

STATE OF FLORIDA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 12-243

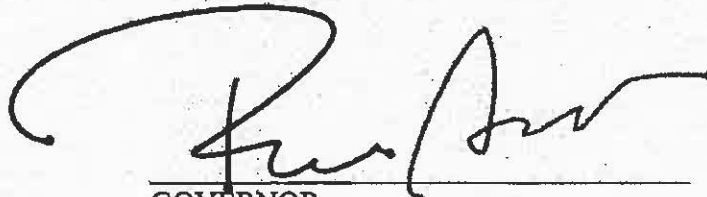
WHEREAS, Earl K. Wood, Orange County Tax Collector, died on October 14, 2012; and
WHEREAS, Article X, Section 3, of the Florida Constitution, and Section 114.01(1)(b),
Florida Statutes, provide that a vacancy in office shall occur upon the death of an incumbent
officer; and

WHEREAS, Section 114.01(2), Florida Statutes, provides that the Governor shall file an
Executive Order with the Secretary of State setting forth the facts that give rise to a vacancy in
office;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK SCOTT, Governor of Florida, by virtue of the authority
vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Florida, declare that due to the death of
Earl K. Wood, a vacancy exists in the Office of the Orange County Tax Collector, which I shall
fill in compliance with the law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set
my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State
of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, this 26th day
of October, 2012.




GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


SECRETARY OF STATE

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