

RESOLUTION 2017-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA, OPPOSING ANY STATE LEGISLATION THAT WOULD PREEMPT LOCAL REGULATIONS TO THE STATE BY PROHIBITING LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FROM IMPOSING OR ADOPTING CERTAIN ORDINANCES, REGULATIONS, RULES, LICENSES, PERMIT OR OTHER REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING ASSOCIATED FEES; OPPOSING ANY STATE LEGISLATION THAT WOULD PREEMPT AND REPEAL BY OPERATION OF STATE LAW ANY EXISTING LOCAL REGULATIONS; OPPOSING ANY STATE LEGISLATION THAT WOULD LIMIT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS IN MODIFYING OR IMPOSING ADDITIONAL REGULATIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, any state legislation that preempts local regulations would have far-reaching negative impacts upon local governments throughout the State of Florida and would severely limit their ability to prescribe local laws to meet community needs; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of New Port Richey strongly opposes any state legislation that would preempt local regulations, that would repeal by operation of law existing local regulations or that would limit local governments in modifying or enacting additional local regulations.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA, IN SESSION DULY AND REGULARLY ASSEMBLED, THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Council of the City of New Port Richey opposes any state legislation that would preempt local regulations to the State of Florida by prohibiting local governments from imposing or adopting certain ordinances, regulations, rules, licenses, permit or other requirements including associated fees that would repeal by operation of law any existing local regulations, or that would limit local governments in modifying or enacting additional regulations.

SECTION 2. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

The above and foregoing Resolution was read and adopted at a duly convened meeting of the City Council of the City of New Port Richey, Florida, this 21st day of March, 2017.

ATTEST:

By: _____
Judy Meyers, City Clerk

By: _____
Robert Marlowe, Mayor-Council Member

(Seal)

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY FOR THE SOLE USE AND RELIANCE OF
THE CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA:

Timothy P. Driscoll, City Attorney