1 **ORDINANCE NO.: 2017 - 6** 2 AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF HERNANDO COUNTY, 3 FLORIDA REPEALING THE "HERNANDO COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL 4 MUNICIPAL SERVICE TAXING UNIT"; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; 5 PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL 6 OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE 7 DATE. 8 WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners ("the Board"), pursuant to the provisions 9 of Section 125.01, Florida Statutes, has the power to establish, merge or abolish municipal service 10 taxing units and levy and ad valorem property taxes within such units; and, 11 WHEREAS, the Board, on June 14, 2011, adopted Ordinance No. 2011-11, which created 12 the Hernando County Mosquito Control Municipal Service Taxing Unit ("the Unit") to fund the 13 provision of mosquito control services within the Unit; and, 14 WHEREAS, since 2014, the Board has annually adopted an millage rate of Zero Mills for 15 the properties located within the Unit; and. 16 WHEREAS, the purposes of the Unit have been accomplished; 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY 18 COMMISSIONERS OF HERNANDO COUNTY:

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1 Section 1. Repeal of the Unit. Hernando County Code §§ 15-221 through 15-226 2 inclusive, creating the Hernando County Mosquito Control Municipal Service Taxing Unit, are 3 hereby repealed. 4 Section 2. Severability. It is declared to be the intent of the Board of County 5 Commissioners that if any section, subsection, clause, sentence, phrase, or provision of this ordinance is for any reason held unconstitutional or invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect the 7 validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. Section 3. Inclusion in the Code. It is the intention of the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida, and it is hereby provided, that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances of Hernando County, Florida. To this end, the section of this Ordinance may be renumbered or re-lettered to accomplish such intention, and that the word "ordinance" may be changed to "section," "article," or another appropriate designation. Section 4. Conflicting Provisions Repealed. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed. Section 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon receipt of official acknowledgment from the office of the Secretary of State of Florida that this ordinance has been filed with said office.

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HERNANDO COUNTY in Regular Session this 24% day of JANUARY 2017. BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSION HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** COUNT By: Attest: DONALD C. BARBEE, JR. Clerk (Type of Print Name of Chairman) Chairman Approved for Form and Legal Sufficiency Deputy County Attorney