RESOLUTION NO. 96-M-62

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA ELECTING TO USE THE UNIFORM METHOD OF COLLECTING NON-AD VALOREM SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS LEVIED WITHIN PORTIONS OF THE UNINCORPORATED AREA OF THE COUNTY; STATING A NEED FOR SUCH LEVY; PROVIDING FOR THE MAILING OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners (the "Board") of Orange County, Florida (the "County") adopted a Stormwater Utility Ordinance (the "Ordinance") on July 23, 1996; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Ordinance, the Board has adopted an Initial Stormwater Assessment Resolution (the "Initial Stormwater Resolution") proposing the imposition of special assessments for the provision of stormwater management services and facilities (the "Stormwater Assessments") to be collected under the uniform method for collecting non-ad valorem special assessments, as authorized by Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes (the "Uniform Assessment Collection Act"); and

WHEREAS, the Board has conducted a duly advertised public hearing prior to the adoption of this Resolution, as required by the Uniform Assessment Collection Act, proof of publication of such hearing being attached hereto as Exhibit A;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY:

SECTION 1. EXPRESSION OF INTENT. Commencing with the fiscal year beginning on October 1, 1997 and the ad valorem tax statement mailed for such fiscal year, and for each fiscal year thereafter, the County intends to use the Uniform Assessment Collection Act to collect Stormwater Assessments imposed within the "Stormwater Service Area," which includes all property within the County (as described in Section 7.48, Florida Statutes) not
located within a municipality, the Ranger Drainage District, the Valencia Drainage District, the Zellwood Drainage District, the Reedy Creek Improvement District or the Upper St. Johns River Hydrologic Basin (as identified in Rule 40C-41.023, Florida Administrative Code).

SECTION 2. EXPRESSION OF NEED. The County hereby determines that the levy of the Stormwater Assessments is needed to fund the cost of stormwater management services and facilities within the Stormwater Service Area.

SECTION 3. DISTRIBUTION OF RESOLUTION. Upon adoption, the County Comptroller, as Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners is hereby directed to send a copy of this Resolution by United States mail to the Florida Department of Revenue, the Orange County Tax Collector, and the Orange County Property Appraiser by January 10, 1997.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

DULY ADOPTED this 17th day of December, 1996.

ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: ____________________________
   County Chairman
   Date: DEC 17 1996

ATTEST: Martha O. Haynie, County Comptroller, as Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners

By: ____________________________
   Deputy Clerk
State of Florida
County of ORANGE

Before the undersigned authority, personally appeared JUANITA ROSADO, who on oath says that he is the LEGAL ADV. REP. of the THE ORLANDO SENTINEL, a newspaper published at ORLANDO in ORANGE County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a notice of the local government's intent to use the uniform method for collecting a non-ad valorem assessment, was published in said newspaper in the four consecutive weeks of NOVEMBER 21, NOVEMBER 28, DECEMBER 05, DECEMBER 12, 1996.

The affiant further says that the said THE ORLANDO SENTINEL is a newspaper published at ORLANDO in said ORANGE County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said ORANGE County, Florida, each day, and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in ORLANDO, in said ORANGE County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and the affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm, or corporation any discount, rebate, commission, or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day of DECEMBER, A.D. 1996.

Notary Public
My Commission Expires:

[Signature]

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