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Upon motion of Commissioner Page with second by
Commissioner Patterson and a vote of 5-0 The Board of
Taylor County Board of County Commissioners, adopt the following resolution:

RESOLUTION

Whereas, The State of Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission established the Florida Boating Improvement Program, and

Whereas, The Board of County Commissioners, Taylor County, Florida is eligible to receive a grant award under this program to improve the county's boating areas for it's citizens, and

Whereas, The Board authorizes Mark Wiggins, Chairman or Jack Brown, County administrator to file and execute any contract or documents and apply for and administer a grant on behalf of the applicant for the Keaton Beach Boat Ramp Parking Facility Phase II a phased project, and

Whereas, The Board of County Commissioners of Taylor County certifies that the Keaton Beach Coastal Park and the Keaton Beach Boat Ramp Parking Facility project is included in the Capital Improvements Plan of the Taylor County Comprehensive Plan.

Therefore, be it resolved by The Board that:

1. The Taylor County Board of Commissioners is eligible to submit grant application for funding assistance to the Florida Boating Improvement Program for additional parking facilities at Keaton Beach Boat Ramp, Keaton Beach, Florida.
2. The Taylor County Board of County Commissioners support grant application to The Florida Boating Improvement Program for funding assistance for Phase II, construction of additional parking facilities adjacent to Keaton Beach Boat Ramp.

Done and Ordered in regular session at Perry, Florida this 2nd day of August, 2010, A.D.

Board of County Commissioners
Taylor County, Florida



Attest: Annie Mae Murphy
Annie Mae Murphy, Clerk

By: Mark Wiggins
Mark Wiggins, Chairman

Forest Capital of the South

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AD VALOREM TAX EXEMPTION TO THULE MFG; SPECIFYING THE ITEMS EXEMPTED; PROVIDING AN EXPIRATION DATE FOR THE EXEMPTION; FINDING THAT THE BUSINESS MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF F.S. 196.012; PROVIDING FOR PROOF OF ELIGIBILITY FOR EXEMPTION; PROVIDING A REQUIREMENT FOR AN ANNUAL REPORT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, economic development and the creation of jobs are priorities of the Taylor County Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Taylor County voted to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to provide economic incentives to new and/or expanding businesses in the January 2008 special election; and

WHEREAS, Thule Mfg, Inc. has requested that the Taylor County Board of County Commissioners exempt ad valorem taxes for its new 28,000 ft. expansion to be located at 606 Industrial Park Drive, in Perry; and

WHEREAS, Thule Mfg, Inc. anticipates a minimum of \$.75M in capital investment at their Perry facility during the next two years, and

WHEREAS, Thule Mfg, Inc. anticipates a minimum of 7 new quality jobs to be created at their Perry facility during the next two years, and

WHEREAS, the Property Appraiser has provided the Taylor County Board of County Commissioners with its report as required by Chapter 196.1995(9) F.S.; and

WHEREAS, It has been determined that Thule Mfg, Inc. meets the requirements of Chapter 196.016 F.S., expansion of an existing business in Taylor County.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA, as follows:

SECTION 1 The Ordinance shall create Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Thule Mfg, Inc.

SECTION 2. An Economic Development Ad Valorem Tax Exemption is hereby granted to Thule Mfg, Inc., expanding in Taylor County, on the 28,000 sq. ft. expansion of the building located at 606 Industrial Park Drive.

(a) The total amount of revenue available to Taylor County from ad valorem tax sources for the current fiscal year is \$9,485,484.00. \$26,290.77 is lost to Taylor County for the current fiscal year by virtue of exemptions currently in effect from previous years.

(b) The tax exemption hereby granted shall be for a term of five years, commencing with the first year the new Improvements and personal property are added to the assessment roll, and lasting four years thereafter, for 100% annually of the increase in taxes due to the 28,000 sq. ft. expansion to the building, up to \$6,000 annually.

(c) In accordance with the findings of the Board of County Commissioners and the Property Appraiser, the property hereby exempted from ad valorem tax exemption meets the definition of an expansion of an existing business, as defined by Chapter 196.012, Florida Statutes.

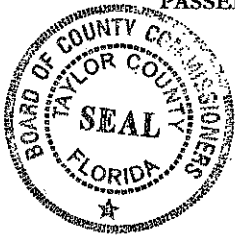
(d) Thule Mfg, Inc. shall submit to the County an annual report providing evidence of continued compliance with the definition of a new business or an expansion of an existing business for each of the four years during which Thule Mfg, Inc. is eligible to receive ad valorem tax exemption. The annual report shall be submitted to the County Administrator by January 31 of each year. If the annual report is not

received, or if the annual report indicates that Thule Mfg. Inc. no longer meets the criteria of Chapter F.S. 196.012, the County Administrator shall make a report to the Board of County Commissioners for consideration of revocation of this ordinance granting the tax exemption.

SECTION 3. Severability. If any word, phrase, clause, section or portion of this Ordinance shall be held Invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such portion or words shall be deemed a separate and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

SECTION 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon receipt of official acknowledgement from the office of the Secretary of State of Florida that this ordinance has been filed in said office.

PASSED AND ADOPTED in regular session this 2nd day of Aug. 2010.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: [Signature]
MARK WIGGINS, Chairperson

ATTEST:

[Signature]
ANNIE MAE MURPHY, Clerk