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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR GULF COUNTY

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER #2006-03-01

RE: GULF COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD

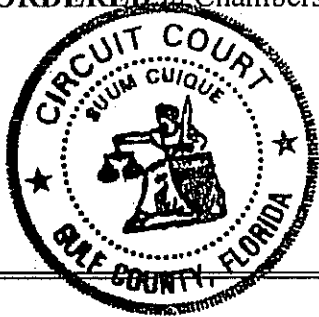
Whereas, section 102.141 (1), Florida Statutes, provides for a county canvassing board which shall be composed of the supervisor of elections; a county court judge, who shall act as chair; and the chair of the board of county commissioners;

Whereas, section 102.141 (1)(a), Florida Statutes, states that if no county judge is able to serve or if all are disqualified, the chief judge of the judicial circuit in which the county is located shall appoint as a substitute member a qualified elector of the county who is not a candidate with opposition in the election being canvassed and who is not an active participant in the campaign or candidacy of any candidate with opposition in the election being canvassed. In such event, the members of the county canvassing board shall meet and elect a chair;

Whereas, the Gulf County Judge will be unable to serve on the Canvassing Board for the upcoming Special Election scheduled for July 6, 2006;

Now Therefore, it is ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the following qualified elector, **The Honorable Dalton Upchurch**, is neither a candidate with opposition in the election nor is an active participant in the campaign or candidacy of any candidate with opposition in the election being canvassed and shall replace the Gulf County Judge, for the special election schedule for July 6, 2006.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, at Panama City, Bay County, this 22 day of May, 2006.



W. L. Wright
WILLIAM L. WRIGHT, CHIEF JUDGE

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