

BUSINESS IMPACT ESTIMATE FORM

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This Business Impact Estimate is given as it relates to the proposed ordinance titled:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA CREATING AND AMENDING THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS OF THE OKALOOSA COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES: CREATING SECTION 1-19 OF CHAPTER 1, TITLED “PROHIBITION OF PUBLIC CAMPING OR SLEEPING WITHIN COUNTY BUILDINGS OR ITS GROUNDS”; CREATING SECTION 19-2 OF ARTICLE I, CHAPTER 19, TITLED “PROHIBITION OF PUBLIC CAMPING OR SLEEPING ON COUNTY STREETS, SIDEWALKS, RIGHT-OF-WAY AND OTHER PUBLIC WAYS”; AMENDING SECTION 16-41, ARTICLE II, CHAPTER 16 PROVIDING FOR A DEFINITION OF “PUBLIC CAMPING OR SLEEPING”; AMENDING SECTION 16-43(A), ARTICLE II, CHAPTER 16, TITLED “OVERNIGHT CAMPING”; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Part I.

Summary of the proposed ordinance and statement of public purpose¹:

The proposed ordinance is intended to update the County Code to comply with the provisions of Chapter No. 2024-11, Laws of Florida pertaining to the prohibition on public camping or sleeping.

¹ Address the public purpose to be served by the proposed ordinance, such as serving the public health, safety, morals, and welfare of the County.

Part II.

Estimate of the direct economic impact of the proposed ordinance on private, for-profit businesses in the County: *(fill out subsections a-c as applicable, if not applicable write "N/A")*

- a. Estimate of direct compliance costs that businesses may reasonably incur if the proposed ordinance is enacted:

None

- b. Identification of any new charges or fees on businesses subject to the proposed ordinance, or for which businesses will be financially responsible; and

None

- c. An estimate of the County's regulatory costs, including an estimate of revenues from any new charges or fees that will be imposed on businesses to cover such costs.

None

Part III.

Good Faith Estimate of the number of businesses likely to be impacted by the ordinance:

Zero