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Wakulla County Declares March 22, 2008 as Green Day

Crawfordville, Florida – At the Wakulla County Board of County Commissioners Meeting held Tuesday, March 13, 2008, the Board approved a Resolution adopting March 22, 2008 as Wakulla County Green Day.

Protecting the environment and encouraging resource efficiency through the adoption of sustainable behaviors is of vital importance, both for individual citizens of Wakulla County and our County Government. The concept of sustainability encompasses economic, social and environmental issues and is intended to be a means of configuring human activity so that society and its members are able to meet their needs and express their greatest potential in the present, while preserving biodiversity and natural ecosystems, and planning and acting for the ability to maintain these ideals. “One of the unique things about Wakulla County is its natural beauty and diversity, Green Day is a way for us to recognize the importance that nature plays in supporting the economic and social well being of this County”, commented Lindsay Stevens, Planning and Community Development Director.

The Second Annual Big Bend Green Living and Energy Expo will be held at Riversprings Middle School on Saturday, March 22, 2008 from 9:00a.m. – 4:00p.m. to promote sustainable behavior through free educational workshops, vendors’ exhibits, and children/youth programs. “All citizens are encouraged to attend this event and become involved in protecting our environment”, commented Commissioner Brimmer.