

ORDINANCE NO. 87- 21

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AN ORDINANCE OF HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROVIDING THAT THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA, BE AMENDED BY REVISING SECTION 27-17 (a) and (b), OF SAID CODE; PROVIDING THAT THE FIFTH AND SIXTH CENT LOCAL OPTION GAS TAX SHALL BE IMPOSED FOR A THIRTY YEAR PERIOD; PROVIDING THAT UTILIZATION OF THE FIFTH AND SIXTH CENT LOCAL OPTION GAS TAX BE ALLOWED COUNTYWIDE; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA:

SECTION I AMENDMENT TO SECTION 27-17. That Section 27-17 (a) and (b) of the Code of Ordinances of Hernando County, Florida, be amended so that such section shall read as follows:

"Section 27-17. Additional Fifth and Sixth Cent Local Option Gas Tax.

(a) Imposed. There is hereby imposed a fifth and sixth cent local option gas tax, in addition to and above the existing four cent (\$0.04) local option gas tax, upon every gallon of motor fuel and special fuel sold in Hernando County and taxed under the provisions of Chapter 206, Florida Statutes. This section shall impose a fifth and sixth cent local option gas tax for a thirty year period which shall be in addition to the first, second, third and fourth cent local option gas tax heretofore imposed for a period of thirty (30) years pursuant to Ordinance No. 85-15 adopted by the Board of County Commissioners on July 9, 1985.

(b) Effective Period. The fifth and sixth cent local option gas tax imposition hereby made shall be effective from September 1, 1985 to August 31, 2015, both inclusive."

SECTION II 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 sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered or relettered to accomplish such intention, and that the word "ordinance" may be changed to "section", "article", or other appropriate designation.

SECTION III SEVERABILITY. It is declared to be the intent of the Board of County 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 validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION IV 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.

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS in Regular Session this 18<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1987.

(SEAL)

Attest: Harold W. Brown  
Harold William Brown  
Clerk

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA.

By: Leonard F. Thia Jr.  
Leonard F. Thia Jr.  
Chairman