RESOLUTION 01-112

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA, CONDEMNING THE TERRORIST ACTS OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2001; SUPPORTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND HIS STAFF; AND URGING ALACHUA COUNTY CITIZENS TO DONATE BLOOD; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Alachua County Board of County Commissioners ("Board") wishes to express its grief and anger over the cowardly and deadly terrorist events of September 11, 2001; and,

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to express its support for the President of the United States and his national security team as they work to defend against additional attacks and find the perpetrators of this atrocity in order to bring them to justice; and,

WHEREAS, it is imperative that terrorism cannot be allowed to break the spirit of the American people and the best way to show these cowards that they have truly failed is for the people of the United States to stand tall and proud; and,

WHEREAS, blood supplies are always in need of replenishment and large quantities will be needed to help victims of these senseless acts of terrorism;

WHEREAS, giving blood could be the single most useful action that an American can take at this time.
Section 1. Alachua County condemns the terrorist acts of September 11, 2001, that destroyed the World Trade Center and damaged the Pentagon, resulting in a terrible loss of human life.

Section 2. Alachua County supports the President of the United States, his staff, and all military, police, rescue and medical personnel, and volunteers who are working to protect our country and assist victims and their families at this time.

Section 3. Alachua County urges all its able citizens to donate blood at Civitan Regional Blood Center at its headquarters location at 1221 N.W. 13th Street, Gainesville, or at bloodmobiles at various locations, information for which is available by calling 352-334-1000.

DULY ADOPTED in regular session, this 14th day of September, 2001, A.D.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: Dave Newport, Chair

ATTEST:

J.K. "Buddy" Irby, Clerk

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APPROVED AS TO FORM

David W. Wagner,
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