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Subject: RE: Hernando County Ordinance No. 2026-14 - Adopted on June 2, 2026
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Good afternoon,

Attached is the acknowledgement letter for Hernando County Ordinance 2026-14.

Thank you,

David Parrish

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Sender Full Name:	Nienke Osinga
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County Name:	Hernando
Ordinance Number:	2026-14

Thank You,

Nienke Osinga

Administrative Services | Administrative Services Clerk I
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June 2, 2026

Doug Chorvat, Jr.
County Clerk
Hernando County
20 North Main Street, Rm. 362
Brooksville, Florida 34601

Dear Doug Chorvat Jr.,

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 125.66, Florida Statutes, this will acknowledge receipt of your electronic copy of Hernando County Ordinance No. 2026-14, which was filed in this office on June 2, 2026.

Sincerely,

Alexandra Leijon
Administrative Code and Register Director

AL/dp

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ORDINANCE NO.: 2026-14

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 23, ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 23-265 OF THE HERNANDO COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO ADEQUATE PUBLIC FACILITIES AND FACILITY/SERVICE DEMAND CALCULATIONS; PROVIDING FOR REMOVAL OF NUMERICALLY SPECIFIED LEVEL OF SERVICE (LOS) STANDARDS FOR POTABLE WATER AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF ADOPTED LEVEL OF SERVICE (LOS) STANDARDS AS ADOPTED BY RESOLUTION IN EFFECT AT THE TIME OF CONCURRENCY DETERMINATION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Amendment of Adequate Public Facilities relating to Facility/Service Demand Calculations. Hernando County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 23, Article VIII, Section 23-265, Paragraph (1) and (2) are amended to read as follows:

...

(1) *Potable water:*

~~Adopted LOS = 350 gal./day/Equivalent Residential Unit (ERU)~~

The adopted Level of Service (LOS) for potable water shall be the standard adopted by resolution of the Board of County Commissioners pursuant to Chapter 28, Article VI,

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1 Division 2 of the Hernando County Code of Ordinance and in effect at the time of
2 concurrency determination.

3 ~~350 gal × _____ ERU's = demand~~

4 Projected potable water demand shall be calculated as follows:

5 Adopted LOS (gallons per day per ERU) x Number of ERUs = Demand

6 (2) *Sewage Treatment:*

7 ~~Adopted LOS = 280 gal./day/ERU~~

8 The adopted Level of Service (LOS) for wastewater treatment shall be the standard
9 adopted by resolution of the Board of County Commissioners pursuant to Chapter 28,
10 Article VI, Division 2 of the Hernando County Code of Ordinance and in effect at the
11 time of concurrency determination.

12 ~~280 gal × _____ ERU's = demand~~

13 Projected wastewater demand shall be calculated as follows:

14 Adopted LOS (gallons per day per ERU) x Number of ERUs = Demand

15 ...

16 **Section 2. Severability.** It is declared to be the intent of the Board of County
17 Commissioners that if any section, subsection, clause, sentence, phrase, or provision of this
18 ordinance is for any reason held unconstitutional or invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect
19 the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

20 **Section 3. Inclusion in the Code.** It is the intention of the Board of County
21 Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida, and it is hereby provided, that the provisions of this
22 Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances of Hernando County,

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Florida. To this end, the sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered or re-lettered to accomplish such intention, and that the word "ordinance" may be changed to "section," "article," or any other appropriate designation.

Section 4. Conflicting Provisions Repealed. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon receipt of official acknowledgment from the office of the Secretary of State of Florida that this ordinance has been filed with said office.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
HERNANDO COUNTY in Regular Session this 2 day of June 2026.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA

Attest: Chenke Duggan, Deputy Clerk
Douglas A. Chorvat, Jr.
Clerk of Circuit Court & Comptroller

By: Jerry Campbell
Jerry Campbell
Chairman

Approved as to Form and Legal Sufficiency

Natasha López Perez
County Attorney's Office