



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

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER #2012-05-01

RE: JACKSON COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD
FOR JANUARY 31, 2012 PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARY ELECTION

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 Jackson County Judge, the Honorable Woodrow W. Hatcher will be unable to serve on the Canvassing Board for the upcoming Presidential Preference Primary Election scheduled for January 31, 2012.

Now Therefore, it is ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the following qualified elector, Mr. D. Wade Mercer 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 Jackson County Judge Woodrow W. Hatcher for the Presidential Preference Primary Election scheduled for January 31, 2012 and all associated meetings of the Canvassing Board for the January 31, 2012 Presidential Preference Primary Election date.



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DALE RABON GUTHRIE
CLERK CIRCUIT COURT
JACKSON COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: [Signature]
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DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, at Panama City, Bay County, this 10 day of January, 2012.



HENTZ McCLELLAN, CHIEF JUDGE