. In 1988 she started working for Claude Mullis as his secretary/office manager. In addition to running his private practice Claude was the General Council for the Northeast Florida League of Cities. Shortly after Claude was appointed Executive Director for the Northeast Florida League of Cities ; and

WHEREAS, Anne's husband passed away after 44 years of marriage, leaving her a young widow. He was her rock, her first love, and she missed him. In their 44 years together, they raised 4 children (1 adopted), have 12 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Anne now lives on a 100-acre farm in Screven, Georgia, with 2 houses, 2 fishing ponds and a "Viking Village"; and

WHEREAS, in 2001, Claude retired from the Executive Director position and recommended Anne for the Executive Director position where she has been employed since.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Green Cove Springs hereby recognizes Northeast Florida League of Cities Executive Director, Anne Jackson for her retirement and outstanding service to the City of Green Cove Springs.

Section 2. A true copy of this Proclamation shall be spread upon the Official Minutes of the City Council of the City of Green Cove Springs.

DONE AND PROCLAIMED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS, FLORIDA, IN REGULAR SESSION THIS 19TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2021.

CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS, FLORIDA

Edward R. Gaw, Mayor

ATTEST:

Erin West, City Clerk

