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February 22, 2011

Hon. Chris H. Chambliss
Clay County Supervisor of Elections
1417-1 South Orange Avenue
Green Cove Springs, Florida 32043

Re: Notice pursuant to Section 100.151, Florida Statutes, of intent by the Board of County Commissioners of Clay County, Florida, to approve and ratify a resolution of the Board of District Trustees of the Lake Asbury Municipal Service Benefit District calling a special election to fill open seats on said Board, and joining in calling said special election

Dear Mr. Chambliss:

Today the Board of District Trustees of the Lake Asbury Municipal Service Benefit District (the MSBD Board) caused to be delivered to the Board of County Commissioners (the BCC) of Clay County, Florida (the County), a resolution adopted by the MSBD Board calling a special election to fill open seats on the MSBD Board (the MSBD Resolution). The BCC desires to adopt a resolution joining in calling the special election to the extent of its authority to do so.

Section 100.151, Florida Statutes, provides in part as follows:

County commissioners . . . shall not call any special election until notice is given to the supervisor of elections and his or her consent obtained as to a date when the registration books can be available.

At its meeting today the Board directed that I submit to you as Supervisor of Elections this formal notice under Section 100.151, Florida Statutes, of the intent of the Board to adopt a resolution approving and ratifying the MSBD Resolution and joining the MSBD Board in calling a special election to fill open seats on the MSBD Board in accordance with the following schedule:

February 28, 2011 Petitions are due.
March 7, 2011 Qualifying begins.

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March 8, 2011	Qualifying ends at noon.
April 5, 2011	Book closing.
May 3, 2011	Primary election day.
June 7, 2011	General election day.

Please advise whether you consent to conducting a special election for such purpose in accordance with the foregoing schedule, and to having the registration books available on the appropriate date or dates for the purpose of conducting such special election.

Respectfully,

Mark H. Scruby
County Attorney

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