

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-015

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, SETTING FORTH THE TOWN'S INTENT TO USE THE UNIFORM METHOD FOR THE COLLECTION OF A NON-AD VALOREM SPECIAL ASSESSMENT TO BE LEVIED UPON REAL PROPERTIES LYING WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES OF THE TOWN, AS MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN EXHIBIT "A," ATTACHED HERETO, TO FUND THE TOWN'S RESIDENTIAL SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SERVICES; STATING A NEED FOR SUCH LEVY; PROVIDING THAT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BE FORWARDED TO THE PROPERTY APPRAISER, TAX COLLECTOR AND THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS, SEVERABILITY, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida (the "Town") intends to impose a non-ad valorem special assessment to fund the Town's Residential Solid Waste Collection Services, which is currently direct-billed by the Town to the residential property owner, within the boundaries of the Town, as more particularly described in Exhibit "A"; and,

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 197.3632(3)(a), Florida Statutes, the Town advertised its intent to use the Uniform Method for the levy, collection, and enforcement ("Uniform Method") of the assessment weekly in a newspaper of general circulation for four (4) consecutive weeks preceding the public hearing held the day hereof. Proof of publication of such hearing being attached hereto as Exhibit "B"; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council held a duly-advertised public hearing prior to the adoption of this Resolution; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes, as amended, the Town Council of Loxahatchee Groves desires to set forth its intent to use the uniform method of collecting non-ad valorem special assessments to fund the cost of the Town's Residential Solid

Waste Collection Services within the municipal boundaries of the Town more particularly described in Exhibit "A," attached hereto and incorporated herein, because this method provides an economical and efficient process for such special assessments to be collected annually, commencing in October, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida, directs the Town Clerk to provide copies of this Resolution to the Broward County Property Appraiser, the Palm Beach Tax Collector and the Florida Department of Revenue prior to January 10, 2008;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are true and correct and hereby ratified and confirmed by the Town Council.

Section 2. Commencing with the Fiscal Year beginning on October 1, 2008, and with the tax statement mailed for such Fiscal Year, the Town intends to use the Uniform Method authorized in Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes, as amended, for collecting the assessment to fund the costs of providing Solid Waste Collection Services to residential properties located within the municipal boundaries of Town, more particularly described in Exhibit "A," attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 3. The Town hereby determines that the levy of the assessments is needed to fund the cost of the Residential Solid Waste Collection Services within the incorporated area of the Town.

Section 4. Upon adoption, the Town Clerk is hereby directed to send a copy of this Resolution to the Florida Department of Revenue, the Palm Beach County Tax Collector, and the Palm Beach County Property Appraiser in such a manner to ensure that each receives a copy of

this Resolution on or before January 10, 2008.

Section 5. All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 6. If any clause, section, other part or application of this Resolution is held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, in part or application, it shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions or applications of this Resolution.

Section 7. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, THIS __ DAY OF DECEMBER, 2007.

David Browning
MAYOR DAVID BROWNING

ATTEST:

Matthew Lippman
Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DNTA
TOWN ATTORNEY

DNT:js

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STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF St. Johns

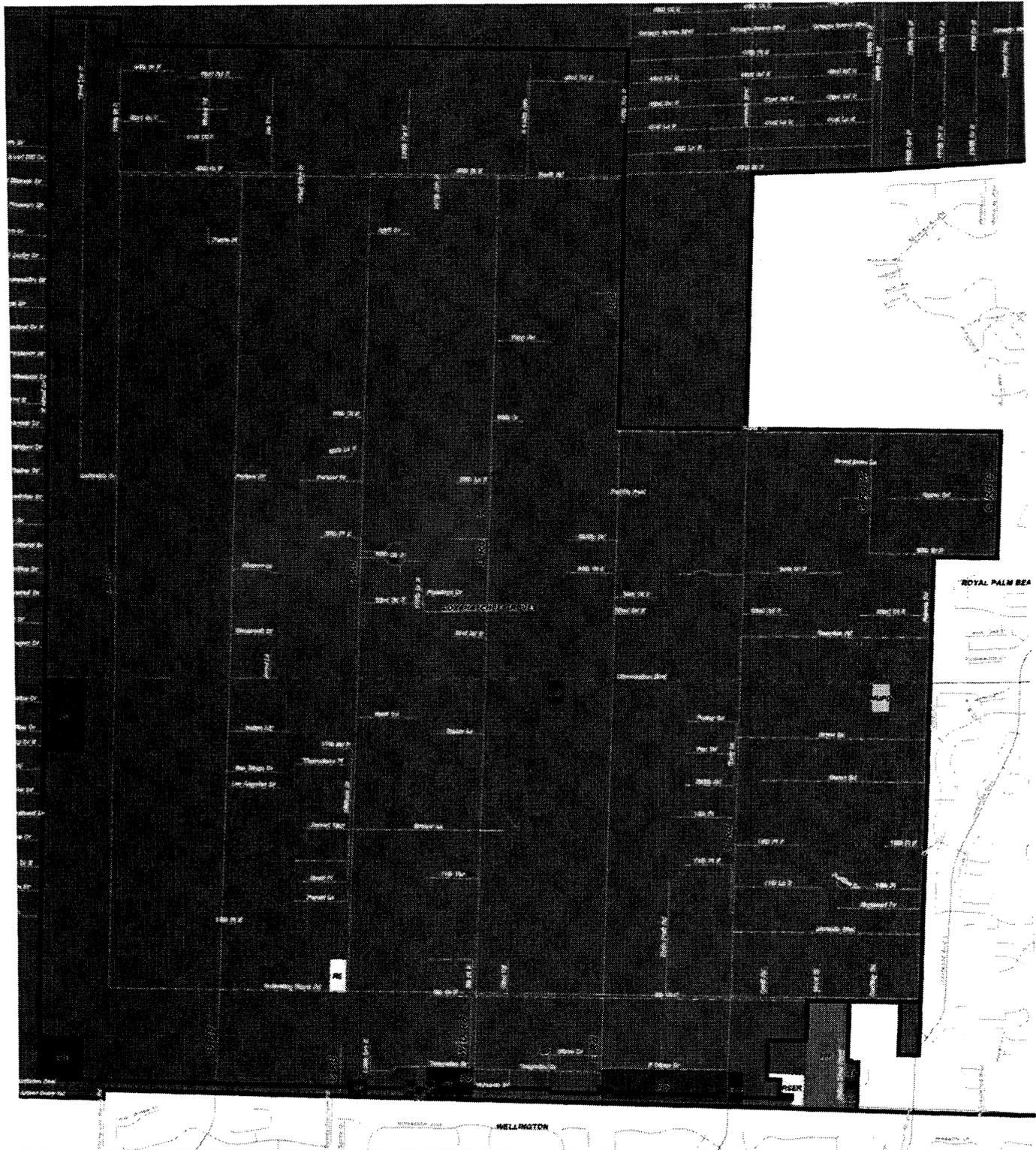
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of:
Resolution 2007-015
as recorded in the Office of the Town Clerk.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 8th day of January, A.D. 2008.

TOWN OF Loxahatchee Groves
BY: Matthew Lippman

EXHIBIT "A"

MAP/LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES OF
TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES



PROOF OF PUBLICATION

EXHIBIT "B"

PALM BEACH NEWSPAPERS, INC.

The Palm Beach Post
2751 S. Dixie Hwy., West Palm Beach, FL 33405
Phone: (561) 820-3106 Fax: (561) 820-4340
FED ID # 58-1633719
legals@pbpost.com

Legal Advertising Invoice

Account #	397241	Advertising Deadlines	
Ad #	9292523	<u>Publish</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Description:	Not: Chapter 197	Monday	Friday 3PM
Size:	6 "	Tuesday	Friday 3PM
Amount:	\$680.64	Wednesday	Monday 3PM
Published:	November 7, 14, 21, & 28, 2007	Thursday	Monday 3PM
		Friday	Wednesday 3PM
		Saturday	Thursday 3PM
		Sunday	Thursday 3PM

**Town of Loxahatchee Groves
Town Clerk's Office
14579 Southern Blvd., #2
Loxahatchee, FL 33470**

THE PALM BEACH POST
Published Daily and Sunday
West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida

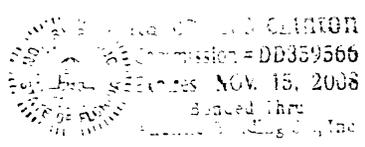
PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF PALM BEACH

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared **Marc Kramer**, who on oath says that he is **Inside Sales Supervisor** of The Palm Beach Post, a daily and Sunday newspaper, published at West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertising for a **Notice** in the matter of **Chapter 197** was published in said newspaper in the issues of **November 7, 14, 21, & 28, 2007**. Affiant further says that the said The Post is a newspaper published at West Palm Beach in said Palm Beach County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Palm Beach County, Florida, daily and Sunday and is a newspaper entered as second class mail matter at the post office in West Palm Beach in said Palm Beach County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement, and affiant further says that he has no interest, and that he has never had, present, future or anticipated, any direct or indirect interest, in the amount of the purchase price of the publication of the attached copy of advertisement.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 14th day of November, 2007.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of November, 2007.



NO. 9292523
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND INTENT TO USE UNIFORM METHOD FOR THE COLLECTION OF A NON-AD VALOREM TAX ASSESSMENT
The Town Council of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida, hereby provides notice, pursuant to Section 197.3632(3)(a), Florida Statutes, of its intent to use the uniform method of collecting non-ad valorem special assessments to be levied against the property of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida, for the year 2008. The Town Council of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida, is hereby invited to attend a public hearing on the subject of the board subject to the levy. All invited to attend the hearing to discuss the proposed levy. The hearing will be held on the 14th day of November, 2007, at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Council Chamber, 753-2418. The need to ensure that a valid hearing is held, which shall be held in accordance with the provisions of the Uniform Method of Collection of Non-Ad Valorem Special Assessments, as set forth in Section 197.3632(3)(a), Florida Statutes, requires that a public hearing be held on the subject of the board subject to the levy. All invited to attend the hearing to discuss the proposed levy. The hearing will be held on the 14th day of November, 2007, at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Council Chamber, 753-2418. The need to ensure that a valid hearing is held, which shall be held in accordance with the provisions of the Uniform Method of Collection of Non-Ad Valorem Special Assessments, as set forth in Section 197.3632(3)(a), Florida Statutes, requires that a public hearing be held on the subject of the board subject to the levy. All invited to attend the hearing to discuss the proposed levy. The hearing will be held on the 14th day of November, 2007, at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Council Chamber, 753-2418.



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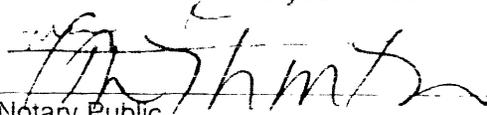
Affidavit of Proof of Publication

State of Florida
County of Palm Beach

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The affiant further says that the said The Palm Beach Post is a newspaper published at West Palm Beach, in said County, Florida, and that the said The Palm Beach Post newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Palm Beach County, Florida, each day, and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and the affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm, or corporation any discount, rebate, commission, or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of November in the year of 2007.



Notary Public
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Matthew Lippman
Town Clerk
PUB The Palm Beach Post
Nov. 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2007.

Original: Tax Collector
cc: Property Appraiser
Local Government

Florida Department of Revenue, Property Tax Administration, PO Box 3000, Tallahassee, FL 32315-3000



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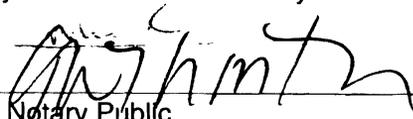
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