

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING EXECUTIVE ORDER 25-44, ENTITLED *ENSURING GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY*, AND COLLABORATION WITH THE GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY TEAM ("EOG DOGE") WITH IDENTIFYING UNNECESSARY LOCAL GOVERNMENT SPENDING, CREATING EFFICIENCIES, AND SAVING TAXPAYER DOLLARS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on February 24, 2025, Governor DeSantis signed Executive Order 25-44, *Ensuring Government Efficiency*; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Order establishes within the Office of Policy and Budget in the Executive Office of the Governor a Department of Governmental Efficiency Team ("EOG DOGE Team"); and

WHEREAS, the EOG DOGE Team is responsible for assisting local governments in identifying unnecessary spending, eliminating waste, and saving taxpayers money; and

WHEREAS, to best serve the people of Florida, local governments should, in partnership and assistance of EOG DOGE, actively participate in a comprehensive review conducted jointly by the EOG DOGE Team and local government to identify and eliminate unnecessary and inappropriate spending; and

WHEREAS, the Taylor County Board of County Commissioners hereby finds it in the best interests of the residents of Taylor County to work in partnership with the EOG DOGE Team on the County's fiscal and efficiency review.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Taylor County, Florida:

Section 1. Legal Findings of Fact. The foregoing recitals are hereby adopted as legislative findings of the Board of County Commissioners and are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution upon adoption hereof.

Section 2. Support. The Taylor County Board of County Commissioners (Board) supports efforts identifying unnecessary spending, creating efficiencies, and saving taxpayer dollars. The Board supports identifying and working to eliminate unnecessary programs, misaligned grants, and redundant contracts within the County, including those which may be inconsistent with regulations of the State.


Section 3. Good Faith Partnership. The Board desires to work in good faith with the EOG DOGE Team to facilitate their mission and to conduct a comprehensive review of the County's budget and operations. Through this partnership, the Board will grant the EOG DOGE Team access to the necessary records and any physical premises to review documents and data which may assist the County in identifying efficiencies. The Board will recommend administrative or policy reforms to promote efficiency and maximize productivity within local government.

Section 4. Direction and Appointment. The Board directs the County Administrator and County staff to be available and support EOG DOGE Team requests and to provide any necessary access and requested information to the EOG DOGE Team. The Board hereby directs the County Administrator to serve as the point of contact for all EOG DOGE Team-related inquiries.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 7th day of April, 2025.

ATTEST:



GARY KNOWLES, Clerk
Board of County Commissioners
Of Taylor County, Florida

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA



JAMIE ENGLISH, Chairperson

