ORDINANCE NO. 98- 24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 81-26, AS AMENDED, WHICH SET FORTH RULES AND REGULATIONS TO IMPROVE PUBLIC SAFETY BY PROMOTING THE CONTROL OF FIRE HAZARDS; SPECIFICALLY AMENDING SECTION 1, SOUTHERN STANDARD CODE; AND SECTION 2, NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION CODE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has found it to be in the best interest of the citizens of Nassau County, Florida, that Ordinance No. 81-26, as amended, be further amended to include the 1997 edition of the Southern Building Code Congress International (S.B.C.C.I.) and the 1997 edition of the National Fire Protection Association (N.F.P.A.) 101, Life Safety Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED this 2474 day of 406-057, 1998, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, that Ordinance No. 81-26, as amended be further amended as follows:

1. SECTION 1. SOUTHERN STANDARD CODE: The Southern Standard Fire Prevention Code, as promulgated by the Southern Building Code Congress International, being particularly the 1991 1997 edition thereof and the whole thereof, and the same <u>is</u> hereby adopted and incorporated as fully as if set forth at length herein, and from the date on which this ordinance shall take effect, the provisions therein shall be controlling.

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2. <u>SECTION 2.</u> NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION CODE: The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 101, Life Safety Code, 1991 <u>1997</u> Edition, except as superceded by Florida Administrative Code, Section 4-A and Section 633, Florida Statutes, is hereby adopted.

3. This Ordinance shall become effective upon its being filed with the Office of the Secretary of State.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHRIS KIRKLAND Its: Chairman

ATTEST:

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Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

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Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney:

MICHAEL S. MULLIN