ORDINANCE NO. 2006- 71

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2004-31, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE "DRIVER EDUCATION SAFETY TRUST FUND"; AND PROVIDED FOR THE CREATION OF A DRIVER EDUCATION SAFETY TRUST FUND AND THE COLLECTION OF AN ADDITIONAL \$3.00 WITH EACH CIVIL TRAFFIC PENALTY TO BE DEPOSITED INTO THE DRIVER EDUCATION SAFETY TRUST FUND; SPECIFICALLY AMENDING SECTION 2., INCREASING THE AMOUNT OF THE ADDITIONAL FEE FROM \$3.00 TO \$5.00; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 318.1215, Florida Statutes, known as the "Dori Slosberg Driver Education Safety Act", provides that the Board of County Commissioners may require, by ordinance, that the Clerk of the Court collect an additional fee of \$3.00 with each civil traffic penalty to be used to fund traffic education programs in public and non-public schools; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, adopted Ordinance No. 2004-31 which created the Driver Education Safety Trust Fund, and provided for the collection, accounting and disbursements of the funds received in the Driver Education Safety Trust Fund; and

WHEREAS, effective October 1, 2006, Section 318.1215, Florida Statutes, will be amended to increase the amount of the additional fee from \$3.00 to \$5.00 on each civil traffic penalty to be used to fund traffic education programs; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has found it to be in the best interest of the citizens of Nassau County, Florida to amend Ordinance No. 2004-31 in order to increase the amount of the additional fee to \$5.00 on each civil traffic penalty to be used to fund traffic education programs.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, this <u>25th</u> day of September, 2006 that Ordinance No. 2004-31 shall be amended as follows:

Section Two. Creation of a Driver Education Safety
Trust Fund, Collection of an Additional \$3.00 \$5.00 with
each Civil Traffic Penalty to be Deposited in the Driver
Education Safety Trust Fund, and Accounting.

- 1. Pursuant to the Dori Slosberg Driver Education Safety Act, on or after October 1, $\frac{2004}{2006}$, the Clerk shall collect an additional $\frac{$3.00}{500}$ with each civil traffic penalty levied in Nassau County, to be used for driver education programs.
- 2. The Clerk will keep a record of monies collected under this Ordinance. On a monthly basis, the Clerk shall forward all monies collected under this Ordinance in the previous month to the Board of County Commissioners for deposit into a special and separate account entitled

"Driver Education Safety Trust Fund". Once each quarter, the Board of County Commissioners shall receive a report from the County Administrator as to the amount of money received from the Clerk and deposited into the Driver Education Safety Trust Fund, and as to the amount of money disbursed from the Driver Education Safety Trust Fund.

Section 6. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect on October 1, 2006.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

THOMAS D. BRANAN, JR.

Its: Chairman

ATTEST as to Chairman's signature:

JOHN A. CRAWFORD

Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form and

Legality by the Nassau County

Attorney:

TCHAELS MULTIN