

DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2024- ____

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA, APPOINTING ONE MEMBER TO THE DESOTO COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION AND BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT; PROVIDING FOR CURRENT MEMBER INFORMATION PROVIDING FOR APPOINTMENT; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, THE Code of Ordinances Chapter 20, Land Development Regulations, (LDR) Article X, Boards and Agencies, establishes in Divisions 2 and 3 provisions regarding the Planning Commission and the Board of Adjustment; and

WHEREAS, LDR Section 20-1250(e) establishes a Planning Commission consisting of six members appointed by the Board of County Commissioners, each for a term of four years; and one member appointed by the DeSoto County School Board; and

WHEREAS, LDR Section 20-1250(e) provides for the Board of County Commissioners to appoint two alternate members to the Planning Commission that serve in the absence of any member or members of the Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, LDR Section 20-1278 provide the Planning Commission serves as the Board of Adjustment; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission and Board of Adjustment have two member vacancies and two alternate member vacancies; and

WHEREAS, LDR Section 20-1250(b) no member of the Planning Commission except the School Board appointee shall hold any elective office or be employed by any local government within DeSoto County, that members of the Planning Commission shall be of the same business, trade, or profession; and

WHEREAS, Lynn Banish (retired government worker), expands the diversity of the existing Planning Commission, made up of (Jami Schueneman (School Board), J. Roger Lowe (Agriculture), Brian Young (Real Estate), Bill Martin (Construction), Erik Howard (Engineer) and George Davis Jr. (Construction)

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners hereby deems it necessary for continuity of service and voting membership records to adopt a resolution indicating current members, seat number and term of office; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds adoption of this resolution is in the best interest of the residents of DeSoto County, Florida.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. That the foregoing “WHEREAS” clauses are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby incorporated by reference as part of this Resolution.

Section 2. Appointments. That the DeSoto County Board of County Commissioners hereby appoints:

Lynn Banish to serve as a member to the Planning Commission and Board of Adjustment for the term to begin 01/01/2025 and expire on 01/01/2029;

Section 3. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 17th day of December, 2024

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Mandy Hines
County Administrator

By: _____
J.C. Deriso
Chairperson

By: _____
Valerie Vicente
County Attorney