#### Section I

## Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

### FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-27.003 Florida Endangered and Threatened Species

List; Prohibitions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Commission is considering revising the rule to incorporate by reference and link to Commission-approved Guidelines for the Southeastern American kestrel and revise rule provisions associated with species classified as Endangered, Threatened, or Species of Special Concern.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Take of State-Threatened species; Southeastern American kestrel, Endangered species, Threatened species, Species of Special Concern.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: ADA Coordinator at (850)488-6411. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Bradley J. Gruver, Ph.D., Section Leader, Species Conservation Planning Section, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, 620 S. Meridian St., Tallahassee, FL 32399-1600. THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE AT NO CHARGE FROM THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.

### Section II Proposed Rules

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

**State Board of Education** 

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-10.024 Articulation Between and Among

Universities, Florida Colleges, and School

Districts

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The rule implements the statewide articulated acceleration mechanisms of Section 1007.27, Florida Statutes, which facilitates a variety of acceleration mechanisms that are available to secondary and postsecondary students.

SUMMARY: This amendment will adopt the 2020-2021 Articulation Coordinating Committee (ACC) Credit-by-Examination list; including updates and additions to credit awards for multiple exams.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: Rule implementation would be within the department's and schools' current workload, with existing staff resources and procedures. This rule is updated yearly for the sole purpose of identifying any additions and/or changes to the Articulation Coordinated Committee's Credit by Exam List, and does not require additional resources for implementation. This proposed rule is not expected to have any adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness or any other factors listed in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S., and will not require legislative ratification.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(2)(n), 1007.23(1), 1007.25, 1007.27, FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1001.64(8)(a), 1007.01(2), 1007.23, 1007.25, 1007.27, FS.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: September 23, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Holocaust Museum, 55 5th St S., Saint Petersburg, FL 33701.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Rod Duckworth, Executive Director of Articulation, Rod.Duckworth@fldoe.org.

#### THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-10.024 Articulation Between and Among Universities, Florida Colleges, and School Districts.

It is the intent of the Board of Governors in regulation and the State Board of Education in rule to facilitate articulation and seamless integration of the education system by agreeing to the provisions of this articulation agreement, pursuant to Section 1007.23, F.S. The authority to adopt and amend this rule aligns with the Constitutional power given the Board of Governors for the state university system and the statutory authority given the State Board of Education for the district school boards, the Florida College System, and the Department of Education.

- (1) through (7) No change.
- (8) Credit by examination.
- (a) For examination programs listed in Section 1007.27, F.S., a list of examinations, minimum scores for guaranteed transfer credit, maximum credits guaranteed to transfer, and recommended course equivalents shall be maintained by the Articulation Coordinating Committee and reviewed annually. The list is incorporated in the document Articulation Coordinating Committee Credit-by-Examination Equivalencies, Effective October 2020 June 2019, which is herein incorporated by reference and located at (http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-

<del>10512</del>). The list may be requested from the Office of Articulation, Florida Department of Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

- (b) through (h) No change.
- (9) through (14) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(2)(n), 1007.23(1), 1007.25, 1007.27 FS. Law Implemented 1007.01(2), 1001.64(8)(a), 1007.23, 1007.25, 1007.27 FS. History—New 5-5-75, Amended 10-7-75, 6-8-76, 8-22-77, 12-26-77, 3-28-78, 5-10-78, 7-2-79, 2-27-80, 5-27-81, 1-6-83, 4-5-83, 6-28-83, 1-9-85, Formerly 6A-10.24, Amended 8-4-86, 5-18-88, 5-29-90, 7-30-91, 10-4-93, 5-3-94, 1-2-95, 9-30-96, 6-15-98, 12-13-99, 8-14-00, 10-15-01, 9-22-03, 12-18-05, 12-23-14, 3-23-16, 8-23-17, 6-19-18, 6-25-19.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Rod Duckworth, Executive Director of Articulation.

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Richard Corcoran, Commissioner, Department of Education.

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: August 07, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: July 22, 2020

## DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

#### **Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board**

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:
61G6-9.001 Continuing Education for Reactivation
61G6-9.002 Criteria for Continuing Education for

Reactivation of License

61G6-9.003 Definitions

61G6-9.004 Continuing Education Requirements for

Renewal for Certificateholders and

Registrants

61G6-9.006 Approval of Continuing Education Courses 61G6-9.007 Qualifications of Course Instructors

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendments due to legislative changes.

SUMMARY: Language will be updated due to legislative changes.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board, based upon the expertise and experience of its members, determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 455.2123, 455.2124, 455.2179, 489.507(3), 489.517(3), 489.517(6), 489.519(3), FS. LAW IMPLEMENTED: 455.271(10), 455.2123, 455.2124, 455.2179, 489.517, 489.517(3), 489.517(4), 489.517(6), 489.519, 489.519(3) FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Ruthanne Christie, Executive Director, Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0751; Ruthanne.Christie@myfloridalicense.com.

#### THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

61G6-9.001 Continuing Education for Reactivation.

As a condition to the reactivation of an inactive license, a

As a condition to the reactivation of an inactive license, a licensee must submit proof of the completion of fourteen (14) classroom hours of continuing education which meets the criteria set forth in Rule 61G6-9.002 or 61G6-9.004, F.A.C.

- (1) Certified and Registered Electrical Contractors must complete continuing education in the following areas: Of the required fourteen (14) classroom hours, at least seven (7) hours must be on technical subjects, to include: one (1) hour of an approved provider's specialized or advanced module course, approved by the Florida Building Commission, on any portion of the Florida Building Code, relating to the contractor's respective discipline; one (1) hour on workers' compensation, one (1) hour on workplace safety, one (1) hour on business practices, one (1) hour by completing an approved provider's specialized or advanced module course, approved by the Florida Building Commission, on any portion of the Florida Building Code, relating to the contractor's respective discipline, and one (1) hour of Florida laws and rules education., and, Ffor alarm system contractors and certified electrical contractors engaged in alarm system contracting, two (2) hours on false alarm prevention which is designated as technical education. The continuing education credits needed for reactivation must be completed within two (2) years preceding reactivation.
- (2) Certified and Registered Alarm and Specialty Contractors must complete continuing education in the following areas: seven (7) hours technical to include: one (1) hour of an approved provider's specialized or advanced module course, approved by the Florida Building Commission, on any portion of the Florida Building Code, relating to the contractor's respective discipline; one (1) hour workers' compensation, one (1) hour workplace safety, one (1) hour business practices, one (1) hour of Florida laws and rules

education and two (2) hours on false alarm prevention. The continuing education credits needed for reactivation must be completed within two (2) years preceding reactivation.

Rulemaking Authority 489.507(3), 489.519(3) FS. Law Implemented 489.519 FS. History–New 1-2-80, Amended 10-13-80, Formerly 21GG-9.01, Amended 2-20-89, Formerly 21GG-9.001, Amended 12-24-97, 12-27-00, 10-1-03, 4-10-05, 11-21-12, 2-5-15,

61G6-9.002 Criteria for Continuing Education for Reactivation of License.

The following programs of continuing education may be used to satisfy the continuing education requirement provided that the licensee complies with the terms set forth herein:

- (1) No change.
- (2) Noncredited courses conducted by an accredited institution of higher learning, official governmental agency, the military, recognized national or state trade or civil organization, or Board approved alternative, non-classroom courses, provided the following conditions are met:
- (a) The course must be business, technical or safety course relevant to the electrical contracting industry. For purpose of this rule the following lists are provided as guides for provider applicants in properly categorizing individual courses. Courses in the identified categories include, but are not limited to those listed
- 1. Business courses include: (A) Bidding a Job, (B) Maintaining Cash Flow, (C) Interpretation of Contracts and Agreements Purchasing Control, (D) Contract Scheduling, (E) Obtaining Insurance and Bonding, (F) Complying with Contracting Laws and Rules, including Chapters 455 and 489 Part II, Florida Statutes and rule Chapter 61G6, Florida Administrative Code, (G) Personnel Management, (H) Complying with Payroll and Sales Tax Laws, (I) Interpretation of Financial Statements and Reports, and (J) Management Accounting.
- 2. Technical courses include: (A) General Theory and Electrical Principles, (B) Plan and Specification Reading and Interpretation, (C) Wiring and Protection, (D) Wiring Methods and Materials, (E) Special Occupancies and Situations, (F) Life Safety and Americans with Disabilities Act, (G) Electrical Signs, Outline Lighting, and Structural Considerations, (H) Alarms/ Limited Energy, and (I) Estimating.—(J) False Alarm Prevention, and (K) Advanced Building Code modules.
  - 3. No change.
  - (b) through (c) No change.
  - (3) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 489.507(3), 489.517(3), 489.519(3) FS. Law Implemented 455.271(10), 489.517, 489.519(3) FS. History–New 1-2-80, Formerly 21GG-9.02, 21GG-9.002, Amended 12-27-00, 4-17-01, 4-30-19,

61G6-9.003 Definitions.

When used in this rule, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

- (1) through (6) No change.
- (7) "Interactive Distance Education Course" means a competency based learning course presented through live, synchronous technology or through pre-recorded video coupled with a means for course attendees to ask questions of the instructor(s) and receive responses in a timely manner. Such courses may be presented through video conferencing technologies or continuing education course, the delivery of which is done via the internet and/or other interactive computer based applications electronic media. Such offerings or Ceourses shall be interactive, providing for the interchange of information between the student, the teacher, and shall provide for registration, evaluation, monitoring, and verification of continuing education, as well as require a multiple-choice test at the end of the session with a minimum passing score of 75%. (8) No change.
- Rulemaking Authority 455.2123, 489.507(3), 489.517(3) FS. Law Implemented 455.2123, 489.517(3) FS. History–New 11-30-94, Amended 1-3-96, 6-13-96, 1-4-01, 2-10-03, 8-10-05,

61G6-9.004 Continuing Education Requirements for Renewal for Certificateholders and Registrants.

- (1) Each person who is certified or registered by the Board must, as a condition of each renewal of the certificate or registration, provide proof of completion of at least 14 elassroom hours of continuing education in one or more courses approved by the Board.
  - (2) through (3) No change.
- (4) A Certified or Registered Electrical Contractor person initially licensed 12 or more months prior to the end of a biennial period is required to complete 5.7 hours of continuing education as a condition of renewal. Of Tthe 5.7 hours of continuing education, 6 of the hours must be in the following areas: 1.2 hours technical, 1 hour business, 1 hour worker's compensation, 1 hour work place safety, and 1 hour laws and rules. For alarm system contractors and electrical contractors actively engaged in alarm contracting, the remaining 1 hour shall be in false alarm prevention which will satisfy the 1 hour technical requirement. For all other license holders, the remaining 1 hour shall be a general continuing education credit.
- (5) A Certified or Registered Alarm Contractor initially licensed 12 or more months prior to the end of a biennial period is required to complete 4 hours of continuing education as a condition of renewal. The 4 hours of continuing education must

be in the following areas: 1 hour worker's compensation, 1 hour work place safety, 1 hour laws and rules and 1 hour false alarm prevention.

(6) A Certified or Registered Specialty Contractor initially licensed 12 or more months prior to the end of a biennial period is required to complete 4 hours of continuing education as a condition of renewal. The 4 hours of continuing education must be in the following areas: 1 hour business; 1 hour worker's compensation; 1 hour work place safety; and 1 hour laws and rules.

(7)(5) No change.

(8)(6) A licensee may obtain a maximum of four (4) 7 hours of continuing education credits by taking a home study course. A minimum passing score of 75% must be obtained to receive the required CE credits.

(9)(7)(a) A minimum of Oone of the 14-required technical classroom hours of continuing education must be obtained by completing an approved provider's specialized or advanced module course, approved by the Florida Building Commission, on any portion of the Florida Building Code, relating to the contractor's respective discipline.

(b) No less than Oone (1) of the 14 required classroom hours of continuing education shall be in the area of the laws and rules related to electrical and alarm contracting in the State of Florida. For the purposes of this rule, the laws and rules governing the practice of electrical and alarm contracting are Cehapters 455 and 489, part II, F.S., and rule Chapter division 61G6, F.A.C.

(10)(8) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 455.2124, 489.507(3), 489.517(6) FS. Law Implemented 455.2124, 489.517(3), (6) FS. History–New 11-30-94, Amended 4-22-01, 8-15-04, 1-30-05, 8-10-05, 8-15-06, 3-27-13, 2-5-15, 4-30-19.

61G6-9.006 Approval of Continuing Education Courses.

- (1) through (10) No change.
- (11) Of the required 14 continuing education hours, Aa licensee may earn one (1) laws and rules hour credit and one (1) three business hours credit by attending, for at least three hours, a meeting of the Board wherein disciplinary cases are considered. Licensees must attend the meeting for at least two (2) hours and be present for the complete agenda of disciplinary cases agenda to receive the continuing education hours. The licensee must check in with the Clerk of the Board staff prior to the beginning of disciplinary proceedings. Credit hours may not be earned when the licensee attends a disciplinary case session as a party to a disciplinary action. A licensee may receive continuing education credit for attending the Board meeting

only if he or she is attending on that date solely for continuing education credit; he or she may not receive continuing education credit if appearing at the Board meeting for any other purpose, including as a party to a disciplinary action.

- (12) through (14) No change.
- (15) Board members may receive three (3) hours of general continuing education credit per biennium for participation at Board meetings.

Rulemaking Authority 489.507(3), 489.517(3) FS. Law Implemented 489.517(3), (4) FS. History—New 11-30-94, Amended 6-13-96, 10-20-96, 12-25-96, 10-6-97, 3-24-99, 5-6-99, 11-2-00, 9-4-01, 10-17-05, 7-17-11, 4-30-19,

61G6-9.007 Qualifications of Course Instructors.

- (1) through (4) No change.
- (5) A qualified course instructor may count the assigned credit hours of a course taught toward the required fourteen (14) hours of biennial continuing education credit for the biennium in which the course was taught. A maximum of seven (7) hours per biennium may be awarded under this subsection.

Rulemaking Authority 455.2179, 489.507(3) FS. Law Implemented 455.2179 FS. History–New 11-30-94, Amended 6-13-96, 12-3-00,

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 15, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: June 19, 2020

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

#### **Board of Acupuncture**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B1-4.0011 Documentation Necessary for Licensure

Application

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the rule amendment is to update the incorporated application.

SUMMARY: To update the incorporated application.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the

statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board concluded that this rule change will not have any impact on licensees and their businesses or the businesses that employ them. The rule will not increase any fees, business costs, personnel costs, will not decrease profit opportunities, and will not require any specialized knowledge to comply. This change will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Hence, the Board determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.013, 456.048, 457.104, 457.105 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.048, 456.013(1), 456.0635, 457.105 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Kama Monroe, JD, Executive Director, Board of Acupuncture, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C06, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257, or by electronic mail -kama.monroe@flhealth.gov.

#### THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B1-4.0011 Documentation Necessary for Licensure Application.

A properly completed application shall be submitted on Department of Health Form Acupuncture Application for Licensure with Instructions, DH-MQA 1116, 06/2020 19, adopted and incorporated herein by reference as this Board's application and available on the web at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-</a>

11125, or <a href="https://floridasacupuncture.gov/resources/">https://floridasacupuncture.gov/resources/</a>. To complete the application, attach the appropriate fees and supporting documents and submit it to the address listed on the instructions.

Rulemaking Authority 456.013, 456.048, 457.104, 457.105 FS. Law Implemented 456.048, 456.013(1), 456.0635, 457.105 FS. History—New 2-18-98, Amended 10-11-04, 5-25-09, 8-5-10, 10-23-13, 2-8-17, 4-1-19, 9-30-19,\_\_\_\_\_.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Acupuncture

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Acupuncture

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: June 26, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: July 30, 2020

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

#### **Board of Medicine**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B8-51.006 Rule Governing Licensure and Inspection of

**Electrology Facilities** 

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed rule amendments are intended to update the applications.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule amendments update several applications.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board concluded that this rule change will not have any impact on licensees and their businesses or the businesses that employ them. The rule will not increase any fees, business costs, personnel costs, will not decrease profit opportunities, and will not require any specialized knowledge to comply. This change will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Hence, the Board determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.037, 478.43(1), (4), 478.51(3), (11) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.037, 456.0635, 458.348(2), 478.43, 478.49, 478.51, 478.55 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Allen Hall, Executive Director, Board of Medicine Electrolysis Council, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # A04, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3253.

#### THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B8-51.006 Rule Governing Licensure and Inspection of Electrology Facilities.

- (1) No change.
- (2) Electrology Facility Licensure.
- (a) No change.
- (b) To obtain the license, the applicant shall provide information to the Department as required by this rule on a form provided by the Department and approved and incorporated herein by reference by the Board as Form DH-MQA 1213, entitled "State of Florida-Application for Electrolysis Facility Licensure— New Facility or New Ownership" (revised 05/2008/02/2019), which can be obtained from http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-

<u>41259</u>, or the Department at The Florida Department of Health, Electrolysis Council, Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3256. The applicant must pay a \$100 application fee, which is nonrefundable, \$100 inspection fee, \$100 licensure fee and a \$5.00 unlicensed activity fee.

- (3) through (5) No change.
- (6) Transfer of Ownership or Location of the Electrology Facility.
  - (a) No change.
- (b) An electrology facility license may be transferred from one location to another only upon approval by the Department which approval shall be granted upon compliance with all requirements set out below in subparagraphs 1. through 3. Only the licenses for electrology facilities which have passed inspection at the original location are eligible for transfer to another location. In order to begin practice at the new location, the electrology facility license holder must first perform all of the following procedures:

1. File a completed application for transfer prior to the date of the transfer on a form prescribed by the Department, and approved and incorporated herein by reference by the Board as Form DH-MQA 5018-MQA 07/2016, entitled "State of Florida Application for Transfer of Electrolysis Facility Location" (revised 05/2008/02/2019), which can be obtained from <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-</a>

<u>11260</u>, or the Department at the Florida Department of Health, Electrolysis Council, Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3256, which application must be processed by the Council office,

- 2. through 3. No change.
- (7) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 456.037, 478.43(1), (4), 478.51(3), (11) FS. Law Implemented 456.037, 456.0635, 458.348(2), 478.43, 478.49, 478.51, 478.55 FS. History–New 11-16-93, Formerly 61F6-76.006, Amended 5-11-95, 6-26-96, Formerly 59R-51.006, Amended 12-23-97, 12-22-98, 2-17-00, 3-25-01, 4-8-02, 6-16-03, 7-29-10, 6-19-13, 12-25-14, 2-16-17, 9-11-18, 12-31-19.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Medicine Electrolysis Council

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Medicine Electrolysis Council DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: June 5, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: July 27, 2020

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

#### **Board of Nursing**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B9-4.020 Autonomous Advanced Practice Registered

Nurse (APRN) Registration.

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the promulgation of the rule to provide instruction for Autonomous Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Registration.

SUMMARY: Instruction for Autonomous Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Registration will be provided.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is

required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board, based upon the expertise and experience of its members, determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 464.0123 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 464.0123 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Joe Baker, Jr., Executive Director, Board of Nursing, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C02, Tallahassee, Florida 32399; Joe.Baker@flhealth.gov.

#### THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B9-4.020 Autonomous Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN) registration

(1) Any APRN who wishes to be registered as an autonomous APRN shall submit a completed Autonomous Advanced Practice Registered Nurse registration with Financial Responsibility document, form DH-MQA 5050 (07/2020), hereby incorporated by reference and available at <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-</a> on the Board's website at www.FloridasNursing.gov. or APRN's can register via the online portal at <a href="https://mqaonline.doh.state.fl.us/datamart/voservicesportal/">https://mqaonline.doh.state.fl.us/datamart/voservicesportal/</a>.

(2) In order to renew a registration, a registered APRN shall be required to submit an updated Financial Responsibility document (as incorporated by reference above), as part of the APRN license renewal process.

<u>Rulemaking Authority 464.0123, FS. Law Implemented 464.0123, FS. History-New</u>

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Nursing

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Nursing

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: June 4, 2020

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: July 30, 2020

## Section III Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

1-1.010 Style and Form for Filing Rules;

Certification Accompanying Materials

1-1.013 Materials Incorporated by Reference

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice is hereby given that the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 45 No. 182, September 18, 2019 issue of the Florida Administrative Register has been withdrawn.

### Section IV Emergency Rules

#### **NONE**

# Section V Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule Variance or Waiver

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 13, 2020, the Public Employees Relations Commission, received a petition for variance from Rule 60CC-4.002, F.A.C., from David Elzbeck and the Union of Escambia Education Staff Professionals, FEA, NEA, AFT, AFL-CIO to allow the Union of Escambia Education Staff Professionals, FEA, NEA, AFT, AFL-CIO to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically. The petition was assigned Case No. MS-2020-051. Any interested person may submit written comments on this petition within 5 days of publication of this notice by mail Commission Clerk, Public **Employees** Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by facsimile to (850)488-9704.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by email to Barry.Dunn@perc.myflorida.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 13, 2020, the Public Employees Relations Commission, received a petition for variance from Rule 60CC-4.002, F.A.C., from Darzell Warren and the Escambia Education Association to allow the Escambia Education Association to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically. The petition was assigned Case No. MS-2020-052. Any interested person may submit written comments on this petition within 5 days of publication of this notice by mail to Commission Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by facsimile to (850)488-9704.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by email to Barry.Dunn@perc.myflorida.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 13, 2020, the Public Employees Relations Commission, received a petition for variance from Rule 60CC-4.002, F.A.C., from Dawn Bergeron and the United Faculty of Florida to allow the United Faculty of Florida to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically. The petition was assigned Case No. MS-2020-053. Any interested person may submit written comments on this petition within 5 days of publication of this notice by mail to Commission Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by facsimile to (850)488-9704.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by email to Barry.Dunn@perc.myflorida.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 13, 2020, the Public Employees Relations Commission, received a petition for variance from Rule 60CC-4.002, F.A.C., from Andrea Thompson and Monroe County Professional Firefighters, Local

3909, IAFF to allow Monroe County Professional Firefighters, Local 3909, IAFF to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically. The petition was assigned Case No. MS-2020-054. Any interested person may submit written comments on this petition within 5 days of publication of this notice by mail to Commission Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by facsimile to (850)488-9704.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by email to Barry.Dunn@perc.myflorida.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Substance Abuse Program RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

65D-30.0036Licensure Application and Renewal

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 12, 2020, the Department of Children and Families, received a petition for Families received a petition for emergency waiver of paragraph 65D-30.0036(1)(c), Florida Administrative Code, from Transitions Recovery, assigned Case No. 20-019W. Paragraph 65D-30.0036(1)(c), Florida Administrative Code, requires a copy of the provider's valid occupational license/business tax receipt, and zoning be included in all applications for licensure. A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Department of Children and Families, 1317 Winewood Blvd., Bldg. 2, Room 204, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0700.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 64B3-5.002 Supervisor

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on June 17, 2020, the Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel, received a petition for variance and waiver submitted by Grace Kim. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of Rule 64B3-5.002, F.A.C., which sets forth the education, training/experience and examination requirements for licensure as a supervisor. Comments on the petition should be filed with the Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257, telephone: (850)488-0595, or by electronic mail — Anthony.Spivey@flhealth.gov, within 14 days of publication of this notice.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Anthony B. Spivey, Executive Director, Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel, at the above address.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Securities

The Florida Office of Financial Regulation hereby gives notice: On 8/13/2020, the Florida Office of Financial Regulation issued a Final Order Denying Petition for Waiver of Rule 69W-600.0024, Florida Administrative Code, dated May 19, 2020, filed by Stephen Smithson. The Office determined that Petitioner has not demonstrated that the purpose of the underlying statute, section 517.12, Florida Statutes, implemented by the rule requirement to have timely passed the Series 66 examination, has been satisfied as to Petitioner's qualifications and knowledge. The Office determined that the facts alleged in the Petition do not demonstrate a substantial hardship to Petitioner. The Office determined that Petitioner is required to retake the Series 66 exam because he is not affected in a manner significantly different from the way it affects other similarly situated persons. \*\*\*The original petition was published May 21, 2020 in the Florida Administrative Register Volume 46, Number 100.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850) 410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.com.

### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Securities

The Florida Office of Financial Regulation hereby gives notice: On August 14, 2020, the Florida Office of Financial Regulation issued a Final Order Denying Petition for Waiver of Rule 69W-600.0024, Florida Administrative Code, dated May 20, 2020, filed by Kirk Padilla. The Office finds that Petitioner has failed to adequately demonstrate that the purpose of section 517.12, Florida Statutes, will be or has been achieved by other means by Petitioner and that application of the exam requirements of paragraph 69W-600.0024(6)(b), Florida Administrative Code, as to Petitioner, would create a substantial hardship or would violate principles of fairness. \*\*\*The original petition was published May 26, 2020 in the Florida Administrative Register Volume 46, Number 102.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.com.

### Section VI Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Cultural Affairs

The Florida Division of Cultural Affairs announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 17, 2020, 9:00 a.m. until conclusion

PLACE: This meeting will be held via webinar and teleconference. Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone. https://www.gotomeet.me/CultureBuildsFL/dance-gps-levels-2--3-panel-meeting

You can also dial in using your phone. United States: (312)757-3121, Access Code: 681-017-149

Join from a video-conferencing room or system. Dial in or type: 67.217.95.2 or inroomlink.goto.com, Meeting ID: 681 017 149 or dial directly: 681017149@67.217.95.2 or 67.217.95.2##681017149

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To review and score grant applications for the 2021-2022 Dance Level 2 and 3 General Program Support grant programs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Division of Cultural Affairs at (850)245-6470 or by visiting our website: www.florida-arts.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rachelle Ashmore, (850)245-6490, rachelle.ashmore@dos.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Michelle Smith Grindberg, (850)245-6475, michelle.smithgrindberg@dos.myflorida.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AFFAIRS

Florida Elections Commission

The Florida Elections Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: The Florida Elections Commission announces a virtual meeting by remote video or teleconference to which all persons are invited to the public session. Portions of the 2-day meeting will be confidential and closed to the public. August 25, 2020, 8:30 a.m. until adjourned; August 26, 2020, 8:30 a.m. until adjourned

PLACE: On August 25, 2020: Public Call to Order, dial 1(866)901-6455 and enter Audio Access Code 515462864 Confidential portion ZOOM Meeting

On August 26, 2020: Public Session webinar and teleconference participation instructions

A. GoToWebinar – Remote Video Conferencing

- 1. Open your web browser and search GoToWebinar or enter www.gotowebinar.com.
- 2. Select "Join A Webinar" in the upper right corner of the website.
- 3. Enter the 9-digit Webinar ID: 602468659 and your email address.
- 4. Enter your name and email address and click "Register".
- 5. You will automatically join the meeting as an attendee. Attendees are muted; however, they can choose whether to appear by webcam.
- B. OpenVoice Teleconference
- 1. Dial 1(866)901-6455.
- 2. Enter Audio Access Code 515462864.
- 3. You will automatically join the meeting as an attendee. Attendees are muted.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: On August 25, 2020: Review and adjudication of cases relating to alleged violations of Chapters 104 and 106, Florida Statutes. Following the public call to order, this portion of the 2-day meeting is confidential and closed to the public.

On August 26, 2020: Review and adjudication of cases relating to violations of Chapters 104 and 106, Florida Statutes. This portion of the 2-day meeting is open to the public.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Commission Clerk at (850)922-4539, by email: FEC@myfloridalegal.com or write to: 107 West Gaines Street, Suite 224, Collins Building, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050, or by viewing the Commission's website: www.fec.state.fl.us.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The Commission Clerk at (850)922-4539 or by email: FEC@myfloridalegal.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

For more information, you may contact: The Commission Clerk at (850)922-4539 or by email: FEC@myfloridalegal.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

The Blind Services Foundation and The Division of Blind Services announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 27, 2020, 3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Teleconference Phone: 1(888)585-9008, Conference

Room#: 319 035 377

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Blind Services Foundation Website

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Division of Blind Services, 325 West Gaines Street, Turlington Bldg., Room 1114, Tallahassee, FL 32399, Phone: (850)245-0329, Email: Selena.Sickler@dbs.fldoe.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The Division of Blind Services, 325 West Gaines Street, Turlington Bldg., Room 1114, Tallahassee, FL 32399, Phone: (850)245-0329, Email: Selena.Sickler@dbs.fldoe.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: The Division of Blind Services, 325 West Gaines Street, Turlington Bldg., Room 1114, Tallahassee, FL 32399, Phone: (850)245-0329, Email: Selena.Sickler@dbs.fldoe.org.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, August 25, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: See Meeting Notice

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will conduct a meeting of the Florida Multi-use Corridors of Regional Economic Significance (M-CORES) Task Force for the Southwest Central Florida Connector extending from Collier County to Polk County, on Tuesday, August 25, 2020, 9:00 a.m. The agenda of this meeting will include:

- Discuss how Task Force recommendations will be used to identify and narrow paths/courses
- Provide update on recommendations framework and work plan
- Establish initial consensus on Guiding Principles
- Discuss draft Instructions for project development and beyond
- Review draft Task Force report sections with focus on High-Level Needs
- Receive public comment

There will be two different ways to participate in this meeting: on-line (virtually) using GoToWebinar and in-person. Registration for the public to participate online is available at www.FloridaMCORES.com/events-calendar by clicking on the date of the meeting.

In addition, two in-person locations will be available for public viewing for those who wish to participate in person. These viewing locations are: Charlotte Harbor Event and Conference Center, 75 Taylor St, Punta Gorda, FL 33950

Bert Harris Agricultural Center Auditorium, 4509 George Boulevard, Sebring, FL 33870

Members of the public wishing to provide live comments may sign up to do so through the GoToWebinar format no later than 4:00 p.m., the day of the meeting or by completing a speaker card at either of the in-person viewing locations. Public comments will be taken at 5:00 p.m. through GoToWebinar and subsequently from the physical locations. Public comments will be limited to three minutes per person whether given as part of the online format or at one of the in-person locations. Comments also may be submitted anytime FDOT.Listens@dot.state.fl.us. All comments will be part of the public record.

Public engagement is a critical element of the M-CORES program. Both in-person and online (virtual) options are now offered for all M-CORES events and meetings. As safety remains FDOT's top priority, enhanced safety measures will continue to be taken at all in-person M-CORES events, including:

- Using CDC-recommended products to sanitize high-touch areas before, during and after the event
- Requiring all FDOT and consultant staff to wear masks
- Requesting that all attendees wear masks
- Providing hand sanitizer and masks for attendees
- Limiting the number of people in a room at one time to 50
- Utilizing signage and other tools to facilitate social distancing
- Implementing the use of single use sign-in materials and speaker cards

In addition, FDOT encourages those who are unable to attend an in-person event or participate virtually to submit their feedback via email to FDOT.Listens@dot.state.fl.us, online at FloridaMCORES.com, or by mail to 605 Suwannee St, MS 54, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0450.

The Florida Department of Transportation may adopt the result of this planning effort into the environmental review process, pursuant to Title 23 U.S.C. § 168(4)(d) for the state project development process.

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. People who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Marlon Bizerra at

Marlon.Bizerra@dot.state.fl.us or 1(863)519-2250. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Marlon Bizerra at Marlon.Bizerra@dot.state.fl.us or 1(863)519-2250. For more information, you may contact: www.FloridaMCORES.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, August 26, 2020, 9:00 a.m. PLACE: See Meeting Notice

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will conduct a meeting of the Florida Multi-use Corridors of Regional Economic Significance (M-CORES) Task Force for the Northern Turnpike Connector, which extends from the northern terminus of the Florida Turnpike northwest to the Suncoast Parkway on Wednesday, August 26, 2020, 9:00 a.m. The agenda of this meeting will include:

- Discuss how Task Force recommendations will be used to identify and narrow paths/courses
- Provide update on recommendations framework and work plan
- Establish initial consensus on Guiding Principles
- Discuss draft Instructions for project development and beyond
- Review draft Task Force report sections with focus on High-Level Needs
- Receive public comment

There will be two different ways to participate in this meeting: on-line (virtually) using GoToWebinar and in person. Registration for the public to participate online is available at www.FloridaMCORES.com/events-calendar by clicking on the date of the meeting.

In addition, two physical locations will be available for public viewing for those who wish to participate in person. These viewing locations are: Plantation on Crystal River, 9301 West Fort Island Trail, Crystal River, FL 34429

Sumter County Fairgrounds, 7620 State Road 471, Bushnell, FL 33513

Members of the public wishing to provide live comments may do so by signing in through the GoToWebinar format no later than 4:00 p.m., the day of the meeting or by completing a speaker card at either of the in-person viewing locations. Public comments will be taken at 5:00 p.m. through GoToWebinar and subsequently from the physical locations. Public comments will be limited to three minutes per person whether given as part of the online format or at one of the in-person locations. Comments also may be submitted anytime to

FDOT.Listens@dot.state.fl.us. All comments will be part of the public record.

Public engagement is a critical element of the M-CORES program. Both in-person and online (virtual) options are now offered for all M-CORES events and meetings. As safety remains FDOT's top priority, enhanced safety measures will continue to be taken at all in-person M-CORES events, including:

- Using CDC-recommended products to sanitize high-touch areas before, during and after the event
- Requiring all FDOT and consultant staff to wear masks
- Requesting that all attendees wear masks
- Providing hand sanitizer and masks for attendees
- Limiting the number of people in a room at one time to 50
- Utilizing signage and other tools to facilitate social distancing
- Implementing the use of single use sign-in materials and speaker cards

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The Florida Department of Transportation may adopt the result of this planning effort into the environmental review process, pursuant to Title 23 U.S.C. § 168(4)(d) for the state project development process.

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A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jennifer Stults at Jennifer.Stults@dot.state.fl.us, or (407)264-3808.

For more information, you may contact: www.FloridaMCORES.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, August 27, 2020, 9:00 a.m. PLACE: See Meeting Notice

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will conduct a meeting of the Florida Multi-use Corridors of Regional Economic Significance (M-CORES) Task Force for the Suncoast Connector extending from Citrus County to Jefferson

County, on Thursday, August 27, 2020, 9:00 a.m. The agenda of this meeting will include:

- Discuss how Task Force recommendations will be used to identify and narrow paths/courses
- Provide update on recommendations framework and work plan
- Establish initial consensus on Guiding Principles
- Discuss draft Instructions for project development and beyond
- Review draft Task Force report sections with focus on High-Level Needs
- Receive public comment

There will be two different ways to participate in this meeting: on-line (virtually) using GoToWebinar, and in person. Registration for the public to participate online is available at www.FloridaMCORES.com/events-calendar by clicking on the date of the meeting.

In addition, two physical locations will be available for public viewing for those who wish to participate in person. These viewing locations are: Plantation on Crystal River, Sable Room, 9301 West Fort Island Trail, Crystal River, FL 34429

Dixie County Adult Education Center, School Board Meeting Room, 823 SE 349 Hwy, Old Town, FL 32680

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- Requiring all FDOT and consultant staff to wear masks
- Requesting that all attendees wear masks
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- Limiting the number of people in a room at one time to 50
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A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ryan Asmus at ryan.asmus@dot.state.fl.us or (386)961-7443

For more information, you may contact: www.FloridaMCORES.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Florida Seaport Transportation and Economic Development Council

The Florida Seaport Transportation Economic Development (FSTED) Council announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, September 2, 2020, 1:30 p.m. -4:30 p.m.

PLACE: https://zoom.us/j/6540239803, Meeting ID: 654 023 9803, (646)558-8656

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Casey Grigsby in the Florida Ports Council offices at (850)222-8028 or email at casey.grigsby@flaports.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Casey Grigsby in the Florida Ports Council offices at (850)222-8028 or email at casey.grigsby@flaports.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Florida Seaport Transportation and Economic Development Council

The Florida Seaport Transportation Economic Development (FSTED) Council Seaport Environmental Management Committee announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 1, 2020, 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

PLACE: https://zoom.us/j/6540239803, Meeting ID: 654 023 9803, (646)558-8656

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Casey Grigsby in the Florida Ports Council offices at (850)222-8028 or email at casey.grigsby@flaports.org.

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#### WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Suwannee River Water Management District

The Suwannee River Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, August 27, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: District Headquarters, 9225 CR 49, Live Oak, FL 32060 (District personnel only as currently District offices are closed to the public due to the COVID-19 pandemic). Members of the public may listen and provide comments via phone at 1(888)585-9008 and entering conference room code 704-019-452.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Audit Committee Meeting and Supplemental Governing Board Meeting. Consideration of Suwannee River Water Management District business. SRWMD offices are currently closed to the public due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Anyone who wishes to provide public input will be able to do so by calling toll-free at 1(888)585-9008 and entering conference room number of 704-019-452. Additional instructions regarding viewing of and participation in the meeting will be available on the District's website at www.mysuwanneeriver.com or by calling (386)362-1001 or 1(800)226-1066 (Florida only).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Robin Lamm at (386)362-1001 or 1(800)226-1066 (Florida only) or on the District's website at www.mysuwanneeriver.com., when published.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: (386)362-1001 or 1(800)226-1066 (Florida only). If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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#### WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

The South Florida Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, August 27, 2020, 10:00 a.m., Water Resources Accountability and Collaboration Public Forum Group

PLACE: This workshop will be conducted via Zoom, a media technology free for the public to use. A link will be provided on the District's website at www.SFWMD.gov/meetings.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: A Public Forum of the Water Resources Accountability and Collaboration (WRAC) regarding high water levels in the Central Everglades (Water Conservation Areas). The Central Everglades are an integral part of restoring the Greater Everglades Ecosystem. Flood protection and water management have altered the historic flow of water, resulting in billions of gallons of water being lost to tide. Various infrastructure projects and operational changes in the Central Everglades by the South Florida Water Management District are helping to send more beneficial flows into Everglades National Park. However, current high-water levels in the

Central Everglades have reduced habitat and led the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) to close the areas for the protection of wildlife. Also, current high-water levels in the Central Everglades restrict water deliveries from Lake Okeechobee.

Presenters will provide an overview of considerations for sending water south from the Central Everglades and into Everglades National Park.

The public and stakeholders will have an opportunity to view and comment on the meeting by utilizing the following link: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_-qA-

LmGqRoG62jCD1rUOyg.

This link can also be found on the District's website at www.SFWMD.gov/meetings, and will go live at approximately 10:00 a.m. on August 27, 2020.

All of this public forum will be conducted via media technology.

The public is advised that it is possible that one or more members of the Governing Board of the South Florida Water Management District may attend and participate in this public forum. No Governing Board action will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Yvette Bonilla at ybonilla@sfwmd.gov, or at https://www.sfwmd.gov/news-events/meetings, seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rosie Byrd, District Clerk, at rbyrd@sfwmd.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Yvette Bonilla at ybonilla@sfwmd.gov.

#### WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

The South Florida Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, August 27, 2020, 1:30 p.m. Big Cypress Basin Board Meeting

PLACE: This meeting will be conducted via Zoom, a media technology free for the public to use. A link will be provided on the District's website at www.SFWMD.gov/meetings.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a public meeting of the Big Cypress Basin Board to discuss and consider activities impacting the Big Cypress Basin of the South Florida Water Management District.

The public and stakeholders will have an opportunity to view and comment on the meeting by utilizing the following link: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_enSe1XBnTK6wmhPW l4ADXQ

This link can also be found on the District's website at www.SFWMD.gov/meetings and will go live at approximately 1:30 p.m. on August 27, 2020.

All of this meeting will be conducted via media technology.

The Big Cypress Basin Board may take official action at the meeting on any item appearing on the agenda and on any item that is added to the agenda as a result of a change to the agenda approved by the presiding officer of the meeting pursuant to Section 120.525, Florida Statutes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Lisa Koehler at lkoehler@sfwmd.gov.

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For more information, you may contact: Lisa Koehler at lkoehler@sfwmd.gov.

#### DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS

The Florida Veterans' Hall of Fame Council announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 25, 2020, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: 212 Knott Building, 404 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Teleconference Dial-In number: 1(888)585-9008, Participant Passcode: 241532588

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Election of new Chair and 2020 nominee selection

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jeff Obos, (850)487-1533, Ext. 7712.

For more information, you may contact: Jeff Obos, (850)487-1533, Ext. 7712.

## AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Medicaid

The Medicaid Drug Utilization Review Board announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 17, 2020, 1:30 p.m. -4:30 p.m.

PLACE: Please use the link info to connect and follow this meeting:

https://magellanhealth.zoom.us/j/95611394921?pwd=Q3pjVm9GOFJuREZsdk5KRzRFZkVldz09

Or iPhone one-tap (US Toll): (312)626-6799, 95611394921# or (646)558-8656, 95611394921#

Or Telephone: Dial: (312)626-6799, (US Toll) or (646)558-8656 (US Toll), Webinar ID: 956 1139 4921

International numbers available:

https://magellanhealth.zoom.us/u/aQljZ5ekg.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This meeting involves review and approval of drug use criteria and standards for both prospective and retrospective drug use reviews; application of criteria and standards in the DUR activities; review and report results of drug use reviews; recommend and evaluate educational intervention programs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Vern.Hamilton@ahca.myflorida.com.

## AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Medicaid

The Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited. DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 18, 2020, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

PLACE: Join by zoom meeting link at: https://magellanhealth.zoom.us/j/94111467435?pwd=N3B0K0 UyZEkvVXR0akdubHB2QU5HZz09 Or iPhone one-tap (US Toll): (312)626-6799, 94111467435# or (646)558-8656, 94111467435# Or Telephone: Dial: (312)626-6799, (US Toll) or (646)55808656, (US Toll) Webinar ID: 941 1146 7435 International numbers available: https://magellanhealth.zoom.us/u/aOfxj3P8N

The Executive Session follows the speaker's portion and is closed to the public. Open session will resume at approximately 10:30 a.m. Use the same zoom link to rejoin the meeting.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Recommendations for inclusion or exclusion from the preferred drug list are made at this meeting. Members of the public who wish to testify at this meeting must contact Vern Hamilton at: Vern.Hamilton@ahca.myflorida.com.

The number of speakers is limited and selection is made by a lottery system. All interested parties must submit details on their speaker to Mr. Hamilton no later than September 4th to be considered for selection. Because of unforeseen events that may cause changes, please monitor the website at: http://www.ahca.myflorida.com/Medicaid/Prescribed\_Drug/m eetings.shtml

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Vern.Hamilton@ahca.myflorida.com.

#### DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

The Florida E911 Board announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 14, 2020, 9:00 a.m.; October 15, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Teleconference number: 1(877)309-2073, Conference room: 931-659-037

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General, Fall Rural County Grants, Annual Report

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Leon Simmonds, (850)921-0041.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Leon Simmonds, (850)921-0041. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: Leon Simmonds, (850)921-0041.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

The Board of Accountancy announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 9, 2020, 1:30 p.m. ET

https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/660903253, You can also dial in using your phone. United States (Toll Free): 1(866)899-4679, United States: (571)317-3116, Access Code: 660-903-253

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Rules Committee will meet to discuss possible rule changes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: June Carroll, (352)333-2505.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: June Carroll, (352)333-2505. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida

Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: June Carroll, (352)333-2505.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

**Board of Optometry** 

The Department of Health announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 24, 2020, 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/551175941 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: 46/159 CORRECTION OF TIME: THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD AT 3:00 p.m.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: https://floridasoptometry.gov/.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: Anthony.Spivey@flhealth.gov.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Children's Medical Services

The Child Abuse Death Review Circuit 14 Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 25, 2020, 9:00 a.m. CT

PLACE: Florida Department of Health in Bay County, 597 W. 11th Street, Panama City, FL 32401

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Committee will address administrative issues, review cases, and discuss the CADR Action Plan. A portion of the meeting is required by paragraph 383.412(3)(a), F.S. to be closed to the public to allow the Committee to discuss information that is confidential and exempt from public meetings and public records. This portion of the meeting will be announced at the meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Christi Bazemore: Christi.Bazemore@flhealth.gov.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Christi Bazemore: Christi.Bazemore@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Christi Bazemore: Christi.Bazemore@flhealth.gov.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Office of Statewide Research

The Department of Health announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 2, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Call, tel. 1(888)585-9008, room 852 642 835

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct review of new research studies involving human participants, modifications to existing studies, and continuing review of ongoing research to make sure research studies comply with regulations and the Department's ethical standards.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Florida Dept. of Health IRB at IRB@flhealth.gov.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The Florida Dept. of Health IRB at IRB@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: The Florida Dept. of Health IRB at IRB@flhealth.gov.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Health Access and Tobacco

The Division of Health Community Health Promotion, Bureau of Tobacco Free Florida announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 27, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/730782725

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a meeting of an Advisory Council required by Florida Statute 381.84. The council meets four times per year to provide advice to the Department of Health relating to the Comprehensive Tobacco Education and Use Prevention Program. The meetings will provide evaluation information and reports about the

Tobacco Education and Use Prevention Program and each of the program's major components including media, the cessation quitline, and community programs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Tera Anderson, (850)617-1945, tera.anderson@flhealth.gov.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 72 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Tera Anderson, (850)617-1945, tera.anderson@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: Tera Anderson, (850)617-1945, tera.anderson@flhealth.gov.

#### FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Thursday, September 3, 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. ET; Friday, September 4, 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. ET; Tuesday, September 15, 12:00 Noon – 1:30 p.m. ET

PLACE: Information on joining the webinar will be available at <a href="https://myfwc.com/wildlifehabitats/wildlife/species-guidelines">https://myfwc.com/wildlifehabitats/wildlife/species-guidelines</a>. Participation in the webinar will require access to the internet.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Commission will present draft Species Conservation Measures and Permitting Guidelines for the Southeastern American kestrel, a State-Threatened species included in Florida's Imperiled Species Management Plan. These guidelines outline biological background, recommended survey methodology, and voluntary conservation practices designed to improve conditions for these species. The guidelines also include options for avoidance, minimization, and mitigation, along with information on the permitting process. The webinars will provide the public an opportunity to provide feedback and offer suggestions on the proposed guidelines. Comments may also be sent to Imperiled@MyFWC.com.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Imperiled@MyFWC.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the

agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: the ADA Coordinator at (850)488-6411. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Kelly O'Connor, Imperiled Species Stakeholder Coordinator at Kelly.Oconnor@MyFWC.com or by calling (850)488-3831.

#### DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

The Department of Military Affairs announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 21, 2020 meeting has been \*canceled\*

PLACE: canceled

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Cancellation:

The Armory Board Meeting scheduled for 21 August 2020 will be rescheduled at a later date.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: NA For more information, you may contact: Susan Spooner (904)823-0201.

#### DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

The Department of Economic Opportunity announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 17, 2020, 3:00 p.m. ET. The Department of Economic Opportunity announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

Bids are requested from qualified licensed contractors by the State of Florida, Department of Economic Opportunity, for the project referenced below:

BID NUMBER: 20-ITB-004-SS

Project Number: 143019

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION AND SUBMISSION REQUIREMENT YOU MUST GO TO THE MYFLORIDA.COM VENDOR BID SYSTEM AT http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main\_menu

PROJECT NAME & LOCATION: Caldwell Building Partial Reroof

STATEMENT OF WORK: For all labor, warranties, supervision, associated hardware and materials, required permits, and equipment necessary to remove and replace the partial roofing system and penthouse roofing system of the Caldwell Building as specified in accordance with the Project Manual.

PLACE: Caldwell Building, 107 East Madison Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0905.

THE REPLY OPENING WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC VIA CONFERENCE CALL ONLY.

CONFERENCE CALL NUMBER: 1(888)545-9008, CONFERENCE ROOM: 952-708-564

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: MANDATORY PRE-BID SITE VISIT DATE: August 25, 2020, 9:00 a.m. ET. Please also see information included in the Invitation to Bid document in Section B.7.

BID OPENING DATE: September 17, 2020, 3:00 p.m. ET. Please also see information included in the Invitation to Bid document in Section B.11.

Any Addenda or clarifications to this solicitation will be posted on the Florida Vendor Bid System (VBS) at this link: http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main\_menu.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Winston McGriff at (850)245-7467,

Winston.McGriff@deo.myflorida.com, or Vince McKenzie at (850)245-7463, Vincent.Mckenzie@deo.myflorida.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Winston McGriff at (850)245-7467, Winston.McGriff@deo.myflorida.com or Vince McKenzie at (850)245-7463, Vincent.Mckenzie@deo.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

## FLORIDA ATLANTIC RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

The Research Park at Florida Atlantic University announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 26, 2020, 8:00 a.m.

PLACE: Zoom Meeting, Meeting ID 962 644 9236, Password FARDA

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Authority Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: jwales@research-park.org.

#### MOFFITT CANCER CENTER & RESEARCH INSTITUTE

The H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center & Research Institute announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited. DATE AND TIME: August 24, 2020, 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Moffitt Cancer Center, Clinical Support Building, 8112 Conference Room.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the general business of the Joint Finance & Planning Committee.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathy McKinley, Administration, Moffitt Cancer Center, 12902 Magnolia Drive, CSB-ADM, Tampa, FL 33612.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 24 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

# Section VII Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Finance

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Office of Financial Regulation has received the petition for declaratory statement from Advisors Choice Lending, Inc. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Chapter 494, Florida Statutes, as it applies to the petitioner.

On 8/13/2020, the Florida Office of Financial Regulation (Consumer Finance) received a Petition for Declaratory Statement from Advisors Choice Lending, Inc. The petition seeks a declaratory statement from the Office whether Chapter 494, Florida Statutes permits a licensed mortgage lender to pay a referral fee to an Exempt Person who is not licensed as a loan originator, mortgage broker or mortgage lender.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.com.

Please refer all comments to: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850) 410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.com.

# Section VIII Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

#### **NONE**

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

#### NONE

# Section IX Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

#### **NONE**

# Section X Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

#### **NONE**

### Section XI Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing

#### REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

Northeast Florida Regional Planning Council

Florida Behavioral Study

The Northeast Florida Regional Council is issuing a Request for Proposal (RFP) for a contractor(s) to complete a Florida Behavioral Study to support updates to the Statewide Regional Evacuation Study Program (SRESP). Specifics are more fully detailed in the RFP located on the webpage http://www.nefrc.org.

Respondents are required to submit a complete response to the RFP using the format provided in the submittal instructions. Each response must include two (2) hard copies and one (1) digital copy. All materials submitted become the property of the Northeast Florida Regional Council.

Questions should be submitted via email, addressed to DStarling@nefrc.org. All questions received by 5:00 p.m. on August 24, 2020 will be answered and posted on the webpage http://www.nefrc.org. No questions received after that date and time will be answered. Respondents may not contact any member or staff of the Northeast Florida Regional Council, in any format, regarding this RFP from the date of advertisement until after the announcement of award. Violation of this requirement will be grounds for rejecting a response.

Response submission deadline is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time Zone, September 11, 2020. Responses received after this date and time WILL NOT be considered.

Faxed and emailed responses to this RFP WILL NOT be accepted. Responses received after the deadline will be returned, unopened, with the notation "This RFP Response was received after the delivery time designated for receipt and opening in the legal notice."

## Section XII Miscellaneous

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Index of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State Pursuant to subparagraph 120.55(1)(b)6. - 7., F.S., the below list of rules were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State between 3:00 p.m., Monday, August 10, 2020 and 3:00 p.m., Friday, August 14, 2020.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective
		Date
53ER20-66	8/13/2020	8/13/2020
53ER20-67	8/13/2020	8/13/2020
53ER20-68	8/13/2020	8/13/2020
53ER20-69	8/13/2020	8/13/2020
64B7-26.0035	8/11/2020	8/31/2020
64B7-32.001	8/11/2020	8/31/2020
64B7-32.003	8/11/2020	8/31/2020
64B11-4.001	8/13/2020	9/2/2020
64B11-5.001	8/11/2020	8/31/2020
64B15-16.002	8/10/2020	8/30/2020
64C-7.002	8/10/2020	8/30/2020

#### LIST OF RULES AWAITING EPA APPROVAL PURSUANT TO SECTION 373.4146 (2), FLORIDA STATUTES

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
62-330.010	7/21/2020	**/**/***
62-330.050	6/26/2020	**/**/***
62-330.060	6/26/2020	**/**/***
62-330.090	6/26/2020	**/**/***
62-330.201	6/26/2020	**/**/***
62-330.340	6/26/2020	**/**/***

62-330.402	6/26/2020	**/**/***
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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Food, Nutrition and Wellness

Child Nutrition Program State Waiver Request

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- 2. Region: Southeast
- 3. Eligible service providers participating in waiver and affirmation that they are in good standing:

FDACS requests this waiver for all county school districts in good standing with FDACS.

4. Description of the challenge the State agency is seeking to

solve, the goal of the waiver to improve services under the

Program, and the expected outcomes if the waiver is granted. [Section 12(1)(2)(A)(iii) and 12(1)(2)(A)(iv) of the NSLA]: On July 6, 2020, the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) provided guidance to school districts through an Emergency Order - 2020-EO-06: Further Guidance for Closing Achievement Gaps and Creating Safe Spaces for Learning. FDOE took steps to ensure that Florida schools will be open while also providing equally as pivotal flexibilities that directly prioritize health and safety and benefit families, school districts and schools. This order also gave districts the financial security and confidence to secure a seat for a student that may decide to begin the school year in a non-traditional setting, be it virtual or one of the many innovative ways Florida districts are providing education, and later return to the classroom. The order combined with the FDOE's Recommendations to Reopen Florida's Schools and the Cares Act Plan are designed to work together to ensure each and every student in Florida can continue to receive a world class education, give parents a choice in their students education, and prioritize safety.

These additional flexibilities also created pathways for school districts to craft their own locally conceived plans that work best for the communities they serve, while ensuring school districts receive the guidance and security they need to comply with numerous state and federal laws to ensure every student, including those with medical vulnerabilities, English Language Learners and students with disabilities.

Each district created plans that prioritize the safety and security of students and educators and ensure all Florida students can continue to receive a world-class education. These plans, which were due to FDOE by July 31, 2020, include options for parents/guardians that include enrolling their children in virtual schools and home education programs in addition to in-person classroom instruction.

The majority of the school districts have developed an average of three different instructional delivery models for its students to accommodate their learning and health needs. In the 2017-2018 School Year Florida virtual schools had 168,807 students. The number has increased in the 2020-2021 SY. Once school district had more than 14,700 students have selected to receive instruction via county Virtual School over distance learning through the NSLP school. The same district had more than 1,000 students have selected to receive instruction via home schooling in their district.

Many parents/guardians, when making decisions regarding the educational choices available for their children for SY 20-21, were not aware of the distinctions between remote learning and virtual schools and did not realize that choosing the virtual school or home education option for their children would result in their inability to receive meals through the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs, and believe that this policy is unfavorable given the choices that they were given by their school districts to protect their children as schools reopen under COVID-19 conditions.

Based upon the concerns expressed, FDACS requests a waiver of the definition of "school" during SY 2020-2021 for the state to allow for the service of school meals to students that will not be enrolled in an educational unit operating in a single building or complex of buildings during SY 2020-2021 due to COVID-19 conditions. This would allow students who were participants of the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs in an enrolled school during SY 2019-2020, or who would have attended an eligible school during SY 2020-2021, to continue to receive program meals while participating in a virtual school or a home education program while COVID-19 conditions persist.

The Florida Department of Health confirmed on Wednesday, August 12, 2020, an additional 8,109 cases of COVID-19, making the state's known total 550,901 confirmed cases. An additional 212 Florida resident deaths also brought the statewide resident death toll to 8,765. One new non-resident death was also confirmed, bringing the non-resident death toll to 133.

5. Specific Program requirements to be waived (include statutory and regulatory citations). [Section 12(l)(2)(A)(i) of the NSLA]:

§210.2 Definitions. School - (a) An educational unit of high school grade or under, recognized as part of the educational system in the State and operating under public or nonprofit private ownership in a single building or complex of buildings; (b) any public or nonprofit private classes of preprimary grade when they are conducted in the aforementioned schools; or (c) any public or nonprofit private residential child care institution, or distinct part of such institution, which operates principally for the care of children, and, if private, is licensed to provide residential child care services under the appropriate licensing code by the State or a subordinate level of government, except for residential summer camps which participate in the Summer Food Service Program for Children, Job Corps centers funded by the Department of Labor, and private foster homes. The term "residential child care institutions" includes, but is not limited to: homes for the mentally, emotionally or physically impaired, and unmarried mothers and their infants; group homes; halfway houses; orphanages; temporary shelters for abused children and for runaway children; long-term care facilities for chronically ill children; and juvenile detention centers. A long-term care facility is a hospital, skilled nursing facility, intermediate care facility, or distinct part thereof, which is intended for the care of children confined for 30 days or more.

6. Detailed description of alternative procedures and anticipated impact on Program operations, including technology, State systems, and monitoring:

Parents/guardians electing to participate in this waiver, if approved, would be required to submit a household income eligibility application to a public school SFA in the student's assigned school attendance area, or the public school SFA the student spent the prior school year in attendance at, to enroll their child in the school for the purposes of the school nutrition programs.

The public school SFAs would be responsible for categorizing or identifying these students in their student data systems in a manner that does not skew the free and reduced-price meal data for SY 2020-2021 and, in turn, adversely impact related nutrition and education programs that rely upon meal data for the issuance of program benefits.

FDCAS would be responsible in approving the virtual schools in the state NSLP application system and adding the virtual schools to the statewide direct certification system.

7. Description of any steps the State has taken to address regulatory barriers at the State level. [Section 12(l)(2)(A)(ii) of the NSLA]:

FDACS continues to provide SFAs with guidance on the current regulatory requirements of the National School Lunch

and Breakfast Programs, under which virtual schools and home education programs are not eligible to participate.

8. Anticipated challenges State or eligible service providers may face with the waiver implementation:

SFAs may encounter challenges with adapting their information systems to identify and maintain separate eligibility data for students not enrolled in a brick and mortar school, but participating in the school meal programs through the implementation of this waiver.

FDACS may encounter challenges when completing the School Meals Administrative Reviews as the virtual school become part of the SFA review.

9. Description of how the waiver will not increase the overall cost of the Program to the Federal Government. If there are anticipated increases, confirm that the costs will be paid from non-Federal funds. [Section 12(l)(1)(A)(iii) of the NSLA]:

The waiver will not increase overall costs of the program to the Federal government as average daily participation in the school nutrition programs during the pandemic have been drastically less than normal school nutrition program participation.

- 10. Anticipated waiver implementation date and time period: Upon approval through June 30, 2021
- 11. Proposed monitoring and review procedures:

FDACS will track and provide oversight to all NSLP/SBP/ASP school district sponsors who are approved to operate virtual schools. FDACS will collect district SFA implementation plans from district electing to participate in the waiver. Implementation plan shall include how the district will monitor the virtual schools for compliance of the regulations and to ensure the virtual school eligibility data is does not get combined or distort the brick and mortar NSLP school's data.

12. Proposed reporting requirements (include type of data and due date(s) to FNS):

FDACS will report the following data points once after the school year or once the health emergency has passed whichever occurs first.

- · A description of the impact the waiver had on meal service operations.
- The number of sponsors and sites that used the waiver
- · The number of meals provided at the schools
- · A summary of findings associated with the waiver

# Section XIII Index to Rules Filed During Preceding Week

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