IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER: C-2025-32

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER REGARDING THE DISMISSAL OF CIVIL TRAFFIC INFRACTION CITATIONS AND WAIVER OF FEES FOR DECEASED PERSONS

WHEREAS, Article V, section 2(d) of the Florida Constitution and section 43.26, Florida Statutes, charges the chief judge with the authority to promote the prompt and efficient administration of justice in the courts over which he or she is chief judge; and,

WHEREAS, the Florida Supreme Court, pursuant to Rule 2.215(5) of the Florida Rules of Judicial Administration permits the Chief Judge to designate a judge in any court or court division as an Administrative Judge; and,

WHEREAS, the undersigned, the Honorable Carol A. Falvey, has been designated by the Chief Judge as-Administrative Judge for Citrus County, pursuant to Rule 2.215(b)(5), Florida Rules of General Practice and Judicial Administration; and,

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary and appropriate for the prompt, effective, and efficient administration of justice within the courts of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, and in order to maintain judicial integrity, and with the advice and consent of the Chief Judge for the Fifth Judicial Circuit;

It is THEREFORE

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. The Clerk of Court shall dismiss any citation and satisfy any D-6 issued to anyone who has become deceased. Proof of death shall consist of an official death certificate or any official notification of death by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, the Department of Health (Vital Statistics), the Citrus County Sheriff Office, or State Attorney Office of Citrus County.

DONE AND ORDERED in chambers in Inverness, Citrus County, Florida this <u>Solution</u> day of July 2025.

The Honorable Carol A. Falvey Citrus County Administrative Judge

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