

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 171 CALLING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION FOR THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF PORT ST. JOE TO MERGE THE CITY OF WARD RIDGE INTO THE CITY OF PORT ST. JOE; MAKING CERTAIN FINDINGS OF FACT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, THE City of Ward Ridge has previously conducted an election on the question of merging the City of Ward Ridge and the City of Port St. Joe, and

WHEREAS, as a result of said election and in furtherance of the merger proceeding, the City of Port St. Joe adopted Ordinance No. 171, dated November 18, 1986 calling for a special election to consider the question and,

WHEREAS, subsequent to the adoption of Ordinance No. 171, an error was discovered in the City of Ward Ridge's ordinance incorrectly stating the legal description of the City of Ward Ridge, and

WHEREAS, a merger based on the ordinance passed by the City of Ward Ridge would be invalid, and

WHEREAS, it would be in the best interest of the City of Port St. Joe to repeal Ordinance No. 171 and interrupt the merger procedure, and

WHEREAS, the normal procedure for ordinance adoption cannot be accomplished prior to the date set for special election called for by Ordinance No. 171.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF PORT ST. JOE, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. This ordinance is passed pursuant to the emergency provision of F.S. 166.041(3) (b).
2. Ordinance No. 171 adopted by the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Port St. Joe, Florida on November 18, 1986 is hereby repealed.
3. This ordinance shall become effective as provided by law.

ADOPTED THIS 16th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1986.

BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS,
PORT ST. JOE, FLORIDA

By: 
MAYOR/COMMISSIONER

Attest:


CLERK