Supervisor **BEVERLY MARTIN** moved the adoption of the following Order:

ORDER ADJUDICATING THE TAX SALE OF AUGUST 29, 2016 ON PARCEL NO. 1410K -02-002.002 FOR 2015 TAXES WAS ERRONEOUS AND THUS VOID *AB INITIO*; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Tax Parcel No. 1410K-02-002.002 is owned by the Biloxi Port Commission; and

WHEREAS, taxes due on the property for 2015 was erroneous due to the third party lease for said property being cancelled; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the incorrect assessment for the year 2015, said property was erroneously sold to The State of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the Chancery Clerk has requested that the Board of Supervisors adjudicate that said tax sale was erroneous and therefore void *ab initio* as a result of said error; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that said tax sale was erroneous and should be set aside as being void *ab initio*.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. The findings, conclusions and statements of fact contained in the foregoing preamble are hereby adopted, ratified and incorporated herein.

SECTION II. The Board finds and adjudicates that the tax sale of August 29, 2016 for 2015 taxes assessed to Tax Parcel No. 1410K-02-002.002 was erroneous and should be and is hereby set aside as being void *ab initio*; and the Clerk of the Board is directed to forward a copy of this Order to the Tax Purchaser as notice of this adjudication.

SECTION III. The Board finds and adjudicates that Tax Parcel No. 1410K-02-002.002 should be and is hereby declared exempt from taxes for the 2015 Assessment Roll.

Supervisor **CONNIE M. ROCKCO** seconded the motion to adopt the above and foregoing Order, whereupon the question was put to a vote with the following results:

Supervisor BEVERLY MARTIN voted AYE

Supervisor ANGEL KIBLER-MIDDLETON voted AYE

Supervisor MARLIN R. LADNER voted AYE

Supervisor KENT JONES voted (ABSENT & EXCUSED)

Supervisor CONNIE M. ROCKCO voted AYE

The majority of the members present having voted in the affirmative, the motion was declared carried and the Order adopted on this the 7^{th} day of August 2017.