

AN ORDINANCE OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, FLORIDA, REQUIRING ANY PERSON APPLYING FOR A BUILDING PERMIT TO OBTAIN A DRIVEWAY CONNECTION PERMIT; PROVIDING EXCEPTIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, The Franklin County Board of County Commissioners has determined that it is necessary to assure that driveways in Franklin County do not obstruct drainage features.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS that:

1. No building permit shall be issued in Franklin County until the applicant has obtained a driveway connection permit.
2. A driveway connection permit shall be obtained from the County Engineer, who shall specify dimensions, conditions and requirements necessary for proper culvert installation.
3. The applicant shall notify the County Engineer upon completion of the driveway, and shall make any corrections necessary to meet the permit conditions. No certificate of occupancy shall be issued until the County Engineer has approved the as-built driveway.
4. No person, firm or corporation shall obstruct any existing ditch, swale or drain in Franklin County without a driveway permit.
5. There shall be no fee for driveway permits.
6. The applicant and the applicant's successors in title shall be responsible for continuing compliance with the driveway permit and removal of obstructions which may occur in the culvert pipe and in the ditches, swales and drains.
7. Violation of this Ordinance shall be prosecuted as a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500 or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 60 days or by both such fine and imprisonment.

The Ordinance adopted by the Franklin County Board of County Commissioners this 21st day of November, 1995. This Ordinance shall take effect November 21st, 1995.

Attest:

Kendall Wade

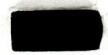
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THE FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD
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Chairman



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