

RESOLUTION # 16-R- 337

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR GROSS INCOME AND HOUSEHOLD ASSETS AS REQUIRED BY ORDINANCE 90-11, SECTION 10-64 OF THE MARION COUNTY CODE; DIRECTING THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO ESTABLISH ELIGIBLE LEVELS OF INCOME AND ASSETS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County (the Board) has, by previous ordinances, authorized the levy of various annual non-ad valorem assessments upon real property situated in Marion County; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that the income and assets of some real property owners may not be sufficient to permit payment of the annual assessments without substantial impairment of the owners ability to support himself or herself and his or her household members; and

WHEREAS, failure to pay the assessments may result in the loss of title to the real property; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that it is in the best interests of all of the citizens of Marion County that economically disadvantaged homeowners receive assistance in the payment of annual assessments levied against their residences; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that the provisions of this Ordinance are reasonable and necessary, and will help preserve and protect the public welfare of the citizens of the County; and

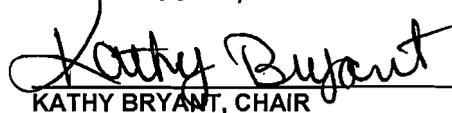
WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Board to establish the maximum income and asset levels for eligibility for this program; and now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, that:

- 1: The Board of County Commissioners of Marion County establishes that the maximum total household income level for applicants to be determined eligible for assistance shall be 100% of current Federal Poverty Level as established annually by the Federal Department of Health and Human Services.
- 2: This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

DULY ADOPTED in regular session this 20th day of September, 2016.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA


KATHY BRYANT, CHAIR

ATTEST:


DAVID R. ELLSPERMANN, CLERK