

*❧* PROCLAMATION *❧*

*WHEREAS, Richard J. Murray High opened in March of 1955 with Richard Jerome Murray serving as the first Principal and after 15 years the last graduation was held at Murray High in 1970; and*

*WHEREAS, Murray High was the center of a loving community—excelling in academics, athletics and music; and*

*WHEREAS, Richard J. Murray Middle School continues to serve as a citadel of academics and art today; and*

*WHEREAS, all graduates and former students revere and value the history, traditions, legacy and heritage, fostered for 54 years, espoused by the “Brightest gem in the Southland’s Crown”.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, the City Commission of the City of St. Augustine does hereby declare that the weekend of June 19, 20 and 21, 2009 be observed as “THE GOLDEN JUBILEE, PLUS IV”.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Saint Augustine, Florida, to be affixed on this 19<sup>th</sup> Day of June in the year of our Lord two thousand and nine, and in the four hundred and forty third year of the founding of Saint Augustine, the Nation’s Oldest City.*