

RESOLUTION NO. 2025 -- 079 --

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROVIDING FOR THE INSTALLATION OF STOP SIGNAGE AT THE INTERSECTION OF DRY CREEK RANCH ROAD AND OLYMPIC VILLAGE LANE, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 316, FLORIDA STATUTES; PROVIDING FOR FINDINGS; PROVIDING FOR PLACEMENT OF “STOP” SIGNS; PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTIES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 316.006(3), *Florida Statutes*, Hernando County has original jurisdiction over all streets and highways located within Hernando County, excluding state roads and streets and highways within municipalities; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 316.006(3), *Florida Statutes*, Hernando County may place and maintain traffic control devices, which conform to the specifications of the Florida Department of Transportation, upon all streets and highways under its jurisdiction as the County deems necessary to regulate, warn or guide traffic; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 316.008(1)(a) *Florida Statutes*, Hernando County, with respect to streets and highways under its jurisdiction, may exercise police power to regulate or prohibit stopping, standing, or parking; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works – Engineering Division, has reported that the lack of stop signs at the intersection of Dry Creek Ranch Road and Olympic Village Lane has caused operational concerns with traffic movements through the intersection, and the installation of additional stop signs is needed as shown on **EXHIBIT “A” and EXHIBIT “B”** attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners find that the installation of “Stop” signs at the intersection of Dry Creek Ranch Road and Olympic Village Lane as shown on **EXHIBIT “A” and EXHIBIT “B”**, is necessary to regulate, warn or guide traffic.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Findings. Pursuant to Chapter 316, *Florida Statutes*, the Board of County Commissioners has examined the report of the Department of Public Works – Engineering Division, stating that the installation of “Stop” signs at the intersection of Dry Creek Ranch Road and Olympic Village Lane as shown on **EXHIBIT “A” and EXHIBIT “B”**, is necessary to regulate, warn or guide traffic.

SECTION 2. Stop Signs to be Placed. “STOP” signs shall be placed at the intersection of Dry Creek Ranch Road and Olympic Village Lane as depicted on **EXHIBIT “A” and EXHIBIT “B”**.

SECTION 3. Enforcement and Penalties. Any person found guilty of violating the “STOP” signs established by this Resolution shall be punished according to the provisions of Chapter 316,

Florida Statutes, the Florida Uniform Traffic Control Law, Section 316.123, Penalties, and Chapter 318, Disposition of Traffic Infractions.

SECTION 4. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

ADOPTED IN REGULAR SESSION THE 22nd DAY OF April, 2025, A.D.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA**

ATTEST:

Heidi Prouse, Deputy Clerk

Douglas A. Chorvat, Jr.
Clerk of Circuit Court & Comptroller



Brian Hawkins

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Chairman

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