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Senate Resolution No. \_\_\_\_

A resolution recognizing March 25, 2004, as  
"Jacksonville Day" in Tallahassee.

WHEREAS, the Jacksonville Metropolitan Area now has a  
population of over 1 million, and

WHEREAS, Jacksonville is the largest city in land area  
within the State of Florida, and

WHEREAS, Jacksonville has had 35 years of success with  
its consolidated City and County Government, and

WHEREAS, Jacksonville has two major United States Naval  
Bases and a United States Marine facility, and

WHEREAS, Jacksonville is the home of the NFL  
Jacksonville Jaguars, and

WHEREAS, Super Bowl XXXIX will be held in Jacksonville,  
in January 2005, and

WHEREAS, Florida's First Coast is the home of the PGA  
Tour and the Association of Tennis Professionals, and

WHEREAS, Jacksonville has outstanding natural  
resources, including the Timucuan National Preserve, the St.  
Johns River, and 90 miles of coastline, and

WHEREAS, the Jacksonville's port has the nation's  
largest automobile import facility, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That March 25, 2004, be recognized as "Jacksonville  
Day" in Tallahassee.