TOWN OF HAVANA, FLORIDA BUSINESS IMPACT ESTIMATE

Proposed ordinance's title/reference:

ORDINANCE 405

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HAVANA, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE III, DIVISION 5, SECTION 2-127(b) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF HAVANA, FLORIDA, PROVIDING FOR THE TOWN COUNCIL TO EXERCISE DISCRETION IN REGARD TO THE RESIDENCE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORITY TO CODIFY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Business Impact Estimate is provided in accordance with section 166.041(4), Florida Statutes. This Business Impact Estimate may be revised following its initial posting.

In accordance with the provisions of controlling law, the Town of Havana, Florida hereby publishes the following information:

1. Summary of the proposed ordinance (must include a statement of the public purpose, such as serving the public health, safety, morals and welfare):

The proposed ordinance will permit the Town Council to exercise discretion in regard to the residence of the Chief of Police, whereas the current requirement is for the Chief of Police to reside within the Town limits. Providing for the operation of the Town's police department, and providing for the Chief of Police, serves the public purpose of protecting and providing for the health, safety, and welfare of the Town's residents.

- 2. An estimate of the direct economic impact of the proposed ordinance on private, for-profit businesses in the Town of Havana, if any:
- (a) An estimate of direct compliance costs that businesses may reasonably incur;
- (b) Any new charge or fee imposed by the proposed ordinance or for which businesses will be financially responsible; and
- (c) An estimate of the Town's regulatory costs, including estimated revenues from any new charges or fees to cover such costs.

None.

3. Good faith estimate of the number of businesses likely to be impacted by the proposed ordinance:

As all businesses in the Town are benefited by the police department, all are provided for by the public purpose of the proposed ordinance.

4. Additional information the governing body deems useful (if any):

The proposed ordinance is a generally applicable ordinance that applies to all persons similarly situated (individuals as well as businesses) and, therefore, the proposed ordinance does not affect only businesses.