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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
OF
PROPOSED ORDINANCE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that the Board of County
Commissioners of Hernando
County will hold a public hearing
on Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at
5:01 pm or soon thereafter, in the
Hernando County Government
Center, County Commission
Chambers, 20 N. Main St. Rm
160, Brooksville, Florida. to
consider the following:

AN ORDINANCE OF
HERNANDO COUNTY,
FLORIDA, AMENDING
ARTICLE VII OF CHAPTER 28
OF THE HERNANDO CODE
OF ORDINANCES RELATING
TO GROUNDWATER
PROTECTION AND SITING;
AMENDING SECTION 28-263
PROVIDING DEFINITIONS;
AMENDING SECTION 28-
265 PROVIDING FOR
GROUNDWATER RESOURCE,
WELLHEAD AND SPECIAL
PROTECTION AREAS;
AMENDING SECTION 28-266
PROVIDING PROHIBITIONS
WITHIN WELLHEAD AND
SPECIAL PROTECTION
AREAS; AMENDING SECTION
28-267 PROVIDING GENERAL
EXEMPTIONS; AMENDING
SECTION 28-268 PROVIDING
FOR REGISTRATION OF
POTENTIAL POLLUTION
SOURCES; AMENDING
SECTION 28-2699
PROVIDING FOR SINKHOLES;
PROVIDING FOR REPEAL
OF CONFLICTING
ORDINANCES; PROVIDING
FOR SEVERABILITY; AND
PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE
DATE

THIS PROPOSED ORDINANCE
may be inspected by the public
at the Hernando County Utilities
Department Administration
Building, 2nd Floor, at 15365
Cortez Boulevard, Brooksville,
Florida 34613 between the
hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.,
Monday through Friday, legal
holidays excepted. Please visit
www.engageheraldo.com
hcudpublicawareness for more
information on the proposed
Wellhead Protection Areas
(WHAs) and Special Protection
Areas (SPAs).

YOU HAVE A RIGHT to appear
and be heard at this public
meeting and/or to send any
written objections to the County
Commissioners, 15470 Flight
Path Drive, Brooksville, Florida
34604, before the hearing date.

YOU ARE FURTHER ADVISED
that if any person decides to
appeal against any decision
made by the Board of County
Commissioners with respect
to the subject matter of the
hearing, that person will need to
ensure a verbatim record of the
proceedings is made.

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED
in the above matter are invited to
attend and be heard.
Public participation is solicited
without regard to race, color,
national origin, age, sex, religion,
disability, or family status. In
accordance with the Americans
with Disabilities Act, persons
with disabilities needing special
accommodations to participate
in this proceeding should
contact Jessica Wright, County
Administration, 15470 Flight Path
Dr, Brooksville, Florida 34604,
Telephone 352-754-4002. If
hearing impaired, please call 711
for assistance.

**BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS
HERNANDO COUNTY,
FLORIDA**
/s/(SEAL)
Douglas A. Chorvat, Jr., Clerk
By: Nienke Osinga, Deputy
Clerk