AN ORDINANCE SETTING FORTH THE REQUIREMENTS FOR LIABILITY INSURANCE FOR MOTOR VEHICLES OWNED BY THE CITY OF PORT ST. JOE AND UTILIZED BY THE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND DECLARING THE ENACTMENT OF SUCH AN ORDINANCE TO BE AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Port St. Joe, Florida, has ascertained that it is in the best interests of the City and all its citizens to maintain high limits of liability insurance on its Police Department vehicles in order to properly protect the citizens within the said City, and

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the City Commission that said limits cannot be provided unless an ordinance or statute requires the same, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Port St. Joe deems the enactment of an appropriate ordinance to be an emergency for the immediate protection and preservation of peace, safety, health or property of the City or its inhabitants,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF PORT ST. JOE as follows:

- 1. That the City Commission shall hereafter purchase liability insurance on all vehicles used by the City Police Department as police vehicles in an amount not less than \$250,000 for personal injury for each individual involved; \$500,000 aggregate for personal injury in any one accident, and \$100,000 property damage in any one accident.
 - 2. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately as an emergency ordinance.

This Ordinance introduced and read this 30th day of September, 1977, and introduced and read a second time and unanimously adopted as an emergency ordinance this 30th day of September, 1977.

/s/ Frank Pate, Jr.
Mayor-Commissioner

Attest: /s/ Michael Wright City Clerk