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Agenda Item Cover Sheet

Hillsborough County		Agenda Item	N°. D-1
Florida		Meeting Date	October 15, 2014
☐ Consent Section	☐ Regular Section	☑ Public Hearing	
		borough Health, Education, and and Domestic Partnership Regis	
Department Name: County Attorney's Office/County Attorney's Office			
Contact Person: Cynthia S. Oster		Contact Phone:	813-307-3127
Sign-Off Approvals:			-
		Jennie Tarr	10/03/2014
		Managing County Attorney	Date
Charles Fletcher	10/03/2014	NA	
Tom Fesler	10/03/2014	Cynthia Oster	10/02/2014
Management and Budget - Approved as to Financial Impact Acc	curacy Date	Assistant County Attorney	Date
Staff's Recommended Boar	rd Motion:		
Conduct a Public Hearing 1	to consider enactment of	the Hillsborough Health, Educa	ation, and Life
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Planning ("H.E.L.P.") Ordinance and Advanced Directives and Domestic Partnership Registry.

No financial impact to the County is anticipated except the cost to publish the required legal notices.

Financial Impact Statement:

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Background:

On September 17, 2014, the Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) authorized the County Attorney's Office to draft an ordinance that would establish a countywide domestic partnership registry, modeling the City of Tampa's Domestic Partnership Registry, to include incorporating the best practices taken from other counties, as well as expanding coverage of the ordinance to allow any person the option to make advanced directives through the ordinance provisions.

The proposed Ordinance authorizes any adult person who so chooses to utilize the registration provisions of the City of Tampa Domestic Partnership Registry Ordinance. Alternatively, this Ordinance authorizes any adult person to designate, in writing, a support person to make healthcare and

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funeral/burial decisions; to serve as preneed guardians; to participate in the education of a minor child or children who are dependents of the designating person; to be notified in case of emergencies; and to have visitation rights a healthcare facilities and correctional facilities. The written designation must specify which express functions and rights the designated support person will have under the designation.

Under the proposed Ordinance, the Hillsborough County Clerk of the Circuit Court is designated to prepare all forms necessary for implementation and is authorized to collaborate with the City Clerk of the City of Tampa to coordinate maintenance of the records. Enforcement of the proposed Ordinance shall be by means of filing a private judicial action in a court of competent jurisdiction.

The County has solicited input from the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office, the Hillsborough County School Board and the Hillsborough County Clerk of the Circuit Court pertaining to the sections of this Ordinance that impact each entity's operations. Comments from each entity have been reviewed and considered in the proposed Ordinance.

On October 1, 2014, the BOCC authorized the advertising and setting of a Public Hearing to consider enactment of the proposed Ordinance.

List Attachments:

Proposed Ordinance

ORDINANCE NO. 14-32

AN ORDINANCE CREATING HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES AND LAWS CHAPTER 30, ARTICLE III, EXPANDING ON A COUNTYWIDE BASIS THE CITY OF TAMPA'S DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP REGISTRY: PROVIDING A TITLE: PROVIDING FOR **DEFINITIONS**; **PROVIDING FOR** RECOGNITION AND **ESTABLISHMENT OF** REGISTERED DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIPS THROUGHOUT HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY; PROVIDING FOR RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF SUPPORT PERSONS: **PROVIDING** FOR ALTERNATIVE **MEANS DESIGNATING SUPPORT** PERSONS: **PROVIDING** FOR TERMINATION OR REVOCATION OF DESIGNATION SUPPORT PERSON; PROVIDING FOR MAINTENANCE RECORDS AND FILING FEES; PROVIDING FOR LIMITED EFFECT; PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT; PROVIDING FOR APPLICABILITY; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR RESOLUTION OF CONFLICT OF LAWS; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY CODE: PROVIDING FOR FILING OF ORDINANCE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Hillsborough County Board of County Commissioners ("BOCC") acknowledges that the City of Tampa, Florida has adopted and enacted an Ordinance entitled "Domestic Partnership Registry," at Chapter 12, Article V (Sections 12-120 through 12-127); and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the BOCC in enacting this Ordinance, to recognize, protect, safeguard and facilitate the right of all adult persons to designate persons to make, if necessary, healthcare decisions, funeral/burial decisions, preneed guardian designations, and to designate persons to participate in the education of a minor child and to designate persons to be notified in emergencies; and

WHEREAS, the BOCC also intends to recognize, protect, safeguard and facilitate the right of all adult persons to designate persons who should be allowed visitation rights, where appropriate, in healthcare and correctional facilities; and

WHEREAS, the BOCC intends to recognize, protect, safeguard and facilitate the abovementioned rights to all adult persons regardless of whether they choose to register under the Domestic Partnership Registry; and

WHEREAS, the BOCC intends to afford judicial remedies for all adult persons who are denied the rights set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, the BOCC does not intend to supersede any federal, state, or other county laws or regulations, or any existing contractual right, in enacting this Ordinance,

and the BOCC does not intend that this Ordinance be construed as recognizing or treating domestic partnerships, as defined in the Domestic Partnership Registry, as a marriage.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, FLORIDA:

There is hereby created Chapter 30, Article III of the Hillsborough County Code of Ordinances and Laws, which shall be included as follows:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the "Hillsborough Health, Education, and Life Planning ("H.E.L.P.") Ordinance and Advanced Directives and Domestic Partnership Registry."

SECTION 2. <u>DEFINITIONS.</u>

For purposes of this Ordinance, the terms below shall have the following meaning:

- (A) DESIGNATING PERSON means an adult person who has chosen to designate another person to make healthcare decisions, funeral/burial decisions, and/or educational decisions, and/or to have visitation rights in healthcare and/or correctional facilities, and to be notified in case of emergency, or any combination thereof, concerning the Designating Person and/or the Designating Person's legal dependents.
- (B) SUPPORT PERSON means the adult person designated by the Designating Person to make healthcare decisions, funeral/burial decisions, and/or educational decisions, and/or to have visitation rights in healthcare and/or correctional facilities, and to be notified in case of emergency, or any combination thereof, concerning the Designating Person and/or the Designating Person's dependents. Only one person can be designated as a Support Person.
- (C) HEALTH CARE FACILITY includes, but is not limited to, hospitals, nursing homes, hospice care facilities, convalescent facilities, walk-in clinics, doctors' offices, mental health care facilities and any other short-term or long-term health care facilities located within Hillsborough County, Florida.
- (D) CORRECTIONAL FACILITY means holding cells and jails of any kind, located within or under the jurisdiction of Hillsborough County, Florida.
- (E) CITY OF TAMPA DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP REGISTRY ORDINANCE shall mean and refer to Chapter 12, Article V, Sections 12-120 through 12-127 inclusive, originally enacted by the Tampa City Council in 2012.

- (F) DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP REGISTRY shall refer to the Domestic Partnership Registry established by the City of Tampa in facilitation of the City of Tampa Domestic Partnership Registry Ordinance.
- (G) REGISTERED DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP shall refer to the relationship created by compliance with the City of Tampa Domestic Partnership Registry Ordinance, except that registration may be accomplished directly through the Hillsborough County Clerk of the Circuit Court.
- (H) REGISTERED DOMESTIC PARTNERS shall refer to each and both applicants who register effectively with the Domestic Partnership Registry.
 - (I) CLERK shall mean the Hillsborough County Clerk of the Circuit Court.

SECTION 3. RECOGNITION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF REGISTERED DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIPS THROUGHOUT HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY.

To the extent not superseded by federal, state or other county law or ordinance, and to the extent not contrary to rights conferred by contract or separate legal instrument, Registered Domestic Partners shall be recognized throughout Hillsborough County, Florida as being in a Registered Domestic Partnership and shall have any and all rights recognized and established between Registered Domestic Partners under the City of Tampa Domestic Partnership Ordinance.

SECTION 4. RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF SUPPORT PERSONS.

To the extent not superseded by federal, state or other county law or ordinance, and to the extent not contrary to rights conferred by contract or separate legal instrument, a Designating Person who has designated a Support Person in accordance with Section 5, below, shall be deemed to have conferred upon the Support Person the following rights with respect to the Designating Person, unless the Designating Person indicates otherwise under Section 5.B., below:

(A) HEALTH CARE FACILITY VISITATION.

- 1. All Health Care Facilities operating within Hillsborough County, Florida shall allow the Support Person visitation as provided under federal law.
- 2. All Health Care Facilities operating within Hillsborough County, Florida shall also allow visitation as provided under federal law to dependents of those Support Persons who are also Registered Domestic Partners.

- (B) HEALTH CARE DECISIONS. This Section pertains to decisions concerning both physical and mental health. A Designating Person's designation of a Support Person shall be considered written direction by the Designating Person designating the Support Person to make health care decisions for the incapacitated Designating Person, and is sufficient to recognize the Support Person as the Designating Person's health care surrogate as provided in Chapter 765, Florida Statutes, and otherwise as provided by federal law. Further, no Support Person designated as a health care surrogate shall be denied or otherwise defeated in serving as a health care surrogate based solely upon his or her status as a Support Person of the Designated Person on whose behalf health care decisions are to be made. Any statutory form, including but not limited to, a living will or health care surrogate designation in the form prescribed by Chapter 765, Florida Statutes, that is properly executed after the date of registration which contains conflicting designations shall control over the designations by virtue of the registration.
- (C) FUNERAL/BURIAL DECISIONS. A Designating Person's designation of a Support Person under this Ordinance shall be considered to be the written inter vivos authorization and direction to have his or her Support Person direct the disposition of the Designating Person's body for funeral and burial purposes as provided in Chapters 406, 497 and 732, Florida Statutes, unless the Designating Person had otherwise provided conflicting written inter vivos authorization and directions that are dated after the date of the designation by the Designating Person of the Support Person pursuant to this Ordinance, in which case the later dated authorization and direction shall control.

(D) CORRECTIONAL FACILITY VISITATION RIGHTS.

- 1. Any Support Person designated by a Designating Person under this Ordinance shall be entitled to visit the Designating Person, if the Designating Person is an inmate of a correctional facility located within Hillsborough County, Florida, upon the same terms and conditions under which visitation is afforded to any person.
- 2. Support Persons and Designating Persons who are also Registered Domestic Partners will also be entitled to visit or be visited by family members of the Support Person or Designating Person upon the same terms and conditions under which visitation is afforded to any person.
- (E) EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION. In any situation providing for mandatory or permissible notification of family members, including but not limited to notification of family members in an emergency, or when permission is granted to correctional facility inmates to contact family members, "notification of family" shall include Support Persons, so long as adequate contact information for the Support Person is provided by the Designating Person.

- (F) PRENEED GUARDIAN DESIGNATION. The person who has been designated as a Support Person pursuant to this Ordinance shall have the same right as any other individual to be designated as a Preneed Guardian pursuant to Chapter 744, Florida Statutes, and to serve in such capacity in the event of the Designating Person's incapacity. A Support Person shall not be denied or otherwise be defeated in serving as the plenary guardian of the Designating Person or the Designating Person's property under the provisions of Chapter 744, Florida Statutes, to the extent that the incapacitated Designating Person has not executed a valid preneed guardian designation, based solely upon his or her status as the Support Person of the incapacitated Designated Person.
- (G) PARTICIPATION IN EDUCATION. To the extent allowed by and in a manner consistent with federal and state law and any applicable court orders, valid agreements or contracts, a Support Person as defined by this Ordinance shall have the right to participate in the education of a minor child or children who are the dependents of the Designating Person in all educational facilities located within or under the jurisdiction of Hillsborough County, Florida. Any right to participate in the education of a dependent of a Designating Person shall be exercised consistent with applicable policies and procedures of the Hillsborough County School District.

SECTION 5. <u>ALTERNATIVE METHODS OF DESIGNATING SUPPORT PERSONS.</u>

- (A) Any adult person may choose to use the registration provisions of the City of Tampa Domestic Partnership Registry Ordinance. Any adult person who is registered under the Domestic Partnership Registry will be a Registered Domestic Partner in a Registered Domestic Partnership as of the Effective Date hereof. As to each of any pair of persons who submit or have submitted an affidavit together and who register or have registered under the Domestic Partnership Registry, each person is a Registered Domestic Partner, and if necessary, a Support Person, under this Ordinance, in relation to the other affiant, who will also be deemed the Designating Person under this Ordinance.
- (B) Alternatively, any adult person who chooses not to register under the City of Tampa Domestic Partnership Registry may nevertheless designate a Support Person by executing and filing a written document, provided by the Clerk, designating the Support Person, and the Designating Person shall indicate the express functions and rights which the Support Person will have with respect to the Designating Person, identifying healthcare surrogate status, healthcare facility visitation rights, authority to make funeral/burial decisions, correctional facility visitation rights, right to notification in the event of an emergency, preneed guardian designation, and/or the right to participate in the education of a minor child who is the Designating Person's dependent. The written designation shall be signed by the Designating Person in the presence of two subscribing adult witnesses, at least one of whom shall be neither the Designating Person's spouse nor blood relative. If the Designating Person is unable to sign the instrument, the Designating Person, in the presence of two adult witnesses, one of which shall be neither of the Designating Person's spouse nor blood relative, may direct that another person sign the

Designating Person's name. The Designating Person shall provide an exact copy of the instrument to the Support Person.

SECTION 6. <u>TERMINATION OR REVOCATION OF DESIGNATION OF SUPPORT PERSON UNDER THIS ORDINANCE.</u>

In addition to any other laws or regulations or contract rights providing for termination or revocation of rights concerning Registered Domestic Partners and the relationship between Registered Domestic Partners or between a Designating Person and a Support Person, and to the extent not inconsistent with any such other law, regulation or contract, a Registered Domestic Partner or a Designating Person may terminate or revoke the Registered Domestic Partnership or the designation of a Support Person by executing and filing a Notice of Termination and Revocation of Designation as prepared by the Clerk. However, to the extent a Registered Domestic Partnership or the relationship between the Designating Person and the Support Person has been terminated without the provision of a Notice of Termination and Revocation as provided for in this Section, no person relying upon the information established and recorded by this Ordinance shall be liable under this Ordinance by relying upon the information maintained by the Clerk in the public records pursuant to this Ordinance.

SECTION 7. <u>MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS; FILING FEES.</u>

- (A) The Clerk shall prepare all forms necessary for the implementation of this Ordinance, including all forms to be completed by Support Persons and Designating Persons. The Clerk shall maintain a record of all forms filed pursuant to this Ordinance.
- (B) The Clerk shall collect appropriate fees as allowed by law for the filing of any forms required by this Ordinance. Any fees under this Section shall be commensurate with the actual costs of administering the provisions of this Ordinance.
- (C) The Clerk is authorized and requested to take all actions necessary to implement the provisions of this Section within ninety (90) days after this Ordinance is enacted.
- (D) The Clerk may collaborate with the City Clerk of the City of Tampa to coordinate the maintenance of records between Hillsborough County, Florida, and the City of Tampa regarding this Ordinance and the City of Tampa's Domestic Partnership Registry Ordinance.

SECTION 8. LIMITED EFFECT.

(A) Nothing in this Ordinance shall be interpreted to alter, affect, or contravene county, state, or federal law, or any existing contract or legal right.

- (B) Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed as recognizing or treating the relationship between a Designating Person and a Support Person, or a Registered Domestic Partnership under the Domestic Partnership Registry Ordinance, as a marriage.
- (C) No other rights are created nor implied under this Ordinance, and no private right of action is created unless specified herein.

SECTION 9. ENFORCEMENT.

Any Registered Domestic Partner or Designating Person or Support Person may enforce their rights by filing a private judicial action against any person or entity denying those rights in any court of competent jurisdiction for declaratory relief, injunctive relief, damages, interest and costs, or any other relief a court may deem appropriate.

SECTION 10. <u>APPLICABILITY.</u>

It is hereby intended that this Ordinance shall constitute a uniform law applicable in all of the unincorporated areas of Hillsborough County, Florida, and to all incorporated areas of Hillsborough County where there is no existing conflict of law or municipal ordinance.

SECTION 11. SEVERABILITY.

If any section, phrase, sentence or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by and any Court of competent jurisdiction, such shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

SECTION 12. RESOLUTION OF CONFLICT OF LAWS.

In all instances where Florida law, as evidenced by the Florida Administrative Code, Florida Statutes, applicable case law or otherwise, mandates standards or requirements that are stricter than the provisions of this Ordinance, or where a matter is addressed by Florida Law that is not addressed by this Ordinance, then said law shall govern. In situations where this Ordinance addresses a matter in a manner that is stricter than that of Florida law, the provisions of this Ordinance shall control.

SECTION 13. INCLUSION IN THE HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY CODE.

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be included and incorporated in the Hillsborough County Code of Ordinances and Laws, as an addition or amendment thereto, and shall be appropriately renumbered to conform to the uniform numbering system of the Hillsborough County Code.

SECTION 14. FILING OF ORDINANCE.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 125.66, Florida Statutes, a certified copy of this Ordinance shall be filed with the Florida Department of State.

SECTION 15. <u>EFFECTIVE DATE.</u>

This Ordinance shall become effective upon filing with the Florida Department of State.

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

I, PAT FRANK, Clerk of the Circuit Court and Ex Officio Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance adopted by the Board of County Commissioners at its meeting of October 15, 2014, as the same appears of record in Minute Book 461, of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 16th day of 0ctober 2014.

PAT FRANK CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT

By: Wudu K. I.
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to Form and Legal Sufficiency

By: Cynthia S. Oster

Sr. Assistant County Attorney



RICK SCOTT
Governor

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October 16, 2014

Honorable Pat Frank Clerk of the Circuit Court Hillsborough County Post Office Box 1110 Tampa, Florida 33601-1110

Attention: Midge Dixon, Deputy Clerk, BOCC Records

Dear Mrs. Frank:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 125.66, Florida Statutes, this will acknowledge receipt of your electronic copy of Hillsborough County Ordinance No. 14-32, which was filed in this office on October 16, 2014.

Sincerely,

Ernest L. Reddick Program Administrator

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LEGAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Notice of Public Hearing

A public hearing will be held by the Zoning Hearing Master, pursuant to Hillsberough County Ordinarce 92-95, beginning at 650 p.m., October 26, 2014, at the Bead Houm, 2nd floor of the County Center, 601 C. Kennedy Blidd, Tampa. to hear the following requests.

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Petition RZ-PD 14-0898 NWH, filed on 07/24/2014 by CED Summerfield Square LLC, represented by Gregory by Dimitri Artzbusshev, represented by Tampa Civil Design, LLC of \$329 Enrich Rd, Tampa, Rl. 19824, ph 81J-960-5685, requesting to Rezone to Planned Development. The orporetry is presently zoned A5-1. It is located in all or parts of Section 15 Township 28 Range 17 or N/S of Lake Susset Dr., 2,000° W/O Sheldon Rd.

Petition RZ-PD 14-090) BR, filed on 87/24/2014 by Brandon Assembly of God, Inc., represented by Molloy & James of 325 S. Boulevard, Tampa, rf. 3366a, ph 813-524-7157, requesting to Rezone to Planned Development: The property is presently round 20M-5712 (04-9138). It is Boarded in all or parts of Section 127 Township 29 Range 20 or £/S of Pauls Dr., 330 "YOM Millennium Dr.

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NOTICE OF RULEMAKING

The School Board of Hillsborough County Policies
At its regular meeting of October 28, 2014. The
School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida, will
conduct a public hearing to be held in the Board
auditorium, located at Raymond O. Shelton School
Administrative Center, 901. E Kenne yb Boulevard,
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Pursuant to the Board's Bylaws, if an individual believes he or she is affected by these proposed believes he or she is affected by these proposed policies, that individual may present argument or evidence on all issues relating to the proposed rule at the hearing to be held jurisuant to this notice. Any person wishing to present argument or evidence must, within twenty-one (21) days of the date of this notice, submit as written request it the Superintendent at 901 E. Kennedy Boulevard, Tampa.

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The proposed form of the golicy may be viewed and inspected at the following website: http://www.shock.bl.zl.fl.us/policymanual/advertised

A hard copy is also available in the Hillsborough County Public Schools Communications Office located at 901 E. Kennedy Boulevari, Tampa, for additional information call (813) 272-4756.

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The Request for Bids may be obtained through the District's Internet website at http://www.watermatters.org/procurement under "View Our Solicitations on DemandStar" or "alternate View of Our Current Solicitations".

The District reserves the right to reject any or all bids received with or without cause.

HILLSBORDUGH COUNTY BUSINESS AND SUPPORT SERVICES DEPARTMENT (PROCUREMENT)

REQUESTS FOR BIDS AND/OR PROPOSALS

Hillsborough County will receive sealed bids and/or proposals for the following, until the stated date and time when they will be publicly opened.

NOVEMBER 6, 2014 - 2:00 P.M. ITB-C-0214-0-2014/MWK FACILITY REPAIRS, REHA-BILITATION & RENOVATION

Information on these and other Requests for Bids, along with Bid/Proposal results may be accessed at www.hillsboroughcounty.org/procurementserv.cs..This is a Hillsborough County Governmental Purchasing Council Bid.

Questions regarding the above projects may be directed to Hillsborough County Board of Commissioners, Business and Support Services Deartment (Procurement), 601 E. Kennedy Blvd., 18th Fl., County Center, Tampa Florida, 33602, (813) 27-24790, during regular business hours.

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October 16, 2014

MS LIZ CLOUD CHIEF BUREAU OF ADMINISTRATIVE CODE DEPARTMENT OF STATE 500 SOUTH BRONOUGH ST RA GRAY BLDG RM 101 TALLAHASSEE FL 32399-0250

Re: Ordinance #14-32

"Hillsborough Health, Education, and Life Planning ("H.E.L.P.") Ordinance and Advanced Directives and Domestic Partnership Registry"

Dear Ms. Cloud:

Pursuant to the filing requirements of Florida Statutes 125.66, we are forwarding an electronic original of Hillsborough County Ordinance #14-32, adopted by the Board of County Commissioners on October 15, 2014. It is respectfully requested that you provide this office with the required official acknowledgment of your receipt and filing of said ordinance by return e-mail.

Sincerely,

Kimberly Richards, Associate Director

BOCC Records/VAB

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Attachment

Office of the County Attorney

Chip Fletcher, County Attorney

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MEMORANDUM

To: Midge Dixon, BOCC Records

From: Cynthia S. Oster, Senior Assistant County Attorney

Subject: "Hillsborough Health, Education, and Life Planning ("H.E.L.P.") Ordinance

and Advanced Directives and Domestic Partnership Registry"

Date: October 15, 2014

I am enclosing the above-referenced Ordinance as adopted by the Board of County Commissioners on October 15, 2014.

Please provide copies of the Ordinance as appropriate and provide this office with a copy of the official acknowledgement of receipt.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (813) 307-3127.

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Enclosure

Office of the County Attorney

Chip Fletcher, County Attorney

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS KEVIN BECKNER VICTOR D. CRIST KEN HAGAN AL HIGGINBOTHAM LESLEY "LES" MILLER, JR. SANDRA L. MURMAN MARK SHARPE



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Midge Dixon, BOCC Records

FROM:

Cynthia S. Oster, Senior Assistant County Attorney

SUBJECT:

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DATE:

October 2, 2014

Attached is a draft copy of the above referenced Ordinance, and a copy of the Notice of Intent to Consider such Ordinance. The Notice will be advertised in the Tampa Tribune on or before October 4, 2014. The public hearing is to be held on October 15, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. Please make the documents available for public inspection during regular business hours.

If you have any questions, please call Jana Foxworth at (813) 307-3161.

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