



**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

**County Manager's Office**  
2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way  
Building C, Room 301  
Viera, Florida 32940

March 18, 2024

Via Certified Letter: # 7020 1810 0001 3178 9712

William P. Kelly, CFO  
BK Technologies, Inc.  
7100 Technology Dr  
W. Melbourne, FL 32904

Re: Brevard County's Ad Valorem Tax Exemption Program Ordinance No. 2019-10

Dear Mr. Kelly,

The Board of County Commissioners on May 7, 2019, granted BK Technologies, Inc. an ad valorem tax exemption for a period of eight (8) years and eighty percent (80%) on real and tangible property added to the County's assessment roll at 7100 Technology Dr, W. Melbourne, FL 32904. As part of the requirements to continue to participate in the County's Ad Valorem Tax Exemption Program, a Company is required to complete an "Economic Development Ad Valorem Property Tax Exemption" (Annual Report) with the County by March 1<sup>st</sup> of each year. On January 12, 2024, BK Technologies, Inc. received an Annual Report template from Brevard County along with instructions for the completion of the Annual Report. An Annual Report is necessary in order for the County to determine if your Company continues to meet the definition of an expansion of an existing business and that your Company is fulfilling the representation made in your Company's application.

The County has made an attempt through an email to your Company, to assist you with fulfilling this requirement. However, to date, the County has not received your Company's Annual Report. Therefore, I am considering recommending the Board of County Commissioners revoke the County's Ad Valorem Tax Exemption granted to BK Technologies, Inc. at the Board's meeting on Tuesday, April 23, 2024. If you have compelling reasons for the County to reconsider the revocation, please provide the information by Tuesday, April 9, 2024. I will consider any information you provide prior to making my recommendation. You may address your correspondence to the following address: 2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Building C, Room 301, Viera, Florida 32940 or you may call Karen Conde, Assistant to the County Manager, at 321-633-2001 if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

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County Manager  
Brevard County, Florida

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