

# STATE OF FLORIDA

## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 12-181 (Special Election – Destin Fire Control District)

WHEREAS, Chapter 2000-417, § 5, Laws of Florida, provides that the Governing Board of the Destin Fire Control District (“Board”) is elected; and

WHEREAS, a vacancy on the Board will occur due to a resignation by a Commissioner after the qualifying period for the 2012 general election; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 2000-417, § 5(6), Laws of Florida, provides that the remaining members may appoint a qualified person to fill the seat until the next general election, at which time an election shall be held to fill the vacancy for the remaining term; and

WHEREAS, as the resignation occurred after the qualifying period for the general election, no person qualified to fill the office on the Board, Group 1, and therefore no person will be elected at the general election to fill the office; and

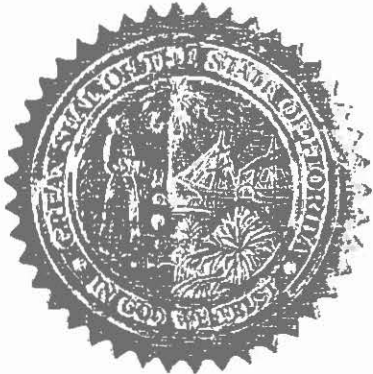
WHEREAS, pursuant to section 100.101(1), Florida Statutes, no person will be elected to fill the office which is required to be filled by election at the general election; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 100.141(1), Florida Statutes, the Governor is required, after consulting with the Secretary of State, to issue an order declaring the dates special elections shall be held;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK SCOTT, as Governor of Florida, in obedience to my solemn constitutional duty to take care that the laws be faithfully executed, and pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of Florida, issue the following Executive Order, to take immediate effect:

Section 1.

A special general election shall be held on November 6, 2012, in Okaloosa County, to fill the office on the Board.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed, at Tallahassee, this 10th day of August, 2012.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ron DeSantis", written over a horizontal line.

GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ken Retzner", written over a horizontal line.

SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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