

Section I
**Notice of Development of Proposed Rules
 and Negotiated Rulemaking**

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: **RULE TITLE:**

40D-8.624 Guidance and Minimum Levels for Lakes

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose is to amend Rule 40D-8.624 F.A.C., to adopt revised minimum and guidance levels for Lake Marion, located in Levy County.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Revise guidance and minimum levels for Lake Marion pursuant to Section 373.042, F.S.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 373.044, 373.113, 373.171 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 373.036, 373.042, 373.0421, 373.086, 373.709 FS.

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: SWFWMD Human Resources Office, (352)796-7211, ext. 4706; 1(800)423-1476 (FL only), ext. 4706 or email to ADACoordinator@swfwmd.state.fl.us. 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: Mark Hurst, Senior Environmental Scientist, SWFWMD, 2379 Broad Street, Brooksville, FL 34604, (352)796-7211, ext. 4271.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE AT NO CHARGE FROM THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.

Section II
Proposed Rules

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: **RULE TITLE:**

40D-8.041 Minimum Flows

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This amendment modifies the language describing assessment of status of the previously established minimum flows pursuant to Section 373.042, F.S., for the Upper and Lower Pithlachascotee River. The minimum flows are used in the District’s permitting and resource management and development programs.

SUMMARY: Section 373.042, F.S., requires the District to establish minimum flows and levels for lakes, wetlands, rivers and aquifers. Further, Section 373.0421(3), F.S., requires the District to periodically reevaluate and revise those minimum flows and levels. The previously established minimum flows for the Upper and Lower Pithlachascotee River system contains language describing how the status of the minimum flows are assessed. This rulemaking amends that status assessment language.

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: The District conducted an economic review of the revisions to the rule and determined that the impact or regulatory cost, if any, of the revisions will not exceed any one of the economic analysis criteria in a SERC as set forth in Section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. The revised minimum level for this lake is unlikely to constitute an additional significant regulatory constraint on groundwater or surface water withdrawals in the area due to existing resource conditions and regulatory constraints in the basin.

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: 373.044, 373.113, 373.171, FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 373.036, 373.042, 373.0421, 373.086, 373.709, 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: Doug Leeper, MFL Program Lead, SWFWMD, 2379 Broad Street, Brooksville, FL 34604, (352)796-7211, ext. 4272.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

40D-8.041 Minimum Flows.

(1) through (19) No change.

(20) Minimum Flows for the Lower Pithlachascotee River.

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) Status assessments of the Minimum Flows for the Lower Pithlachascotee River will be completed to determine whether the long-term, four-day average flow is below or projected to fall below the criterion adopted in this rule. Each status assessment is independent from and not a determination of water use permit compliance or environmental resource permit compliance. Permit compliance is a regulatory function that is not within the scope of this rule subsection. As part of each status assessment, the District will use the following approach:

1. The District will evaluate flows in the Lower Pithlachascotee River annually to: determine the extent to which the long-term average of four-day average flows in the Lower Pithlachascotee River has been reduced due to withdrawals for the period of record from June 22, 1989 to the date of each status assessment at Gage No. 02310300.

2. The District will also evaluate flows in the Lower Pithlachascotee River every five years as part of the regional water supply planning process.

3. If the Minimum Flows are being met based on the long-term average of the four-day average flows at Gage No. 02310300, then no further actions are required beyond continued monitoring.

4. If the long-term average of the four-day average flows at Gage No. 02310300 is below the Minimum Flows, or if the long-term average of the four-day average flows is projected to fall below the Minimum Flows within 20 years based on the evaluation performed as part of the regional water supply planning process, the District will conduct a causation analysis

~~to evaluate the potential causes of impacts to flow in the Lower Pithlachascotee River.~~

~~5. Based on the causation analysis, the District will re-evaluate the Minimum Flows for the Lower Pithlachascotee River, or adopt a recovery or prevention strategy consistent with the provisions of Section 373.0421(2), F.S.~~

(21) Minimum Flows for the Upper Pithlachascotee River.

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) Status assessments of the Minimum Flows for the Upper Pithlachascotee River will be completed to determine whether the long-term, daily average flow and the daily average flows are below or projected to fall below the criteria adopted in this rule. Each status assessment is independent from and not a determination of water use permit compliance or environmental resource permit compliance. Permit compliance is a regulatory function that is not within the scope of this rule. As part of each status assessment, the District will use the following approach:

1. The District will evaluate flows in the Upper Pithlachascotee River annually to: determine the extent to which the long-term average of the daily average flows of the Upper Pithlachascotee River has been reduced due to withdrawals for the period of record from June 19, 1989 to the date of each status assessment at Gage No. 02310300; and to determine whether daily average flows at Gage No. 02310300 have been reduced below 11 cfs due to surface water withdrawals.

2. The District will also evaluate flows in the Upper Pithlachascotee River every five years as part of the regional water supply planning process.

3. If the Minimum Flows are being met based on the long-term average of the daily average flows at Gage No. 02310300, and based on the determination that surface water withdrawals have not reduced daily average flows at Gage No. 0230300 below 11 cfs, then no further actions are required beyond continued monitoring.

~~4. If the long-term daily average flow at Gage No. 02310300 is below the Minimum Flows or if the long-term daily average flow is projected to fall below the Minimum Flows within 20 years based on the evaluation performed as part of the regional water supply planning process, the District will conduct a causation analysis to evaluate the potential causes of impacts to flow in the Upper Pithlachascotee River.~~

~~5. Based on the causation analysis or the determination that surface water withdrawals have reduced daily average flows at Gage No. 02310300 below 11 cfs, the District will re-evaluate the Minimum Flows for the Upper Pithlachascotee River, or adopt a recovery or prevention strategy consistent with the provisions of Section 373.0421(2), F.S.~~

(22) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.171 FS. Law Implemented 373.036, 373.042, 373.0421 FS. History—New 10-5-74, Amended 12-31-74, Formerly 16J-0.15, 40D-1.601, Amended 10-1-84, 8-7-00, 2-6-06, 4-6-06, 1-1-07, 11-25-07, 2-18-08, 3-2-08, 5-12-08, 5-10-09, 3-23-10, 3-28-10, 7-12-10, 8-2-10 (8), 8-2-10 (15), 10-16-12, 3-20-13(16), 3-20-13(17), 6-20-16, 3-15-18, 6-19-18, 4-15-20, —.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
 Southwest Florida Water Management District
 NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Southwest Florida Water Management District Governing Board
 DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: March 24, 2020
 DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: April 30, 2020

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

40D-8.041 Minimum Flows

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This amendment modifies the language describing assessment of status of the previously established minimum flows pursuant to Section 373.042, F.S., for the Crystal River/Kings Bay System. The minimum flows are used in the District’s permitting and resource management and development programs.

SUMMARY: Section 373.042, F.S., requires the District to establish minimum flows and levels for lakes, wetlands, rivers and aquifers. Further, Section 373.0421(3), F.S., requires the District to periodically reevaluate and revise those minimum flows and levels. The previously established minimum flow for the Crystal River/Kings Bay system contains language describing how the status of a minimum flow is assessed. This rulemaking amends that status assessment language.

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.

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: 373.044, 373.113, 373.171, FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 373.036, 373.042, 373.0421, 373.086, 373.709, FS.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Doug Leeper, MFL Program Lead, SWFWMD, 2379 Broad Street, Brooksville, FL 34604, (352)796-7211, ext. 4272. (TS2020022)

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

40D-8.041 Minimum Flows.

(1) through (18) No change.

(19) Minimum Flow for the Crystal River/Kings Bay System.

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) Status assessments of the Minimum Flow for the Crystal River/Kings Bay System will be completed to determine whether the long-term tidally-filtered average flow is below or projected to fall below the criteria adopted in this section. Each status assessment is independent from and not a determination of water use permit compliance or environmental resource permit compliance. Permit compliance is a regulatory function that is not within the scope of this subsection. As part of each status assessment, the District will use the following approach:

1. The District will evaluate the Minimum Flow annually to determine the extent to which the long-term tidally-filtered average flow of the Crystal River/Kings Bay System has been reduced due to withdrawals for the period of record from 2002 to the date of each status assessment at the United States Geological Survey Gage No. 02310747.

2. The District will also evaluate the Minimum Flow every five years as part of the regional water supply planning process.

3. If the Minimum Flow is being met based on long-term tidally-filtered average flows adjusted for withdrawals, then no further actions are required beyond continued monitoring.

~~4. If the long-term tidally-filtered average flow is below the Minimum Flow, or if the long-term tidally-filtered average flow is projected to fall below the Minimum Flow within 20 years based on the evaluation performed as part of the regional water supply planning process, the District will conduct a causation analysis to evaluate the potential causes of impacts on the Crystal River/Kings Bay System.~~

~~5. Based on the causation analysis, the District will re-evaluate the Minimum Flow for the Crystal River/Kings Bay System, or adopt a recovery or prevention strategy consistent with the provisions of section 373.0421(2), F.S.~~

(d) No change.

(20) through (22) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.171 FS. Law Implemented 373.036, 373.042, 373.0421 FS. History—New 10-5-74, Amended 12-31-74, Formerly 16J-0.15, 40D-1.601, Amended 10-1-84, 8-7-00, 2-6-06, 4-6-06, 1-1-07, 11-25-07, 2-18-08, 3-2-08, 5-12-08, 5-10-09, 3-23-10, 3-28-10, 7-12-10, 8-2-10 (8), 8-2-10 (15), 10-16-12, 3-20-13(16), 3-20-13(17), 6-20-16, 3-15-18, 6-19-18, 4-15-20, —.

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Section III Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Massage Therapy

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
64B7-28.0035 Designated Establishment Managers
NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice is hereby given that the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 46 No. 77, April 20, 2020 issue of the Florida Administrative Register has been withdrawn.

Section IV Emergency Rules

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Health Facility and Agency Licensing

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
59AER20-2 Mandatory Entry and Testing for Assisted Living Facilities

SPECIFIC REASONS FOR FINDING AN IMMEDIATE DANGER TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR WELFARE: The Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is a severe respiratory illness that can spread among humans through respiratory transmission. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), people at risk for serious illness from COVID-19 include older adults and people with serious chronic medical conditions. In late 2019, a new and significant outbreak of COVID-19 emerged in China and the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 a Public Health Emergency of International Concern. The CDC also confirmed community spread of COVID-19 in the United States and has issued extensive written guidance to help control

the spread of COVID-19. According to the CDC, at the time of this filing, the United States has over 1,100,000 total cases and over 70,000 total deaths. Older adults are at a higher risk of developing serious complications from COVID-19. According to the United States Census Bureau, Florida has the largest percentage of residents age 65 and older in the nation.

On March 1, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis declared a Public Health Emergency exists in the State of Florida as a result of COVID-19 pursuant to Executive Order number 20-51. On March 7, 2020, the State Surgeon General and State Health Officer declared a Public Health Emergency in the State of Florida as a result of COVID-19. On March 9, 2020, Florida Governor Ron DeSantis declared a state of emergency in Florida. As of the date of this filing, all counties in Florida have positive cases for COVID-19. There have been over 37,000 confirmed cases in Florida as a result of COVID-19 and over 1,500 deaths.

In guidance issued by the CDC titled Key Strategies to Prepare for COVID-19 in Long-term Care Facilities (LTCFs), the CDC directed that “[g]iven the high risk of spread once COVID-19 enters a LTCF, facilities must act immediately to protect residents, families, and staff from serious illness, complications, and death.” In order to carry out this guidance, the CDC further instructs facilities to, among other things, 1.) Keep COVID-19 from entering the facility and 2.) Identify the infection early.

Medical research shows the highly contagious COVID-19 virus can manifest as asymptomatic in positive individuals and the live, contagious coronavirus can shed at high concentrations before symptomatic development resulting in spread of the infection. Due to the congregate nature of long-term care facilities, the increased risk of transmission of COVID-19 is high. The highly transmissible nature of COVID-19 combined with the congregate nature of the long-term care facility settings and the close and personal contact that many long-term care facility staff have with the patients puts both residents and staff at a high risk of infection. Combining the high risk of long-term care facility settings with the risk posed by positive, asymptomatic staff creates a potential for sudden outbreaks in long-term care facilities.

The Department of Health and its agents, including the Agency for Health Care Administration, are working daily to respond to positive cases to avoid outbreaks at long-term care facilities. These agencies have been systematically conducting infection control investigations and testing staff and residents at nursing homes and assisted living facilities across the state to quickly identify positive cases in order to avoid viral spread and

outbreaks. However, in multiple instances, facility staff have refused the Department of Health entry to the facility for the requested testing. A single positive staff member in a facility can cause an outbreak resulting in the hospitalization and death of many vulnerable residents. If the staff member works at multiple facilities, this can result in facility-to-facility spread. Early identification of positive cases in long-term care facilities allows the state to implement immediate action to control outbreaks and avoid the loss of life.

Therefore, this emergency rule establishes a requirement that assisted living facilities must allow the Department of Health or its agents entry into the facility for purposes of COVID-19 infectious disease duties and testing and facilities must mandate that their staff comply with any COVID-19 testing offered by the Department of Health or its agents.

Prompt implementation of this rule is necessary to ensure the health, safety and welfare of residents and staff in Florida's assisted living facilities.

REASON FOR CONCLUDING THAT THE PROCEDURE IS FAIR UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES: The procedure used to adopt this emergency rule is fair as the State of Florida is under a declaration of emergency due to the outbreak of COVID-19. This emergency rule is necessary and fair to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the facility residents, and provides at least the procedural protection given by other statutes, the State Constitution, or the United States Constitution; and takes only that action necessary to protect the public interest under the emergency procedure.

SUMMARY: This Emergency Rule establishes a requirement for all assisted living facilities to comply with Department of Health infection control directives concerning COVID-19, including allowing entry for purposes of testing, and requiring facility staff to submit to COVID-19 testing.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE EMERGENCY RULE IS: Kimberly Stewart, Agency for Health Care Administration, Division of Health Quality Assurance, Bureau of Health Facility Regulation, 2727 Mahan Drive, MS# 28A, Tallahassee, FL 32308

THE FULL TEXT OF THE EMERGENCY RULE IS:

59AER20-2 Mandatory Entry and Testing for Assisted Living Facilities.

(1) APPLICABILITY. The requirements of this emergency rule apply to all assisted living facilities licensed under Chapter 429, F.S.

(2) DEFINITIONS

“Infection control” means any duties carried out in furtherance of preparing for, responding to, or recovering from COVID-19 as authorized under Chapter 381, F.S.

(3) MANDATORY ENTRY AND TESTING FOR COVID-19.

(a) Assisted living facilities shall comply with all Department of Health infection control directives concerning staff and resident testing, including making off-shift staff available at the facility for testing.

(b) Assisted living facilities shall allow the Florida Department of Health or its authorized agents entry into the facility for the purpose of conducting COVID-19 infection control duties, and testing of residents and staff.

(c) When the Department of Health or its authorized agent enters the facility in its public health function for purposes of COVID-19 testing, assisted living facilities shall require facility staff to submit to a COVID-19 test.

(4) REVOCATION OF LICENSE, FINES OR SANCTIONS. For a violation of any part of this rule, the Agency may seek any remedy authorized by Chapter 429, Part I, or Chapter 408, Part II, F.S., including but not limited to, license revocation, license suspension, and the imposition of administrative fines.

Rulemaking authority, 429.41, 408.821(4) FS, Law Implemented 429.19, 429.28, 429.41 FS.

THIS RULE TAKES EFFECT UPON BEING FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE UNLESS A LATER TIME AND DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THE RULE.

EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/08/2020

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Health Facility and Agency Licensing

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59AER20-3 Mandatory Entry for Testing and Infection Control for Nursing Homes

SPECIFIC REASONS FOR FINDING AN IMMEDIATE DANGER TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR WELFARE: The Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is a severe respiratory illness that can spread among humans through respiratory transmission. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), people at risk for serious illness from COVID-19 include older adults and people with serious chronic medical conditions. In late 2019, a new and significant outbreak of COVID-19 emerged in China and the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 a Public Health Emergency of International Concern. The CDC also confirmed community spread of COVID-19 in the United States and has issued extensive written guidance to help control the spread of COVID-19. According to the CDC, at the time of this filing, the United States has over 1,100,000 total cases and over 70,000 total deaths. Older adults are at a higher risk of

developing serious complications from COVID-19. According to the United States Census Bureau, Florida has the largest percentage of residents age 65 and older in the nation.

On March 1, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis declared a Public Health Emergency exists in the State of Florida as a result of COVID-19 pursuant to Executive Order number 20-51. On March 7, 2020, the State Surgeon General and State Health Officer declared a Public Health Emergency in the State of Florida as a result of COVID-19. On March 9, 2020, Florida Governor Ron DeSantis declared a state of emergency in Florida. As of the date of this filing, all counties in Florida have positive cases for COVID-19. There have been over 37,000 confirmed cases in Florida as a result of COVID-19 and over 1,500 deaths.

In guidance issued by the CDC titled Key Strategies to Prepare for COVID-19 in Long-term Care Facilities (LTCFs), the CDC directed that “[g]iven the high risk of spread once COVID-19 enters a LTCF, facilities must act immediately to protect residents, families, and staff from serious illness, complications, and death.” In order to carry out this guidance, the CDC further instructs facilities to, among other things, 1.) Keep COVID-19 from entering the facility and 2.) Identify the infection early. 42 CFR § 483.80 also requires nursing homes to establish an infection prevention and control program that must include a system for preventing, identifying, reporting, investigating, and controlling infections and communicable diseases for staff.

Medical research shows the highly contagious COVID-19 virus can manifest as asymptomatic in positive individuals and the live, contagious coronavirus can shed at high concentrations before symptomatic development resulting in spread of the infection. Due to the congregate nature of long-term care facilities, the increased risk of transmission of COVID-19 is high. The highly transmissible nature of COVID-19 combined with the congregate nature of the long-term care facility settings and the close and personal contact that many long-term care facility staff have with the patients puts both residents and staff at a high risk of infection. Combining the high risk of long-term care facility settings with the risk posed by positive, asymptomatic staff creates a potential for sudden outbreaks in long-term care facilities.

The Department of Health and its agents, including the Agency for Health Care Administration, are working daily to respond to positive cases to avoid outbreaks at long-term care facilities. These agencies have been systematically conducting infection control investigations and testing staff and residents at nursing homes and assisted living facilities across the state to quickly

identify positive cases in order to avoid viral spread and outbreaks. However, in multiple instances, facility staff have refused the Department of Health entry to the facility for the requested testing. A single positive staff member in a facility can cause an outbreak resulting in the hospitalization and death of many vulnerable residents. If the staff member works at multiple facilities, this can result in facility-to-facility spread. Early identification of positive cases in long-term care facilities allows the state to implement immediate action to control outbreaks and avoid the loss of life.

Therefore, this emergency rule establishes a requirement that nursing homes must allow the Department of Health or its agents entry into the facility for purposes of COVID-19 infectious disease duties and testing and facilities must mandate that their staff comply with any COVID-19 testing offered by the Department of Health or its agents.

Prompt implementation of this rule is necessary to ensure the health, safety and welfare of residents and staff in Florida’s nursing homes.

REASON FOR CONCLUDING THAT THE PROCEDURE IS FAIR UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES: The procedure used to adopt this emergency rule is fair as the State of Florida is under a declaration of emergency due to the outbreak of COVID-19. This emergency rule is necessary and fair to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the facility residents, and provides at least the procedural protection given by other statutes, the State Constitution, or the United States Constitution; and takes only that action necessary to protect the public interest under the emergency procedure.

SUMMARY: This Emergency Rule establishes a requirement for all nursing homes to comply with Department of Health infection control directives concerning COVID-19, including allowing entry for purposes of testing, and requiring facility staff to submit to COVID-19 testing.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE EMERGENCY RULE IS: Kimberly Stewart, Agency for Health Care Administration, Division of Health Quality Assurance, Bureau of Health Facility Regulation, 2727 Mahan Drive, MS# 28A, Tallahassee, FL 32308

THE FULL TEXT OF THE EMERGENCY RULE IS:

59AER20-3 Mandatory Entry for Testing and Infection Control for Nursing Homes.

(1) APPLICABILITY. The requirements of this emergency rule apply to all nursing homes licensed under Chapter 400, F.S.

(2) DEFINITIONS.

“Infection control” means any duties carried out in furtherance of preparing for, responding to, or recovering from COVID-19 as authorized under Chapter 381, F.S.

(3) MANDATORY ENTRY FOR INFECTION CONTROL AND TESTING FOR COVID-19.

(a) Nursing homes shall comply with all Department of Health infection control directives concerning staff and resident testing, including making off-shift staff available at the facility for testing.

(b) Nursing homes shall allow the Florida Department of Health or its authorized agents into the facility for the purpose of conducting COVID-19 infection control duties, and testing for residents and staff.

(c) When the Department of Health or its authorized agent enters the facility in its public health function for purposes of COVID-19 testing, nursing homes shall require facility staff to submit to a COVID-19 test.

(4) REVOCATION OF LICENSE, FINES OR SANCTIONS. For a violation of any part of this rule, the Agency may seek any remedy authorized by Chapter 400, Part II, or Chapter 408, Part II, F.S., including but not limited to, license revocation, license suspension, and the imposition of administrative fines.

Rulemaking authority, 400.23, 408.819, 408.821, FS, Law Implemented 400.022, 400.23, 408.819, FS

THIS RULE TAKES EFFECT UPON BEING FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE UNLESS A LATER TIME AND DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THE RULE.
EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/08/2020

Section V
Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule
Variance or Waiver

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

40D-22.201 Year-Round Water Conservation Measures

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 29, 2020, the Southwest Florida Water Management District, received a petition for a variance or waiver.

Petitioner’s Name: Gregory Residence

Rule No.: 40D-22.201

Nature of the rule for which variance or waiver is sought: Lawn and landscape irrigation

The Petition has been assigned tracking No. 20-4313.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Michael Bench, 7601 US Highway 301, Tampa, Florida 33637, 1(813)985-7481 x. 2298,

water.variances@watermatters.org. Any interested person or other agency may submit written comments within 14 days after the publication of this notice. (TS2020029).

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

67-21.003 Application and Selection Process for Developments

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 8, 2020, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, received a petition for waiver of paragraph 67-21.003(1)(b) and subsections 67-21.002(9) and (85), FAC (2017) and the Non-Competitive Application Instructions, and an Amended Petition for Waiver of paragraph 67-21.003(1)(b) and subsections 67-21.002(9) and (85), FAC (2018) and the Non-Competitive Application Instructions from Hidden Grove Housing, LP, requesting a permanent waiver such that Petitioner may maintain a trust at the third principal disclosure level and a natural person at the fourth level.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329. The Petition has also been posted on Florida Housing’s website at floridahousing.org. Florida Housing will accept comments concerning the Petition for 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received on or before 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on the 14th day after publication of this notice at Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

67-48.009 SAIL General Program Procedures and Restrictions

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 11, 2020, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, received a petition for waiver from paragraphs 67-48.009(5)(d), 67-48.018(1)(c), and 67-48.023(1)(c), F.A.C. (2019) from VC Cathedral, LLC, to allow Petition to apply for SAIL Program funding, HOME program funding, and/or competitive Housing Credits even through the Development is subject to the Amended LURA.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329. The Petition has also been posted on Florida Housing’s website at floridahousing.org. Florida Housing will accept comments concerning the Petition for 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received on or before 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on the 14th day after publication of this notice at Florida Housing Finance

Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

Section VI Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Elections

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

1S-2.040 Statewide Uniform Voter Registration Application

The Department of State announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 21, 2020, 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Phone conference. Dial 1(888)585-9008, enter 659-459-077 when prompted for the conference room number.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Rule 1S-2.040 Statewide Uniform Voter Registration Application and incorporated form.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Candice Edwards at candice.edwards@dos.myflorida.com or (850)245-6536.

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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Candice Edwards at candice.edwards@dos.myflorida.com or (850)245-6536. 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: Ashley E. Davis at ashley.davis@dos.myflorida.com.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Cultural Affairs

The Florida Division of Cultural Affairs and the Florida Council on Arts and Culture announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 21, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: This meeting will take place via conference call. Instructions for participation are on our website: www.florida-arts.org/calendar.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss, review and take action on funding recommendations for grants and any other business which may appropriately come before the Council. Note: If a quorum of members does not attend, items on the agenda for formal action will be discussed as a workshop by those present, and written minutes will be taken although no formal action will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: the Division of Cultural Affairs at (850)245-6470.

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: Rachele Ashmore at (850)245-6490 or Rachele.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: Rachele.Ashmore@DOS.MyFlorida.com or visit our website <http://dos.myflorida.com/cultural/>.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Office of Energy

The Office of Energy announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, May 19, 2020, 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

PLACE: GoToMeeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/803063461>; Use your computer microphone and speakers for audio, or call in using your telephone: (646)749-3122, Access Code: 803-063-461

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services Office of Energy and the Central Florida Clean Cities Coalition are continuing our information gathering for the Electric Vehicle (EV) Roadmap for the state of Florida. We are holding a series of stakeholder webinars. The second in the series will target Infrastructure Providers stakeholders to explore topics associated with the growth of electric transportation and the charging infrastructure.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: April Groover Combs at April.GrooverCombs@fdacs.gov or (850)617-7470.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Division of Florida Colleges

The Florida State College at Jacksonville District Board of Trustees announce the following telephonic workshop on Tuesday, May 19, 2020, which is open to the public.

DATE AND TIME: Deep Dive Workshop – Budget, Tuesday, May 19, 2020, 12:00 Noon – 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: The meeting will be hosted by the College via teleconference, Conference Call: (415)655-0001 or (904)900-2303, Audio Access Code: 612 867 083

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER(S) TO BE CONSIDERED: 2020/21 Budget Overview

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kimberli Sodek, Administrative Support Manager – Office of the College President at Kim.Sodek@fscj.edu.

Copies of the agenda for the workshop will be available for inspection beginning Tuesday, May 12, 2020, and copies will be provided upon written request and the payment of approved duplicating charges.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in the workshop is asked to advise the agency at least 24 hours before the workshop by contacting: The Office of the College President Administrative Support Manager Kimberli Sodek at Kim.Sodek@fscj.edu or (904)632-3205. 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 State College at Jacksonville, hereby reaffirms the principle of equal opportunity for all persons regardless of race, disability, color, ethnicity, national origin, religion, gender, age, sex, sexual orientation/ expression, marital status, veteran status, pregnancy or genetic information. Equal opportunity principle applies with regard to employment, delivery of educational programs and services, and all other appropriate areas in which the College is involved.

For more information, you may contact: Kimberli Sodek, Administrative Support Manager – Office of the College President at Kim.Sodek@fscj.edu.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission

The Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, June 16, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Miami-Dade College, School of Justice, 11380 NW 27th Avenue, #8310, Miami, FL 33167.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The above meeting will be held to determine whether or not probable cause exists to pursue disciplinary action against the certification of sworn correctional, law enforcement, or correctional probation officers.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Sissy Beggs at (850)410-8632 or by e-mail at sissybeggs@fdle.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: Sissy Beggs at (850)410-8632 or by e-mail at sissybeggs@fdle.state.fl.us. 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: Sissy Beggs at (850)410-8632 or by e-mail at sissybeggs@fdle.state.fl.us.

STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

The Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund Advisory Council announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 19, 2020, 1:30 p.m. ET until conclusion of meeting

PLACE: Conference Call in Number: 1(888)585-9008, Participant Code 973-664-296.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The discussion will include the May claims-paying capacity estimates. Other general business of the Advisory Council may also be addressed.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Heidi Hinz, Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund, heidi.hinz@sbafla.com, (850)413-1332.

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: Heidi Hinz at the email or number listed above. 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).

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

The Florida Public Service Commission announces its Internal Affairs Meeting.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, May 19, 2020, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss and make decisions on matters affecting Commission operations. Internal Affairs Agendas and FPSC contact information is available at www.floridapsc.com.

SPECIAL COVID-19 CONSIDERATIONS: As the Governor of the State of Florida and Leon County have declared a state of emergency due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Commission must limit the manner in which the public may participate or view the meeting. As always, the public may view a live stream of the meeting online using the link available at <http://www.floridapsc.com/Conferences/AudioVideoEventCoverage>.

Due to these extraordinary circumstances, however, no member of the public may attend in person. Any interested person who would like to participate telephonically on any item on the agenda should contact the Office of the Executive Director at (850)413-6053 no later than 12:00 Noon on March 18, 2020.

ADA: In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate at this

proceeding should contact the Office of Commission Clerk no later than five days prior to the conference at 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 or (850)413-6770 (Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8770 Voice or 1(800)955-8771 TDD). Assistive Listening Devices are available upon request from the Office of Commission Clerk, Gerald L. Gunter Building, Room 152.

EMERGENCY CANCELLATION OF MEETING: If a named storm or some other state of emergency requires cancellation of the meeting, Commission staff will attempt to give timely notice. Notice of cancellation will be provided on the Commission’s website (www.floridapsc.com) under the Hot Topics link on the home page. Cancellation can also be confirmed by calling the Office of Commission Clerk at (850)413-6770.

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

Central Florida Regional Planning Council
 The Heartland Regional Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 28, 2020, 2:00 p.m.
PLACE: CareerSource Heartland, 5901 US 27 South, Suite 1, Sebring, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Regular Quarterly Meeting of the Heartland Regional Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Marybeth Soderstrom, Transportation Director, at 1(863)534-7130 ext. 134 or at msoderstrom@cfrpc.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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Marybeth Soderstrom, Transportation Director, at 1(863)534-7130 ext. 134 or at msoderstrom@cfrpc.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).

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REGIONAL UTILITY AUTHORITIES

Tampa Bay Water - A Regional Water Supply Authority
 The Tampa Bay Water, A Regional Water Supply Authority announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 28, 2020, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Due to COVID-19 concerns for the safety of staff and the public, interested parties should use the following Dial-In No: 1(888)585-9008, Conference Room 700 497 692#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: A public meeting of the Selection Committee for Design-Build Project for Diesel Piping and Tank Improvements at High Service Pump Station and Cypress Creek Water Treatment Plant, Contract No.: 2020-043. As a part of the selection process, the Selection Committee will meet to review and discuss the responses and ranking of the firms, determine if interviews are needed and review potential interview questions. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Records Department at (727)796-2355.

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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Records Department at (727)796-2355. 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: Records Department at (727)796-2355.

DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS

Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program
 The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: June 26, 2020, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET
PLACE: Conference Call. 1(888)585-9008, Participant Passcode: 767-510-585

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: State Council Business

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Dept of Elder Affairs / LTCOP, 4040 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, FL 32399, or call: (850)414-2323, or email: lrcopinformer@elderaffairs.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 72 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).

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board
 The Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 29, 2020, 9:00 a.m. ET
PLACE: Telephone Conference Call, Telephone Number: 1(888)585-9008, Participant Conference Room Number 241-687-833

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Rule Discussion Workshop. To amend Chapter 61G19-6, F.A.C.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Myfloridalicense.com - Businesses & Professions - Building Code Administrators & Inspectors - Board Meeting Information.

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: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee FL 32399, or by calling (850)717-1980. 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: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee FL 32399, or by calling (850)717-1980.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board
The Building Code Administrator and Inspectors Board announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: June 17, 2020, 9:00 a.m.; June 18, 2020, 9:00 a.m.; June 19, 2020, 9:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: Conference Call, Telephone Number: 1(888)585-9008, Conference Room Number: 241-687-833

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Committee meetings, probable cause panel (portions of which may be closed to the public), general board business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Myfloridalicense.com - Businesses & Professions - Building Code Administrators & Inspectors - Board Meeting Information.

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: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee FL 32399, or by calling (850)717-1980. 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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DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board
The Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board Meeting announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: July 15, 2020, 9:00 a.m.; June 16, 2020, 9:00 a.m.; June 17, 2020, 9:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: Conference Call, Telephone Number: 1(888)585-9008, Conference Room Number: 241-687-833

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Committee meetings, probable cause panel (portions of which may be closed to the public), general board business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Myfloridalicense.com - Businesses & Professions - Building Code Administrators & Inspectors - Board Meeting Information.

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: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee FL 32399, or by calling (850)717-1980. 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: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee FL 32399, or by calling (850)717-1980.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Building Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61G20-1.001 Florida Building Code Adopted

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

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, June 2, 2020, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: Meetings to be conducted using communications media technology, specifically teleconference and webinar. Join the meeting at <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/533378925>. Join the conference call: United States (toll-free) 1(866)899-4679, meeting ID/access code: 533-378-925; public point of access 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Building Commission will review and decide on Accessibility Waiver Applications and review, take up, and consider other matters that appear on the Commission’s agenda. Specifically, the Commission will address:

Rule Hearing: Rule 61G20-1.001, F.A.C., Florida Building Code, 7th Edition (2020)

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Thomas Campbell as set forth below or on the Commission website.

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: Ms. Barbara Bryant, Building Codes and Standards Office, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0772, (850)487-1824 or fax: (850)414-8436. 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: Mr. Thomas Campbell, Building Codes and Standards Office, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0772 or call (850)487-1824, refer to http://www.floridabuilding.org/fbc/meetings/1_meetings.htm.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

The Florida Board of Pharmacy, Rules Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: June 2, 2020, 1:00 p.m. ET

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, Participant Code: 559-196-985(#)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business meeting regarding discussion and actions regarding current and proposed rules.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: www.floridaspharmacy.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: (850)245-4474. 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: (850)245-4474.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

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

DATE AND TIME: June 4, 2020, 8:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, Participant Code: 559-196-985(#)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General board business and disciplinary matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: www.floridaspharmacy.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: (850)245-4474. 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: (850)245-4474.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

The Florida Board of Pharmacy, Rules Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: June 2, 2020, 8:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, Participant Code: 559-196-985(#)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business meeting regarding discussion and actions regarding current and proposed rules.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: www.floridaspharmacy.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: (850)245-4474. 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: (850)245-4474.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

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

DATE AND TIME: June 3, 2020, 8:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, Participant Code: 559-196-985(#)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General board business and disciplinary matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: www.floridaspharmacy.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: (850)245-4474. 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: (850)245-4474.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

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

DATES AND TIMES: June 2, 2020, 8:00 a.m.; June 3, 2020, 8:00 a.m.

PLACE: Omni Jacksonville Hotel, 245 Water Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202, (904) 355-6664.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This notice will replace notice # 22284797. The meeting has been cancelled. General board business and disciplinary matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: www.floridaspharmacy.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: (850)245-4474. 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: (850)245-4474.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, August 12, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Rick Seltzer Conference Room, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida, 32301-1329

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This Review Committee meeting will be to discuss the responses received from qualified Respondents in response to RFQ 2020-06, for the Housing Stability for Homeless Schoolchildren Initiative, answer any questions the Review Committee may have regarding the responses, give the scores, and submit a recommendation to Florida Housing's Board of Directors.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jenny Marshall, (850)488-4197 or Jenny.Marshall@floridahousing.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 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Jenny Marshall at Florida Housing Finance Corporation, (850)488-4197. 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.

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION
 Freshwater Fish and Wildlife
 The FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Wednesday, May 27, 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon ET; Thursday, May 28, 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. ET

PLACE: Webinars can be viewed online at <https://fwc.adobeconnect.com/hgm/>.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Commission staff is developing proposed amendments to regulations regarding the importation of deer carcasses. The webinars will provide attendees an opportunity to provide feedback on these topics.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Cory Morea, 620 S. Meridian St. Tallahassee, FL 32399-1600, (850)617-9553, email: cory.morea@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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Cory Morea, 620 S. Meridian St. Tallahassee, FL 32399-1600, (850)617-9553, email: cory.morea@myfwc.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: Cory Morea, 620 S. Meridian St. Tallahassee, FL 32399-1600, (850)617-9553, email: cory.morea@myfwc.com.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY
 Division of Workforce Services
 The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: May 20, 2020, 9:30 a.m.
PLACE: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300 Tallahassee, Florida 32301
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Disposition of cases pending before the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission that are ready for final review and the Chairman's report. No public testimony will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission by phone at (850)487-2685 or RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com.

SPECIAL COVID-19 CONSIDERATIONS: As the Governor of the State of Florida and Leon County have declared a state of emergency due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Commission must limit the manner in which the public may participate; accordingly, no member of the public may attend in person. Any interested person who would like to attend telephonically should contact the Commission in advance at (850)487-2685 or RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com to be advised of the current method for CMT hearings.

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: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission at (850)487-2685. 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).

EMERGENCY CANCELLATION OF CONFERENCE: If a named storm or other disaster requires cancellation of the Conference, Commission staff will attempt to give timely notice. Notice of cancellation will be provided on the Commission's website (www.raac.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). 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: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, (850)487-2685.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY
 Division of Workforce Services
 The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: May 20, 2020, 9:30 a.m.
PLACE: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300 Tallahassee, Florida 32301.
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Disposition of cases pending before the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission that are ready for final review and the Chairman's report. No public testimony will be taken. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission by phone at (850)487-2685 or RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com.

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For more information, you may contact: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, (850)487-2685.

PASCO-PINELLAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING

The AREA AGENCY ON AGING OF PASCO-PINELLAS INC. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 18, 2020, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: VIA ZOOM

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: ITEMS RELATED TO AREA AGENCY ON AGING OF PASCO-PINELLAS BUSINESS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS OVERSIGHT

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Virginia Cruz by email (virginia.cruz@aaapp.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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: (727)570-9696. 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: Virginia Cruz by email (virginia.cruz@aaapp.org).

CITIZENS PROPERTY INSURANCE CORPORATION

The Citizens Property Insurance Corporation Consumer Services Committee (CSC) announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: June 1, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Teleconference: 1(888)942-8686, Conf ID: 944 710 6691

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Topics to include but not limited to the quarterly Consumer Services Committee Report.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: www.citizensfla.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: Barbara Walker at Barbara.Walker@citizensfla.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: Barbara Walker, 2101 Maryland Circle, Tallahassee, FL 32303, Barbara.Walker@citizensfla.com.

FLORIDA DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION

The Board of Directors for the Florida Development Finance Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, May 20, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Development Finance Corporation, 156 Tuskawilla Road, Suite 2340, Winter Springs, FL 32708 - OR - Dial-In: (646)741-5292, Meeting ID: 111 155 6600

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This meeting will discuss the following:

- Meeting Minutes: February 26, 2020, March 2, 2020 and March 26, 2020
- Resolution No. 20-11: United Cerebral Palsy of Central Florida Inc.
- Resolution No. 20-12: Discovery Academy of Lake Alfred, Inc. & Discovery High School, Inc.
- Presentation: Renaissance Charter Refunding 2010
- RFP Results: Audit Services
- FY20-21 Budget, Draft

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jennifer Jenkins, FDFC Administrative Coordinator, (407)712-6351.

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 1 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Jennifer Jenkins, FDFC Administrative Coordinator, (407)712-6351. 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: Jennifer Jenkins, FDFC Administrative Coordinator, (407)712-6351.

POLK REGIONAL WATER COOPERATIVE

The Board of Directors and Project Board of the Polk Regional Water Cooperative announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, May 20, 2020, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Nora Mayo Hall located at 500 3rd Street NW, Winter Haven, Florida 33881

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Project Board and the Board of Directors will meet to hold a regularly scheduled public meeting to address subjects dealing with organization, budgeting, water conservation, project selection, funding, planning, and development, all as provided within the Interlocal Agreement creating the Cooperative. The meeting is open to the public.

Due to ongoing restrictions on public gatherings because of the COVID-19 pandemic, the meeting will be conducted with applicable social distancing requirements in place, limiting the capacity of the meeting venue to approximately 50 persons. Wearing of masks is recommended but not required. Certain members of the Board may attend remotely through Communications Media Technology. Members of the public desiring to provide comment may do so in person or through submission of written comments before the meeting via mail at Polk Regional Water Cooperative, c/o Polk County Manager, Attn: Tabitha Alpers, P.O. Box 9005, Drawer CA01, Bartow, Florida, 33831-9005, or email to TabithaAlpers@polk-county.net. To assure consideration of written public comments, written comments should be received at least forty eight hours prior to the public meeting. Public comments offered in writing shall be afforded equal consideration, regardless of the method of communication. The meeting may be remotely viewed via Zoom, a media technology free for the public to use. A link will be provided on the Cooperative's website at www.prcwater.org with instructions regarding viewing of the meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Copies of the meeting agenda are available in the Documents & Agendas section of the Cooperative's website, www.prcwater.org, or may be obtained by writing to the Polk Regional Water Cooperative, c/o Polk County Manager, Attn: Tabitha Alpers,

P.O. Box 9005, Drawer CA01, Bartow, Florida, 33831-9005, or by calling Tabitha Alpers at 1(863)534-6444.

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: Polk County Communications Office not later than forty eight hours prior to the proceeding. The Communications office is located in the Polk County Administration Building, 330 West Church Street, Bartow, Florida, 33830, telephone 1(863)534-6090. 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: For more information, you may contact Ryan Taylor, Executive Director, Polk Regional Water Cooperative, by telephone at 1(863)534-6444 or by email at RyanTaylor@PRWCwater.org.

PANHANDLE PUBLIC LIBRARY COOPERATIVE SYSTEM

The Panhandle Public Library Cooperative System (PPLCS) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, May 20, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Via telephone. Please call 312.626.6799 and enter Meeting ID 666 889 2117

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: regular board meeting material

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Cynthia De La Hunt at cdelahunt@pplcs.net or (850)482-9296.

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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Cynthia De La Hunt at cdelahunt@pplcs.net or (850)482-9296. 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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QCAUSA

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 19, 2020, 12:00 Noon CT

PLACE: nwfroads.com/projects/220171-2 and nwfroads.com/projects/413062-5

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) has new information concerning PD&E studies for State Road (S.R.) 85 (S. Ferdon Boulevard) from S.R. 123 to Mirage Avenue and Interstate 10 (I-10) from west of S.R. 281 (Avalon Boulevard) to west of County Road (C.R.) 189 (Log Lake Road) and from west of C.R. 189 (Log Lake Road) to east of S.R. 85 (S. Ferdon Boulevard) in Santa Rosa and Okaloosa Counties available online at nwfroads.com. The virtual project updates can be accessed anytime, anywhere beginning 12:00 Noon, Thursday, May 19, 2020.

This information provides interested persons an opportunity to express their views concerning the proposed improvements.

The intent of the S.R. 85 PD&E study is to widen S. Ferdon Boulevard from four to six lanes from S.R. 123 (Roger J Clary Highway) to Mirage Avenue and reconstruct the interchange at I-10 as a diverging diamond interchange.

The intent of the I-10 PD&E studies is to widen I-10 from four to six lanes from west of Avalon Boulevard to west of Log Lake Road and from west of Log Lake Road to east of S.R. 85 in Santa Rosa and Okaloosa Counties. Interchange improvements will be evaluated as necessary.

Financial Project Identification Numbers: 220171-2-22-01; 413062-4-22-01; 413062-5-22-01 and 441038-1-22-01

Maps, drawings and other information will be accessible on the project websites. FDOT representatives will be available to discuss the proposed improvements, answer questions, and receive comments via phone, email or mail. The deadline to submit official comments related to the project updates is Tuesday, June 9, 2020.

FDOT does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. For questions or concerns contact Alicia Brininger, D3 Title VI Coordinator, 1074 Highway 90, Chipley, FL 32428, toll-free 1(888)638-0250, ext. 1502, or alicia.brininger@dot.state.fl.us.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Tori White, Project Manager toll-free at 1(888)638-0250 ext. 1455, via email at tori.white@dot.state.fl.us, or by mail at 1074 Highway 90, Chipley, Florida 32428. You may also contact Ian Satter, FDOT District Three Public Information Director, at 1(888)638-0250, ext. 1205 or via email at ian.satter@dot.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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Tori White at the contact information listed above. 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**

NONE

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

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

Request for Qualifications 2020-06, for the Housing Stability for Homeless Schoolchildren Initiative

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation invites all qualified Respondents to submit proposals for consideration in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Request for Qualifications (RFQ) 2020-06, relating to the Housing Stability for Homeless Schoolchildren Initiative. Florida Housing expects to select up to four Respondents who propose to provide these services as specified in this RFQ.

Responses shall be accepted until 2:00 p.m. (Eastern Time), July 14, 2020, to the attention of the Contracts Administrator, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329.

For questions or additional information, please contact: Jenny Marshall at (850)488-4197 or Jenny.Marshall@floridahousing.org. To obtain a copy of the RFQ, which outlines selection criteria and applicant's responsibilities, please submit your request to the attention of Jenny Marshall, or you can download the RFQ from the Florida Housing Finance Corporation website at: <http://www.floridahousing.org/legal/procurements/request-for-qualifications>. Any modifications that occur to the RFQ will be posted at the website and may result in an extension of the deadline.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

Invitation to Bid Project 211054

STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT INVITATION TO BID

Project number and name: 211054 Construct New Sanitary Sewer Line Along Yerkes Rd, Camp Blanding, Starke, FL (Clay County). Scope: Extend the post main sanitary sewer line to Yerkes Rd to tie in 10 existing latrine facilities on the ranges. These latrine facilities are currently on septic tanks to be removed and drain fields abandoned. Includes 785' of 6" PVC gravity service laterals from existing buildings to new sewer line/pump station. The first pump station will be approximately 2000' west of Duval and Yerkes Rd intersection. From this first pump station there will be 5,100' of 2" PVC along Yerkes Rd serving as a force main to the first manhole. From this first manhole, there is approximately 8,200' of 8" PVC gravity main with a manhole every 400' along Yerkes Rd flowing to a second pump station near Yerkes Rd and Whitmore Lake Rd intersection. From this second pump station 12,520' of 4" PVC

force main will be installed parallel to the 8" gravity main back up to Duval Rd where it will turn and tie into the post main sanitary sewer line near the Space Florida complex. Add 2 pump stations and approximately 18 manholes throughout the project. There will be three directional borings under Yerkes Rd – one 4" force main at the intersection of Duval and Yerkes Rd, one 2" water line and one 6" service lateral, both at the second pump station. All Interested are directed to the Vendor Bid System (VBS),

http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs_www.main_menu, for complete information. Notice will be posted to VBS on or about May 12, 2020. CFMO Contract Management (904)823-0285 or e-mail ng.fl.flarng.list.cfmo-contracting@mail.mil.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

Invitation to Bid Project 218042

STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT INVITATION TO BID

Project number and name: 218042 Demo and Replace Barracks and Latrine Facilities 02108-02113, Camp Blanding, Starke, FL (Clay County). Scope: Demolition of four barracks facilities, 02109, 02111, 02112, and 02113, demolition of latrine facility 02110 and demolition of a similar barracks building 02108 utilized as a company administration building Category code 14186 and will be re-categorized to a barracks category code 72114. Barracks building 2109A, 2111A, 2112A, 2113A, and the new 2108A will be modernized by permanent new concrete block construction with standing seam metal roof, efficient mechanical and electrical equipment in accordance with CBJTS standards and applicable codes and regulations not to exceed the original footprint of the facilities ensuring no change in square footage. Interested firms are directed to the Vendor Bid System (VBS),

http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs_www.main_menu, for complete information. Notice will be posted to VBS on or about May 12, 2020. Point of Contact is CFMO Contract Management (904)823-0285 or e-mail ng.fl.flarng.list.cfmo-contracting@mail.mil.

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, May 4, 2020 and 3:00 p.m., Monday, May 11, 2020.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
33-102.101	5/4/2020	5/24/2020
40D-2.302	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
40D-8.624 (Lake Calm)	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
40D-8.624 (Lake Charles)	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
40D-8.624 (Lake Church and Lake Echo)	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
40D-8.624 (Lake Sapphire)	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
59AER20-1	5/5/2020	5/5/2020
59AER20-2	5/8/2020	5/8/2020
59AER20-3	5/8/2020	5/8/2020
60FF1-5.011	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
61E14-1.005	5/5/2020	5/25/2020
61G15-18.011	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
61G15-20.0010	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
61G15-20.007	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
61G15-20.008	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
64B3-5.003	5/5/2020	5/25/2020
64B5-2.020	5/8/2020	5/28/2020
64C-9.006	5/5/2020	5/25/2020
69A-37.055	5/7/2020	7/1/2020
69B-125.001	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
69B-125.002	5/7/2020	5/27/2020
LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES		
Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/****
60P-1.003	11/5/2019	**/**/****
60P-2.002	11/5/2019	**/**/****
60P-2.003	11/5/2019	**/**/****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Plant Industry Division

The FDACS' Division of Plant Industry is soliciting applications for review for the 2021 ENDANGERED AND THREATENED NATIVE FLORA CONSERVATION GRANTS PROGRAM. The program was authorized by the

1997 Florida Legislature to support the protection, curation, propagation, reintroduction and monitoring of native plant species of the state that are endangered or threatened and is contingent on an annual appropriation.

Who is eligible to apply?

By law, a qualified corporation is:

a not-for-profit corporation pursuant to s. 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954

is described in, and allowed to receive contributions pursuant to the provisions of, s. 170 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 is a corporation not for profit incorporated pursuant to Chapter 617 Florida Statutes

can demonstrate, based on program criteria described below, the ability to protect, conserve, propagate, reintroduce and monitor endangered and threatened native flora.

What specific criteria must the applicant document to be eligible for consideration?

The law requires that each applicant must successfully document:

- (1) Existing conservation experience with endangered and threatened native flora.
- (2) Existing facilities appropriate for program needs.
- (3) Existing programs administered by the corporation that successfully protect, conserve, propagate, reintroduce, and monitor native flora.
- (4) Existing record keeping and data that is accessible to national database of endangered and threatened plants.
- (5) Qualified staff with demonstrated experience in native plant conservation.
- (6) Documentation of collaboration with related state, national, or international conservation programs.
- (7) Successful experience propagating and reintroducing endangered and threatened native flora.
- (8) Public exhibit programs publicizing the conservation of native species and the importance of the conservation effort.
- (9) Fiscal stability and ability to match grant funding.

What projects are eligible for funding?

Activities which may receive Endangered and Threatened Native Flora Conservation grant funding are:

Activities which provide recognition of those native floras to the state that are endangered and threatened.

Activities that encourage, within a controlled program, the protection, curation, propagation, reintroduction and monitoring of native flora that are identified as endangered or threatened.

Local Match

In all cases, applicants eligible to receive state funds must document matching funds. Local match may be in the form of cash, in-kind services, donated services, or materials.

Application Deadline

To be considered for funding applications must be delivered to the Division of Plant Industry on or before 5:00 pm, July 31, 2020, or clearly postmarked or show evidence of submission to an express mail service on or before the same time and date.

Application Review and Project Selection

All eligible applications will be evaluated on a competitive basis by the Endangered Plant Advisory Council at a public meeting scheduled for the fall of 2020. The Council consists of members appointed by the Florida Commissioner of Agriculture. The Council will review the applications in accordance with the criteria and procedures established in Florida Statute 581.185 and Rule-Chapter 5B-40, Florida Administrative Code. The Council will make a recommendation based on applications received and qualifications of each applicant to the Commissioner of Agriculture. A level of funding (full or partial) will be suggested for each project recommended.

Final selection of projects for inclusion in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services 2020 legislative budget request will be made by the Florida Commissioner of Agriculture and will be based on Council recommendations.

The selection will not result in an immediate grant award. Rather, the proposed grants will be subject to approval of the department’s budget request before the 2021 Legislature. The award and level of funding of each project will be subject to legislative consideration.

If projects receive 2021 legislative funding, funds will become available after July 1, 2021, the beginning of the next fiscal year. The funds will need to be obligated by June 30, 2022. Any unexpended balance of grant funds not under terms of a contract will revert to the state.

Administrative Requirements

To receive grant funds, grantees will be required to sign a grant award contract. The grant award contract shall be prepared by the Division and shall contain by reference all regulations, rules, and other conditions governing the grant award. In addition, each grant recipient shall cause an annual post audit to be conducted by an independent certified public accountant. The annual audit report must be submitted to the Department for review.

Please feel free to direct any questions you may have regarding the Endangered and Threatened Native Flora Conservation Grants Program to Mr. Jason D. Stanley, Division of Plant Industry, email, Jason.stanley@fdacs.gov and Telephone: (352)395-4759.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY
 Division of Workforce Services
 DEO Emergency Order 20-020
 STATE OF FLORIDA
 DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

EMERGENCY ORDER 20-020

WHEREAS, Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is a severe acute respiratory illness that can spread among humans through respiratory transmission and presents with symptoms similar to those of influenza; and

WHEREAS, as of March 15, 2020, numerous counties in Florida have positive cases for COVID-19, and COVID-19 poses a risk to the entire state of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-52 on March 9, 2020, pursuant to the authority vested in him by Article IV, Section 1(a) of the Florida Constitution, the State Emergency Management Act, section 252.31, Florida Statutes, et al., as amended, and all other applicable laws, and declared a state of emergency for the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Governor, in Executive Order Number 20-52, authorized each State agency to suspend the provisions of any regulatory statute of that agency, if strict compliance with that statute would in any way prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with this emergency; and

WHEREAS, on March 20, 2020, I executed Emergency Order 20-011, on March 26, 2020 I executed Emergency Order 20-014, and on March 31, 2020, I executed Emergency Order 20-016, all of which suspend certain provisions of regulatory statutes that may prevent, hinder, or delay necessary actions to assist Florida’s Reemployment Assistance Program; and

WHEREAS, on May 1, 2020, I executed Emergency Order 20-019 which modified and extended Emergency Order 20-011 through May 9, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, KEN LAWSON, Executive Director of Florida’s Department of Economic Opportunity, pursuant to the authority granted by Executive Order No. 20-52, and in consultation with Secretary Jonathan Satter of the Department of Management Services, find the timely execution of the mitigation, response, and recovery aspects of the State’s emergency management plan, as it relates to COVID-19, is negatively impacted by the application of certain regulatory statutes related to the Department of Economic Opportunity (“the Department”). Therefore, I order the following:

1. The online work registration requirement in paragraph 443.091(1)(b), Florida Statutes, is hereby suspended. This paragraph modifies the Department’s Emergency Order 20-019 and shall remain in effect until May 30, 2020.
2. The “actively seeking work” requirement in paragraph 443.091(1)(d), Florida Statutes is hereby suspended consistent with the “emergency flexibility” provision of Families First Coronavirus Response Act, Division D Emergency Unemployment Insurance Stabilization and Access Act of 2020, Public Law 116-127, section 4102(b) and the Department of Labor’s related guidance set forth in Unemployment Insurance Program Letter No. 13-20. This paragraph modifies

the Department’s Emergency Order 20-019 and shall remain in effect until May 30, 2020.

3. The requirement in subparagraph 443.151(4)(a)2., Florida Statutes, providing that each Appeals Referee appointed by the Department be an attorney in good standing with The Florida Bar or be successfully admitted to The Florida Bar within eight months of employment is hereby suspended. This paragraph modifies the Department’s Emergency Order 20-019 and shall remain in effect until May 30, 2020.

4. Strict compliance with the requirements of section 287.057, Florida Statutes, would prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with the emergency; therefore, the requirements of section 287.057, Florida Statutes, applicable to the Department for purposes of making purchases necessary to address the increase in reemployment assistance claims, are suspended. This paragraph modifies the Department’s Emergency Order 20-14 and shall remain in effect until May 30, 2020.

5. Strict compliance with the requirements of section 443.091(1)(f), Florida Statutes, would prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with the emergency; therefore, the requirements of section 443.091(1)(f), Florida Statutes, are suspended. This suspension shall apply retroactively for Reemployment Assistance claims filed the week beginning March 29, 2020. This paragraph modifies the Department’s Emergency Order 20-16 and shall remain in effect until May 30, 2020.

6. Nothing herein shall be construed to effect or implicate any other requirements under federal law.

Executed this 8th day of May, 2020, in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

/s/Ken Lawson, Ken Lawson, Executive Director, 107 E. Madison St., Tallahassee, Florida 32399

/s/Jonathan Satter, Jonathan Satter, Secretary, Department of Management Services

Filed on this 8th day of May, 2020, with the designated Agency Clerk, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged.

/s/Janay Lovett, Agency Clerk

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

THIS FINAL ORDER CONSTITUTES FINAL AGENCY ACTION UNDER CHAPTER 120, FLORIDA STATUTES. A PARTY WHO IS ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY FINAL AGENCY ACTION IS ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 120.68, FLORIDA STATUTES, AND FLORIDA RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE 9.030(B)(1)(c) AND 9.110.

TO INITIATE JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THIS FINAL AGENCY ACTION, A NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST BE FILED WITH THE APPROPRIATE DISTRICT COURT OF

APPEAL WITHIN THIRTY (30) CALENDAR DAYS AFTER THE DATE THE FINAL AGENCY ACTION WAS FILED BY THE AGENCY CLERK. THE NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE FILING FEE SPECIFIED IN SECTION 35.22, FLORIDA STATUTES. A COPY OF THE NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST ALSO BE FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT’S AGENCY CLERK, 107 EAST MADISON STREET, CALDWELL BUILDING, MSC 110, TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32399-4128, AGENCY.CLERK@DEO.MYFLORIDA.COM. A DOCUMENT IS FILED WHEN IT IS RECEIVED. THE NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST BE SUBSTANTIALLY IN THE FORM PRESCRIBED BY FLORIDA RULE OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE 9.900(A).

AN ADVERSELY AFFECTED PARTY WAIVES THE RIGHT TO JUDICIAL REVIEW IF THE NOTICE OF APPEAL IS NOT TIMELY FILED WITH BOTH THE DEPARTMENT’S AGENCY CLERK AND THE APPROPRIATE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL.

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