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Office of Governor Charlie Crist  
State of Florida  
The Capitol  
400 S. Monroe St.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001

Re SB 550: Five-year [Septic] System Evaluation

Dear Governor Crist,

At our July 13, 2010 meeting, the Jackson County Board of County Commissioners voted to voice our opposition to Senate Bill 550 relative to Septic System Evaluations. While we're sure the bill is well-intentioned, we believe it will create a monumental burden on citizens of rural areas as well as the staff tasked with enforcing the bill. In these times of deep economic concern, unnecessary increases in Government Regulation only further the burden on Florida families.

The Board of County Commissioners is asking our legislators to repeal this law in the next session. If this is not perceived as a reasonable request, we're asking that the rules for SB 550 relative to septic systems be written in such a way that they will be the least burdensome to the citizens of rural Florida.

Sincerely,

Jeremy Branch, Chairman

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