

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to North Lake County Hospital
3 District, Lake County; prohibiting the district from
4 incurring certain additional obligations or
5 indebtedness; requiring the district to wind down its
6 affairs, liquidate its assets, and satisfy its
7 obligations and indebtedness by a specified date;
8 providing for disposition of certain taxes collected;
9 repealing chs. 2012-258 and 2017-219, Laws of Florida;
10 dissolving the district on a specified date;
11 transferring certain district responsibilities and
12 assets and liabilities to the Board of County
13 Commissioners of Lake County; providing an effective
14 date.

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16 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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18 Section 1. Effective upon this act becoming a law, the
19 North Lake County Hospital District may not incur any additional
20 obligations or indebtedness other than expenses incurred in the
21 ordinary course of business and shall avoid wasting its assets.
22 By September 30, 2021, the North Lake County Hospital District
23 shall wind down its affairs, including, but not limited to,
24 adopting a dissolution plan that includes liquidating all of its
25 assets and satisfying all of its obligations and indebtedness.

26 Section 2. The North Lake County Hospital District Board
27 of Trustees may levy taxes, in accordance with chapter 2017-219,
28 Laws of Florida, through and including September 30, 2021. Taxes
29 collected by the tax collector after September 30, 2021,
30 pursuant to a levy adopted by the board of trustees before
31 October 1, 2021, shall be paid to the Board of County
32 Commissioners of Lake County for disposition in accordance with
33 section 6 of this act.

34 Section 3. Chapters 2012-258 and 2017-219, Laws of
35 Florida, are repealed effective October 1, 2021.

36 Section 4. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the
37 North Lake County Hospital District is dissolved effective
38 October 1, 2021.

39 Section 5. The responsibilities of the North Lake County
40 Hospital District as an issuing authority under any and all
41 outstanding bond issues are transferred to the Board of County
42 Commissioners of Lake County effective October 1, 2021. The
43 transferred responsibilities may not constitute a debt or an
44 obligation of the county.

45 Section 6. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary,
46 effective October 1, 2021, all remaining assets and liabilities
47 of the North Lake County Hospital District are transferred to
48 the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County. All assets
49 received by the board of county commissioners pursuant to this
50 section shall first be used to satisfy all liabilities of the

51 former district received pursuant to this section. All assets
52 remaining after the satisfaction of former district liabilities
53 shall be used by the board of county commissioners in accordance
54 with the dissolution plan adopted by the North Lake County
55 Hospital District Board of Trustees before October 1, 2021,
56 provided such plan is consistent with chapter 2012-258, Laws of
57 Florida, and provides for the expenditure of district funds only
58 within the boundaries of the former North Lake County Hospital
59 District.

60 Section 7. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.