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ORDINANCE NO: 02-01

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE LOCATION OF WIND SPEED LINES THROUGHOUT LIBERTY COUNTY PURSUANT TO THE NEW STATE BUILDING CODE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREIN.

WHEREAS, the Florida Legislature has established a modified version of the American Society of Civil Engineers' Standard 7, 1998 edition (ASCE 7-98), as the wind protection requirement for new statewide building codes.

WHEREAS, the Legislature directed that the exact location of wind speed lines shall be established by local ordinance using recognized physical landmarks such as major roads, canals, rivers, and lake shores, whenever possible.

WHEREAS, there are three wind zones located within Liberty County, Florida.

WHEREAS, the exact location of the wind speed lines must be established by ordinance.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA, THAT THE WIND ZONES ARE LOCATED WITHIN LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Findings. It is hereby ascertained, determined, and declared:

(A) That Greenback Lake is the point of beginning of the Southwest wind speed zone. From Greenback Lake travel west to east down Forest Road 113 to Wilma, Florida, then from Wilma on Forest Road 13 across to Twinpoles Hunting Camp, which intersects there with Forest Road 170, then go south to Mud Swamp and New River, intersect there with Forest Road 83 over to Gum Bay, then precede southeast across Gum Bay and Forest Road 125 and Thousand Yard Bay to the point of ending, which is Sand Born Lake and County Road 22.

(B) The wind speed north of Greenback Lake is one hundred and ten (110) miles per hour.

(C) , The wind speed south of Greenback Lake is one hundred and twenty (120) miles per hour.

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(D) Torreya State Park is the point of beginning of the Northwest wind speed zone. From Torreya State Park proceed down County Road 271 south to State Road 20, then proceed east on State Road 20 to Hosford and 65 south to 267 and end at the southwest corner of Leon County, which is the point of ending.

(E) The wind speed north of Torreya State Park is one hundred (100) miles per hour.

(F) The wind speed south of Torreya State Park is one hundred and ten (110) miles per hour.

SECTION 2. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 10th DAY OF JANUARY, 2002.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA**

By: _____

John T. Sanders
JOHN T. SANDERS, CHAIRMAN

ATTESTED BY:

Robert Hill
ROBERT HILL
CLERK OF COURT