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December 17, 1999

Honorable R. B. Shore  
Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller  
Manatee County  
Post Office Box 1000  
Bradenton, Florida 34206

Attention: Janene Kearney, Deputy Clerk

Dear Mr. Shore:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 125.66, Florida Statutes, this will acknowledge your letter dated December 17, 1999 and certified copy of Manatee County Ordinance No. 99-68, which was filed in this office on December 17, 1999.

As requested, the date stamped copy is being returned for your records.

Sincerely,

Liz Cloud, Chief  
Bureau of Administrative Code

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Enclosure

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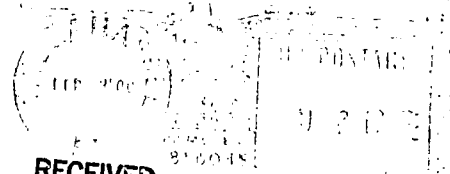
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ORDINANCE NO. 99-68

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AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING ORDINANCES NO. 90-32, AS AMENDED; AMENDING SECTION V RELATING TO THE PROHIBITION OF DOGS AND CATS TO BE AT LARGE; AND NO. 82-19, AS AMENDED; AMENDING SECTION VI(3) RELATING TO THE PROHIBITION OF DOGS AT LARGE; ALLOWING BOARD TO DESIGNATE PUBLIC AREAS WHERE ANIMALS ARE ALLOWED; REQUIRING THE REMOVAL OF ANIMAL FECAL MATTER FROM PUBLIC PROPERTY; PROVIDING FOR CODING OF AMENDMENTS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida ("the Board") is the governing body in and for Manatee County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, Section 828.27, Florida Statutes, authorizes the Board of County Commissioners to enact ordinances relating to animal control; and

WHEREAS, it is in the general interest of the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Manatee County to provide for the removal of animal waste from public property;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida:

Section 1. Section V of Ordinance No. 90-32, as amended, is amended and restated to read as follows:

Section V. DOGS AND CATS AT LARGE PROHIBITED.

It is a violation of this section for the owner or custodian of any dog or cat to allow the dog or cat to be at large, as defined in this Ordinance. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Board from time to

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time may by resolution designate specific public beaches, parks, playgrounds, public school premises, or public buildings in Manatee County where animals are allowed. In the event the Board designates such areas where animals are allowed, any person who owns, harbors or has apparent control over an animal shall immediately remove fecal matter that is deposited by said animal upon those areas and dispose of same in a lawful manner.

Section 2. Section VI(3) of Ordinance 82-19, as amended, is amended and restated to read as follows.

(3) Domestic Animals. Be responsible for the entry of a dog or other domestic animal into areas other than automobile parking concourses and walks immediately adjacent thereto, and in such other areas as may be clearly marked by signs plainly indicating that dogs or other domestic animals are permitted in the immediate area. Nothing herein shall be construed as permitting the running of dogs at large except where the Board of County Commissioners specifically designates such areas where dogs are allowed to run free without being leashed. No animal is allowed on public bathing beaches at any time.

Section 3. 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.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee

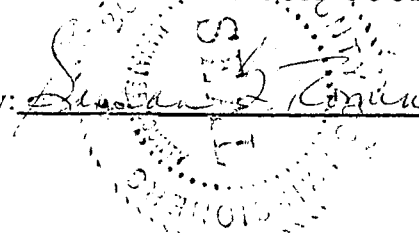
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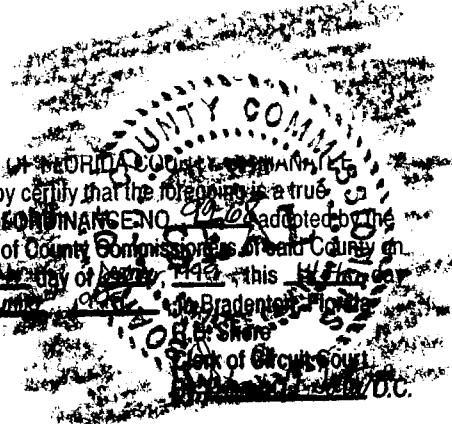
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: Stan Stephens  
STAN STEPHENS  
CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

R. B. SHORE  
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

By: R. B. Shore  


  
STATE OF FLORIDA  
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true  
copy of ORDINANCE NO. 99-68 adopted by the  
Board of County Commissioners of said County on  
the 7th day of December, 1999, this 11th day  
of December, 1999, at Bradenton, Florida.  
R. B. Shore  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Manatee County, Florida

cc: Barbara Ifer, BCC  
Internal Audit  
CAC  
Municipal Code

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