

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA,

Petitioner,

v.

Case No. SC18-79

RICK SINGH, INDIVIDUALLY,
SCOTT RANDOLPH, INDIVIDUALLY,
JERRY DEMINGS, SHERIFF OF
ORANGE COUNTY, RICK SINGH,
ORANGE COUNTY PROPERTY
APPRAISER, SCOTT RANDOLPH,
ORANGE COUNTY TAX
COLLECTOR,

Respondents.

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**FLORIDA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES, INC.’S
MOTION FOR LEAVE OF COURT TO FILE
AN AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF**

FLORIDA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES, INC. by and through its undersigned counsel, and pursuant to Florida Rule of Appellate Procedure 9.370, hereby requests leave to appear as Amici Curiae and file a brief on behalf of Orange County, Florida, and in support of this matter states:

(1) The Florida Association of Counties, Inc. (“FAC”) is a state-wide association and not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under Chapter 617 of Florida Statutes for the purpose of representing county government in the State of

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Florida and protecting, promoting, and improving the mutual interests of all counties in the State. Among the express purposes for which FAC was organized is to defend the “rights...of county government under any constitutional provision [and] statute...” Each of Florida’s 67 counties is a member of FAC. FAC believes that its participation will assist the Court in resolving the issues on appeal, which will affect many of FAC’s member counties.

(2) In accordance with Rule 9.370, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure, attorneys for both Appellant and Appellees have been contacted and they have indicated that they have no objection to this request for leave by FAC to appear as Amici Curiae and to file an amicus brief only.

WHEREFORE, the FAC requests leave from this Court to appear as Amici Curiae and file a brief on behalf of Orange County in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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