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AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE INSTALLATION AND PLACEMENT OF FIRE HYDRANTS FOR THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF NASSAU COUNTY WHICH ARE NOT ESTABLISHED IN SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has been made aware of the need for regulations with respect to the placement of fire hydrants for the unincorporated areas of Nassau County; AND

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners finds it in the best interest of the citizens of Nassau County that this ordinance be enacted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED this <u>28th</u> day of <u>February</u>, 1994, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, as follows:

I. <u>INSTALLATION RESPONSIBILITY</u>. Where a public water system main is being installed, the utility company that owns the water main shall be responsible for the installation of the fire hydrants, except in new subdivisions, where the developer of the subdivision shall be responsible for the installation of fire hydrants.

II. <u>SPACING</u>. Fire hydrant spacing of 300 feet between hydrants in compact mercantile and manufacturing districts and 500 feet in residential districts, measured along the roadway, shall be maintained as a maximum. Exact spacing shall be determined by the Public Safety Director or his designee. Placement of fire hydrants shall occur at street intersections where possible. New fire hydrant(s) shall be installed so that 4 1/2 inch port is facing the STRUCTURAL FIRE FIGHTING - 1993, VOL. 8; NO. 1982, PERSONAL ALERT SAFETY SYSTEMS (PASS) FOR FIRE FIGHTERS - 1993, VOL. 8; NO. 1983, FIRE SERVICE LIFE SAFETY ROPE - 1990, VOL. 8; NO. 8501, SINGLE BURNER BOILER OPERATION - 1992, VOL. 8; NO. 8503, PULVERIZED FUEL SYSTEMS - 1992, VOL. 8; AND ALL FUTURE EDITIONS AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

4. This Ordinance shall become effective upon its filing with the Secretary of State.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY ELORÍDA JORN **QRAWFORD** Chairman Its

approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney

ATTEST:

T. J. GREESON

Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

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