# CALHOUN COUNTY

#### ORDINANCE NO. 2002-04

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

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; and, and

WHEREAS, the Florida Legislature directed that the exact locations 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; and

WHEREAS, there are three wind zones located in Calhoun County, Florida; and

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 CALHOUN COUNTY, FLORIDA, THAT THE WIND ZONES ARE LOCATED WITHIN CALHOUN COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

#### SECTION 1:

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- (A) That Graves Creek and the Apalachicola River is the point of beginning of the Northeast wind speed zone. From the Apalachicola River along Graves Creek, West to Highway 69, then from Graves Creek and Highway 69, turn North to Jackson County Line.
- (B) The wind speed zone North of Graves Creek and East of Highway 69 is one hundred (100) miles per hour.
- (C) The wind speed zone South of Graves Creek and West of Highway 69 is one hundred-ten (110) miles per hour.
- (D) Highway 71 is the point of beginning of the Southwest wind speed zone. From Highway 71 proceed North to Highway 73, then North on Highway 73 to County Road 392, thence proceed West on County Road 392 and County Road No. 10 to the Bay County line.
- (E) The wind speed zone East of Highway 71 and Highway 73, then North of Highway 392 and County Road No. 10 is one hundred-ten (110) miles per hour.
- (F) The wind speed zone West of Highway 71 and Highway 73 and South of County Road 392 and County Road No. 10 is one hundred twenty (120) miles per hour.

# SECTION 2. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage by a majority vote of the Board of County Commissioners in and for Calhoun County, after due notice and publication, in the regular meeting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2002.

ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2002, BY A VOTE OF \_\_\_\_\_ TO 0

BY:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS CALHOUN COUNTY, FLORIDA

Donnell Whitfield Chairman

ATTEST: lun 1 Ruth W. Attaway, Clerk