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

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER #2004-06-02

RE: WASHINGTON 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, section 102.141 (1) (c), Florida Statutes, states that if the chair of the board of county commissioners is unable to serve or is disqualified, the board of county commissioners shall appoint as a substitute member one its members 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;

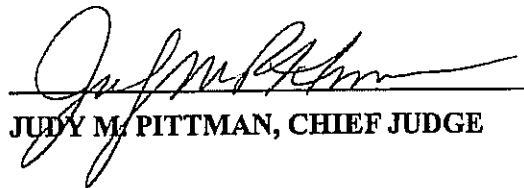
Whereas, section 102.141 (1)(d), Florida Statutes, states that if a substitute member cannot be appointed as provided elsewhere in this subsection, the chief judge of the judicial circuit in which the county is located shall appoint as a substitute member a qualified elector of the county who is not 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;

Whereas, the Washington County Judge, the Supervisor of Election, and the Chair of the Board of County Commission both have opposition in the election being canvassed;

Whereas, the Washington County Board of County Commission appointed as a substitute member one of its members 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 as provided under section 102.141 (1) (c) Florida Statutes;

Now Therefore, it is **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that the following qualified elector, **The Honorable Allen L. Register**, shall replace the Washington County Judge, The Honorable Colby Peel; and the qualified elector, **Mr. Francis Hinson**, shall replace the Supervisor of Election, The Honorable Carol Finch Griffin, as members of the Washington County Canvassing Board for the primary election schedule for August 31, 2004.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, at Panama City, Bay County, this 30 day of June, 2004.


JUDY M. PITTMAN, CHIEF JUDGE

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