

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

WHEREAS, The Reverend Ronald P. Moore has served as Senior Pastor for the Anastasia Baptist Church since 1981, establishing a sterling community reputation, and always putting others before himself; and

WHEREAS, the Reverend Ronald P. Moore, has led Anastasia Baptist Church to invest significantly in addressing community homelessness by financially supporting the work of the St. Francis House Homeless Shelter, Habitat for Humanity, and The Emergency Services Homeless Coalition; and

WHEREAS, The Reverend Ronald P. Moore has led Anastasia Baptist Church to address the community needs of families in crisis by financially supporting the St. Augustine Christian Service Center, The Oasis Family Crisis Center, the Alpha-Omega Miracle Home, the St. Johns Ecumenical Food Pantry, the Women's Refuge of St. Johns County, as well as, leading the church to initiate ministries to address similar crisis needs; and

WHEREAS, The Reverend Ronald P. Moore, has ably led Anastasia Baptist Church in caring for the people of St. Augustine and St. Johns County, recording during his tenure over 1,300 baptisms, over 5,600 sermons, countless weddings, and hundreds of funerals; and

WHEREAS, The Reverend Ronald P. Moore has given his life to ministering to the spiritual needs of the St. Augustine community, and helping the sick, ministering to the homeless, the destitute and the broken.

*NOW THEREFORE, the City Commission of the City of St. Augustine is honored to recognize with appreciation the **REVEREND RONALD P. MOORE** for his service to Anastasia Baptist Church and to this community.*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of St. Augustine to be affixed this 1st day of June in the year of our Lord two thousand and eight, and the four hundred and forty second year of the founding of St. Augustine, the Nation's Oldest City.

Joseph L. Boles Jr., Mayor