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A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, FLORIDA TO ADOPT THE COUNTY-WIDE POST-DISASTER REDEVELOPMENT PLAN.

Upon motion by Ferlita, seconded by White, the following Resolution was approved by a vote of 7 to 0.

WHEREAS, Hillsborough County is located in an area that is vulnerable to natural and manmade disasters that may result in emergencies causing substantial injury or harm to people or substantial damage to or loss of property; and

WHEREAS, Hillsborough County understands the importance of a post-disaster redevelopment plan to the successful long-term recovery from a disaster; and

WHEREAS, planning for long-term, post-disaster redevelopment is essential for furthering the sustainability of our community; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 252, Florida Statutes, provides the Board of County Commissioners with the authority to declare a state of local emergency and take actions necessary to ensure the safety and well being of its residents, visitors and their property during emergencies caused by these hazards; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 163, Florida Statutes, the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County adopted the Comprehensive Plan promulgated by Hillsborough County Ordinance 89-28; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 9J-5, Florida Administrative Code, Hillsborough County is a coastal community and is required to implement a post-disaster redevelopment plans to reduce or eliminate the exposure of human life and public and private property to natural hazards; and

WHEREAS, the Hillsborough County’s Comprehensive Plan Coastal Management Element, Policy 12.2, requires the County to continue to implement, review,
and amend as needed the post-disaster redevelopment ordinance, addressing long-term development, repair, and redevelopment activities, and include measures to restrict and eliminate inappropriate and unsafe development in the coastal high hazard area through Plan designated uses, zoning, and density and intensity limitations; and

WHEREAS, Hillsborough County adopted Ordinance 93-20 on August 4, 1993 to guide creation of a redevelopment plan and mitigation efforts following a storm event or other natural disaster within the unincorporated areas of Hillsborough County; and

WHEREAS, Hillsborough County entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Florida Department of Community Affairs on May 7, 2008 (MOU 08-0735) to participate as a pilot community to develop and implement a long-term Post-Disaster Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, Hillsborough County in the development of the Post-Disaster Redevelopment Plan created a multi-jurisdictional and communitywide Stakeholder Group comprised of eight technical advisory committees; and

WHEREAS, Hillsborough County involved the community in more than 103 meetings with more than 2,000 hours of participant time; and

WHEREAS, the Post-Disaster Redevelopment Plan in the aftermath of a disaster works in concert with Ordinance 93-20 and the Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan to maximize resources and ensure the efficient use of time in a proactive process in the recommendation of post-disaster decisions and preparing for long-term redevelopment and reconstruction needs; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of Hillsborough County to take reasonable action to guide redevelopment during the recovery period following an emergency or storm event to redevelop the community to a level of normalcy in a three- to five-year period; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to adopt the Post-Disaster Redevelopment Plan in accordance with the Memorandum of Understanding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Hillsborough County Board of County Commissioners in a meeting held this 14 day of July, 2010:

1. That the Post-Disaster Redevelopment Plan is hereby adopted.

2. That the Post-Disaster Redevelopment Plan shall be forwarded to the City of Plant City, the City of Tampa, and the City of Temple Terrace for consideration.
3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

I, Pat Frank, Clerk of the Circuit Court and Ex Officio Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Board at its regular meeting of July 14, 2010, as the same appears in Minute Book 410 of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 15th day of July, 2010.

PAT FRANK, CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency

By:

Deputy Clerk

By: