NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDING THE PINELLAS COUNTY <u>CODE</u>

The Pinellas County Board of County Commissioners proposes to amend the Pinellas County Code by Ordinance.

A public hearing on the Ordinance will be held on Tuesday, January 14, 2025, at 9:30 A.M. in the Pinellas County Communications – Palm Room, 333 Chestnut Street, Clearwater, Florida 33756.

Interested parties may appear at the hearing and be heard regarding the proposed Ordinance.

1. **PROPOSED ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PINELLAS COUNTY CODE:**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY OF PINELLAS, PROVIDING THAT THE PINELLAS COUNTY CODE BE AMENDED BY REVISING CHAPTER 42 OF SAID CODE; PROVIDING FOR REVISIONS TO CHAPTER 42, SECTION 430 UPDATING HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS SIGNAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR AREAS EMBRACED; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

In review of the Ordinance above, there may be modifications that arise at the public hearing and/or with other responsible parties.

The proposed amendment to the Pinellas County Code can be inspected by the public at the Pinellas County Board Records Department, 315 Court Street, Fifth Floor, Clearwater, Florida 33756. Comments may be sent to this same address or call (727) 464-3458.

Persons are advised that if they decide to appeal any decision made at the meeting/hearing, they will need a record of the proceedings, and, for such purposes, they may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES WHO NEED REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS TO EFFECTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING ARE ASKED TO CONTACT PINELLAS COUNTY'S OFFICE OF HUMAN RIGHTS BY E-MAILING SUCH REQUESTS TO <u>ACCOMODATIONS@PINELLAS.GOV</u> AT LEAST THREE (3) BUSINESS DAYS IN ADVANCE OF THE NEED FOR REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION. YOU MAY ALSO CALL (727) 464-4882 (VOICE) OR (727) 464-4062 (TDD). MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE ADA, AND REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION, MAY BE FOUND AT <u>HTTPS://PINELLAS.GOV/AMERICANS-WITH-DISABILITIES-ACT-PUBLIC-</u><u>ACCOMMODATIONS/</u>.

KEN BURKE, CLERK TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS By: Derelynn Revie, Deputy Clerk