

Section I

Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:
 61A-2.023 Proposed and Final Tax Assessments
 61A-2.024 Final Refund Denials

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To promulgate Rules 61A-2.023 and 61A-2.024, F.A.C., in order to establish the processes for tax assessments and refund denials, including taxpayer appeal rights.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The method by which the Department notifies taxpayers of the proposed tax assessment and the issuance of notice to taxpayers for final refund denials.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 561.11 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 72.011(2)(b)3. 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.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Renita Walton-Hayes, Operations Review Specialist, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1020, (850)717-1118, renita.walton-hayes@myfloridalicense.com

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

Section II

Proposed Rules

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
 25-6.058 Determination of Average Meter Error

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The rule is amended to correct the calculation of meter error for solid-state meters for consistency with the applicable American National Standard for Electric Meters standard.

Docket No. 140131-EU

SUMMARY: The rule amends subparagraph (1)(c)1. of the rule to properly describe the equation $(4FL + 2LL + PF)/7$.

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 been prepared by the Agency.

The SERC examined the factors required by Section 120.541(2)(c), F.S., and concluded that the rule amendment will not have an adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness, or small business and that investor-owned electric utilities operating in Florida may benefit from the rule amendment.

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: based upon the information contained in the SERC.

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: 366.05(1) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.05(3) FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Kathryn G.W. Cowdery, Office of General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6216, kcowdery@psc.state.fl.us

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

25-6.058 Determination of Average Meter Registration Error.

(1)(a) through (b) No change.

(c) If a polyphase metering installation is used on a varying load, the average registration error shall be determined by one of the following methods. The utility shall select the method that best fits the customer's usage pattern.

1. The weighted algebraic average of its error at light load (approximately 10 percent rated test amperes) given a weight of ~~two one~~, its error at heavy load (approximately 100 percent rated test amperes) and 100 percent power factor given a weight of four, and at heavy load (approximately 100 percent rated test amperes) and 50 percent lagging power factor given a weight of ~~one two~~; or

2. A single point, when calculating the error of an electronic meter, and the single point is an accurate representation of the error over the load range of the meter.

(2) No change.

~~Rulemaking Specific~~ Authority 366.05(1) FS. Law Implemented 366.05(3) FS. History—New 7-29-69, Formerly 25-6.58, Amended 5-19-97, 7-3-06,_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Tony Velazquez

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Florida Public Service Commission

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: September 4, 2014

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: Volume 40, Number 104, May 29, 2014

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Medical Quality Assurance

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

64B-1.005 Special Testing Accommodations

64B-1.008 Grading of Examinations; Grade Notification.

64B-1.013 Post-Examination Review

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This purpose of this rulemaking is to delete definitions that were identified as unnecessary, remove language that is duplicative of existing law or unnecessary, and clarify the re-examination timeframe. The rulemaking removes the department as a grader of examinations and provides clarity on the notification of examination grades. The effect is that the rule language will be streamlined and will reflect the fact that the department contracts for examinations in accordance with Section 456.017, Florida Statutes.

SUMMARY: This rulemaking deletes unnecessary and duplicative language and provides clarity regarding special testing accommodations, grading of examinations, grade notification, and post-examination review related to licensure examinations for health care professions.

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: This rulemaking will not have an adverse impact or regulatory costs in excess of \$1 million within five years as established in Section 120.541(2)(a), F.S.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.004(5), 456.017(1), 456.017(2) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.017(1), 456.017(2) 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: Jennifer Wenhold, (850)245-4253, Jennifer.Wenhold@flhealth.gov

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B-1.005 Special Testing Accommodations.

~~(1) Definitions:~~

~~(a) The term “disability” means, with respect to an individual:~~

~~1. A physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities of such individual;~~

~~2. A record of such an impairment; or~~

~~3. Being regarded as having such an impairment.~~

~~(b) A physical or mental impairment means:~~

~~1. Any physiological disorder, or condition, cosmetic disfigurement, or anatomical loss affecting one or more of the following body systems: neurological, musculoskeletal, special sense organs, respiratory (including speech organs), cardiovascular, reproductive, digestive, genito-urinary, hematic and lymphatic, skin, and endocrine; or~~

~~2. Any mental or psychological disorder, such as mental retardation, organic brain syndrome, emotional or mental illness, and specific learning disabilities. The term does not include learning problems that are primarily the result of visual, hearing or motor disabilities, mental retardation, emotional disturbance, English as a second language, or of environmental, cultural or economical disadvantage.~~

~~(c) Major life activities include: caring for oneself, performing manual tasks, seeing, hearing, eating, sleeping, walking, standing, lifting, bending, speaking, breathing, learning, reading, concentrating, thinking, communicating, and working. Major life activity also includes the operation of a major bodily function, including, but not limited to, functions of the immune system, normal cell growth, digestive, bowel, bladder, neurological, brain, respiratory, circulatory, endocrine, and reproductive functions.~~

(2) through (10) renumbered (1) through (9) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 456.004(5), 456.017(1) FS. Law Implemented 456.017(1) FS. History—New 9-7-98, Amended 7-20-03, 1-8-09, 9-30-09, 6-28-12,_____.

64B-1.008 Grading of Examinations; Grade Notification.

(1) through (2) No change.

(3) Examinations developed for the department or by a professional testing entity other than a national examination provider shall be graded by that testing entity or by its contract provider. ~~Grading procedures shall be in compliance with the provisions of the board rules, and where there is no board, the department rules.~~

(4) No change.

~~(5) Official grades are to be posted on the Examination Services website, the website shall notify applicants in advance of the window when the official grades will be available on the internet.~~

~~(5)(6)~~ No change.

~~(6)(7)~~ Any candidate failing to receive a passing score on a licensure or certification examination shall be notified of the requirements for re-examination. For department-developed examinations, failing candidates shall also receive information regarding post-examination review and election of hearing rights. Candidates must wait at least 30 days after an examination before they can re-examine.

~~(8) For computer based testing examinations, candidates shall receive a preliminary grade report at the computer based testing site. Preliminary score reports are not official score reports. Preliminary score reports are subject to review and changes for accuracy and psychometric soundness.~~

~~(8)(9)~~ No change.

Rulemaking Authority 456.004(5), 456.017(4) FS. Law Implemented 456.017(1), 456.017(2) FS. History—New 9-7-98, Amended 7-20-03, 9-30-09, 3-19-12, _____.

64B-1.013 Post-Examination Review.

(1) through (2)(d) No change.

~~(e) The provisions outlined in Rule 64B 1.004, F.A.C., shall apply to all review sessions. Violation of such provisions by a candidate shall result in termination of the review session and the candidate shall be subject to other sanctions as determined by the appropriate board pursuant to the board's disciplinary guidelines.~~

(f) through (k) renumbered (e) through (j) No change.

(3) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 456.004(5), 456.017(2) FS. Law Implemented 456.017(2) FS. History—New 9-7-98, Amended 7-20-03, 6-19-08, 9-30-09, 3-19-12, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:

Jennifer Wenhold

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE

PROPOSED RULE: John H. Armstrong, MD, FACS, Surgeon General and Secretary

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: August 27, 2014

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: April 18, 2014

Section III Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Insurance Agents and Agency Services

RULE NO.: 69B-162.011 RULE TITLE: Suitability and Disclosure in Annuity Contracts-Forms Required.
NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following correction has been made to the proposed rule in Vol. 40, No. 99, May 21, 2014 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

Notice is hereby given that the following corrections are being made to the text of the Notice of Change, published in the Florida Administrative Register, Vol. 40, No. 99, on August 19, 2014 to reflect the correct text of this rule. This notice also corrects the rule title as it was published.

69B-162.011 Suitability and Disclosure in Annuity Investments ~~Contracts~~ – Forms Required.

(1) Forms Adopted.

Forms DFS-HI-1980, “Annuity Suitability Questionnaire,” (Effective ~~12-25-09~~) and DFS-HI-1981, “Disclosure and Comparison of Annuity Contracts” (Effective ~~12-25-09~~), are adopted pursuant to ~~paragraphs~~ Sections 627.4554(5)(4)(b) and ~~(f)(4)~~, F.S., and are hereby incorporated by reference. Copies of each form adopted and incorporated by reference in this rule are available from the Division of Agents and Agency Services, Department of Financial Services, Larson Building, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0318 or <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/Agents/default.htm> ~~<http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Agents/Licensure/Forms/index.htm>~~.

(2) Application.

This rule applies exclusively to any recommendation to purchase or exchange an annuity contract as defined in subsection ~~Section~~ 627.4554(2)(3), F.S., made to a ~~senior~~ consumer by an insurance agent or an insurer, which results in the purchase or exchange recommended. ~~A senior consumer is a person 65 years of age or older. In a joint purchase or exchange, if any party is 65 or older the joint purchasers are considered to be senior consumers.~~

(3) Duties of Insurers and Insurance Agents.

(a) Before executing a purchase or exchange of an annuity to a ~~senior~~ consumer, an insurance agent or an insurer, unless exempted by ~~paragraph Section~~ 627.4554(5)(i)(8), F.S., and required by the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority to perform an alternative suitability analysis, must use form DFS-H1-1980, Annuity Suitability Questionnaire incorporated in subsection (1) above, to obtain information in order to determine the suitability of the recommendation.

(b) In addition to obtaining the information required by paragraph (a), before executing a replacement or exchange of an annuity contract to a ~~senior~~ consumer, the insurance agent or insurer must also provide contract comparison information to the ~~senior~~ consumer utilizing form DFS-H1-1981, Disclosure and Comparison of Annuity Contracts, incorporated in subsection (1) above.

(c) The type face for all printed questions or requests for information that will be directly received or answered by the consumer, and all portions of the referenced forms relating to the disclosure requirements pursuant to paragraphs (3)(a) and (b) above, must be of least 12-point type.

(d) Nothing in this rule shall prevent an insurer from adapting the forms adopted in subsection (1) for its use, upon written approval of any modifications by the Department. The Department shall approve an insurer's modification to the forms provided:

1. The forms still contain all of the same information as the Department forms referenced above;
2. The type size requirement of paragraph (3)(c) above is met;
3. Additional material added to the form does not obscure the information required, or rearrange the required information in such a way as to make it more difficult to find or understand;
4. The revised form does not contain misrepresentations or misleading statements, and is not in any other way in violation of Section 626.9541, F.S.

(e) Insurers are permitted to modify the form to use check-off boxes for indication of investment experience and risk tolerance, but shall not substitute check-off boxes for any other items on the form.

(f) The addition of an insurer's name, contact information, or trademark; the addition of borders; or changes in font which do not alter type size, do not require prior written approval by the Department.

(g) Approval by the Department does not preclude disapproval by the Florida Office of Insurance Regulation pursuant to any provision of the Florida Insurance Code, and rules adopted there under.

Rulemaking Authority 624.308(1), 627.4554(9) FS. Law Implemented 627.4554 FS. History—New 12-25-09, Amended _____.

Section IV
Emergency Rules

NONE

Section V
Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule
Variance or Waiver

NONE

Section VI
Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public
Hearings

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

The following state governmental agencies, boards and commissions announce a public meeting to which all persons are invited:

- State Board of Administration
 - Division of Bond Finance
 - Financial Services Commission
 - Office of Insurance Regulation
 - Office of Financial Regulation
 - Agency for Enterprise Information Technology
 - Department of Veterans' Affairs
 - Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles
 - Department of Law Enforcement
 - Department of Revenue
 - Administration Commission
 - Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission
 - Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund
 - Department of Environmental Protection
- DATE AND TIME: September 23, 2014, 9:00 a.m.
PLACE: Cabinet Meeting Room, Lower Level, The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
Regular scheduled meeting of the Governor and Cabinet to act on all executive branch matters provided by law and to act on any agendas submitted for their consideration. The Governor and Cabinet will proceed through each agenda, item by item.

The State Board of Administration will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda, which may include such matters as Executive Director's reports; approval of fiscal sufficiency of state bond issues; approval of sale of local bonds at an interest rate in excess of statutory interest rate limitation; reports on investment performance; designation of banks as depositories for state funds; adoption of rules and regulations;

investment of state funds pursuant to Chapter 215, F.S.; and consideration of other matters within its authority pursuant to Chapters 215 and 344, F.S., and Section 16 of Article IX of the Florida Constitution of 1885, as continued by subsection 9(c) of Article XII of the Florida Constitution of 1968.

The Division of Bond Finance of the State Board of Administration will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda, which will deal with the issuance of State bonds, arbitrage compliance and related matters.

The Financial Services Commission will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include, but not be limited to; matters relating to rulemaking for all activities of the Office of Insurance Regulation concerning insurers and other risk bearing entities, including licensing, rates, policy forms, market conduct, claims, adjusters, issuance of certificates of authority, solvency, viatical settlements, premium financing, and administrative supervision, as provided under the Insurance Code or Chapter 636, F.S., and matters related to rulemaking for all activities of the Office of Financial Regulation relating to the regulation of banks, credit unions, other financial institutions, finance companies, retail installment sales providers, title loan lenders, collection agencies, mortgage brokers, mortgage lenders, certified capital companies, money services businesses, and the securities industry.

The Agency for Enterprise Information Technology will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include, but not be limited to, the presentation and approval of the Agency's Annual Operational Work Plan as well as matters relating to rulemaking for all activities of the Agency.

The Department of Veterans' Affairs will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include the administration of the Department as well as actions taken to further the Department's mission of providing assistance to veterans and their dependents, pursuant to Section 292.05, F.S. The Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda, which may include such matters as approval of agency policies, taking agency action with regard to administrative procedure matters, and considering other matters within its authority pursuant to Florida Statutes.

The Department of Law Enforcement will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include but not be limited to such matters as transfer of agency funds or positions, formulation of Departmental Rules, administrative procedure matters, submittal of reports as required, enter into contracts as authorized and to consider other matters within its authority pursuant to Chapters 20, 23, 120 and 943, F.S.

The Department of Revenue will act on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include approval of rules, legislative concept proposals, contracts over \$100,000, Departmental

budgets, administrative procedure matters, and consideration of other matters within its authority.

The Administration Commission will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda which may include such matters as to create or transfer agency funds or positions, approve Career Service rules, administrative procedure matters, environmental matters arising under Chapter 380, F.S., comprehensive planning issues pursuant to Section 163.3184, F.S., determine sheriffs' budget matters, and consider other matters within its authority pursuant to various statutes including Chapters 110, 215 and 216, F.S.

The Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission will take action on matters duly presented on its agenda including appeals of local government development orders in areas of critical state concern or of developments of regional impact under Section 380.07, F.S.; and review of water management matters under Chapter 373, F.S. The Commission will also review Department of Environmental Protection's rules and orders which, prior to July 1, 1993, the Governor and Cabinet, sitting as the head of the Department of Natural Resources, had authority to issue or promulgate.

The Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund will take action on matters for which it is responsible pursuant to law (including duties pursuant to Title 18 of the Florida Statutes and Title 18 of the Florida Administrative Code) and that are duly presented on its agenda, which may include such matters as aquacultural issues as presented by the Division of Aquaculture in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; mineral leases or sales; state or sovereign land leases, sales, exchanges, dedications, and easements; conservation and preservation lands and other land purchases; land planning matters and other matters within its authority.

The Department of Environmental Protection will present for consideration those matters required by law to be reviewed by the Governor and Cabinet, sitting as the Siting Board, which may include, but are not limited to siting of power plants and electric and natural gas transmission lines.

A copy of any of the above agendas submitted to the Governor and Cabinet for this meeting may be obtained by viewing the website of the Governor and Cabinet at <http://www.myflorida.com/myflorida/cabinet/> or by contacting each individual agency.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this meeting is asked to provide at least 48 hours' notification before the meeting by contacting the Governor's Cabinet Affairs Office, (850)488-5152.

CABINET AIDES BRIEFING: On the Wednesday of the week prior to the above meeting, there will be a meeting of the aides to the Governor and Cabinet Members at 9:00 a.m., Cabinet Meeting Room, Lower Level, The Capitol, Tallahassee.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission
The Region XIV Trust Fund Advisory Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 1, 2014, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Miami Dade College, North Campus, Room 9118

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discussion of Region XIV Reports and other Region XIV business matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Maevis Pierre, Interim, Region XIV Secretary O.: (305)237-1329, email: mpierre6@mdc.edu.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

The Florida Department of Transportation, District 2 announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 15, 2014, 4:30 p.m.

PLACE: Courtyard by Marriott, 14402 Old St. Augustine Road, Jacksonville, FL 32258

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This hearing is being held to afford interested persons the opportunity to express their views concerning the location, conceptual design, social, economic, and environmental effects of Financial Project ID: 431418-2, otherwise known as State Road 9B Extension in Duval and St. Johns Counties, Florida. The project is to extend State Road 9B from I-95 in Duval County to CR-2209 (St. Johns Parkway) in St. Johns County, Florida. The additional access and alternate route will reduce congestion at the CR-210 and Old St. Augustine Road interchanges with I-95. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, disability or family status.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Bill Henderson, District Planning and Environmental Manager, Florida Department of Transportation, District 2, 1109 S. Marion Avenue, MS #2007, Lake City, FL 32025-5874.

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: Mr. Bill Henderson, District Planning and Environmental Manager, Florida Department of Transportation, District 2, 1109 S. Marion Avenue, MS #2007, Lake City, FL 32025-5874. 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 Florida Department of Citrus announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 17, 2014, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Citrus, 605 E. Main Street, Bartow, Florida 33830

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Commission will convene for the purpose of standing committee meetings and the regularly scheduled meeting of the Florida Citrus Commission. The Commission will address issues pertaining to budget items and revisions, contracts, advertising programs, program evaluation measurements, licensing, issues pertaining to Chapter 601, F.S., rulemaking; and any other matter addressed during regular meetings of the Commission.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Heather Facey, Florida Department of Citrus, P. O. Box 9010, Bartow, Florida 33831 or hfacey@citrus.myflorida.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Dianne Screws at dscrews@citrus.myflorida.com or (863)537-3984. 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.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

The Florida Public Service Commission announces a prehearing to be held in the following dockets, to which all interested persons are invited.

Docket No. 140001-EI – Fuel and purchased power cost recovery clause with generating performance incentive factor

Docket No. 140002-EG – Energy conservation cost recovery clause

Docket No. 140003-GU – Purchased gas adjustment (PGA) true-up

Docket No. 140004-GU – Natural gas conservation cost recovery

Docket No. 140007-EI – Environmental cost recovery clause

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, October 8, 2014, 9:30 a.m.

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

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To consider (1) the simplification of the issues; (2) the identification of the positions of the parties on the issues; (3) the possibility of obtaining admissions of fact and of documents which will avoid unnecessary proof; (4) the identification of the exhibits; (5) the establishment of an order of witnesses; and, (6) such other matters as may aid in the disposition of the action.

Emergency Cancellation of Prehearing

If a named storm or other disaster requires cancellation of the prehearing, Commission staff will attempt to give timely direct notice to the parties. Notice of cancellation of the prehearing will also be provided on the Commission's website (<http://www.psc.state.fl.us/>) under the Hot Topics link found on the home page. Cancellation can also be confirmed by calling the Office of the General Counsel at (850)413-6199.

In accordance with the American 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 prehearing at 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 or via 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) or 1(800)955-8771 (TDD), Florida Relay Service.

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Docket No. 140004-GU – Natural gas conservation cost recovery

Docket No. 140007-EI – Environmental cost recovery clause

DATES AND TIME: October 22-24, 2014, 9:30 a.m. The hearing may be adjourned early if all testimony is concluded.

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

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The purpose of this hearing shall be to receive testimony and exhibits relative to issues and subjects, including, but not limited to, the following:

1. Determination of the Projected Levelized Fuel Adjustment Factors for all investor-owned electric utilities for the period January 2015 through December 2015.
2. Determination of the Estimated Fuel Adjustment True-Up Amounts for all investor-owned electric utilities for the period January 2014 through December 2014.
3. Determination of the Final Fuel Adjustment True-Up Amounts for all investor-owned electric utilities for the period January 2013 through December 2013, which are to be based on actual data for that period.

4. Determination of Generating Performance Incentive Factor Targets and Ranges for the period January 2015 through December 2015.

5. Determination of Generating Performance Incentive Factor Rewards and Penalties for the period January 2013 through December 2013.

6. Determination of the Projected Capacity Cost Recovery Factors for the period January 2015 through December 2015, including nuclear costs.

7. Determination of the Estimated Capacity Cost Recovery True-Up Amounts for the period January 2014 through December 2014, including nuclear costs.

8. Determination of the Final Capacity Cost Recovery True-Up Amounts for the period January 2013 through December 2013, which are to be based on actual data for that period, including nuclear costs.

9. Determination of the Projected Conservation Cost Recovery Factors for certain investor-owned electric and gas utilities for the period January 2015 through December 2015.

10. Determination of Conservation Actual/Estimated Amounts for certain investor-owned electric and gas utilities for the period January 2014 through December 2014.

11. Determination of the Final Conservation True-up Amounts for the period January 2013 through December 2013 for certain investor-owned electric and gas utilities, which are to be based on actual data for that period.

12. Determination of the Purchased Gas Adjustment Cost Recovery Factors for the period January 2015 through December 2015.

13. Determination of Actual/Estimated Purchased Gas True-Up Amounts for the period January 2014 through December 2014.

14. Determination of the Final Purchased Gas True-Up Amounts for the period January 2013 through December 2013.

15. Determination of the Projected Environmental Cost Recovery Factors for the period January 2015 through December 2015.

16. Determination of the Estimated Actual Environmental Cost Recovery True-Up Amounts for the period January 2014 through December 2014.

17. Determination of the Final Environmental Cost Recovery True-Up Amounts for the period January 2013 through December 2013, which are to be based on actual data for that period.

All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony. The proceedings will be governed by the provisions of Chapter 120, F.S., and Chapters 28-106, F.A.C., and 25-22, F.A.C.

Emergency Cancellation of Hearing

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REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council

The Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 18, 2014, 8:00 a.m.

PLACE: Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council, 1926 Victoria Avenue, Fort Myers

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The SWFRPC’s Legislative Affairs Committee meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Sean McCabe at (239)338-2550, ext. 220.

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: SWFRPC Offices at (239)338-2550. 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 visit the SWFRPC’s website: www.swfrpc.org.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, September 17, 2014, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: South Florida Water Management District, B-1 Bill Storch Conference Room, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Public Meeting to discuss regulatory matters.

All or part of these meetings will be video-conferenced in order to permit maximum participation from the South Florida Water Management District Service Centers located at: Lower West Coast Service Center, 2301 McGregor Blvd., Fort Myers, FL 33901; Orlando Service Center, 1707 Orlando Central Parkway, Suite 200, Orlando, FL 32809; Okeechobee Service Center, 3800 NW 16th Boulevard, Okeechobee, FL 34972.

The meeting will also be webcast.

Agendas are available 7 days prior to the meeting date. You may obtain a copy of the agenda by going to our website at: www.sfwmd.gov.

Hold mouse over the “Topics” tab, scroll down to “Permits” and click

Under “Upcoming Events” on the right hand column, click the “Monthly Regulatory Meetings” link

Or, subscribe to ePermitting/eNoticing: www.sfwmd.gov/epermitting

For additional information, you may also call our information line: (561)682-6207 or Florida toll-free: 1(800)432-2045, ext. 6207.

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: District Clerk’s Office, (561)682-2087. 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: District Clerk’s Office, (561)682-2087.

DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS

Alzheimer’s Disease Initiative

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

DATE AND TIME: September 25, 2014, 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference call: dial-in number: 1(888)670-3525, participant pass code: 396 087 6812

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Alzheimer’s Disease Advisory Committee - Legislative Subcommittee

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Latasha McGriff, Department of Elder Affairs, 4040 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-7000, telephone number: (850)414-2176, email address: mcgriff@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: Latasha McGriff, Department of Elder Affairs, 4040 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-7000, telephone number: (850)414-2176, email address: mcgriff@elderaffairs.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Latasha McGriff, Department of Elder Affairs, 4040 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-7000, telephone number: (850)414-2176, email address: mcgriff@elderaffairs.org.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

The Agency for Health Care Administration announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 25, 2014, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Tallahassee, Florida. Any person interested in participating by telephone may dial: 1(888)670-3525, conference code: 5350618829. If you have any difficulty accessing the teleconference, please call the Florida Center's main number at (850)412-3730.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This meeting will be a teleconference (conference call) to which all interested parties are invited. The purpose of this call/meeting is to provide interested parties input on the Agency's Inpatient and Ambulatory Data collection programs. It is expected that participants in the teleconference will discuss the regulations governing patient data collection in Florida and help develop recommendations to improve the quality of the process and the resulting data.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Nancy Tamariz, Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Bldg. 3, Mail Stop #16, Tallahassee, FL 32308-5403.

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: Judy Mathews at (850)412-3763. 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: Judy Mathews at (850)412-3763.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Division of Purchasing

The Department of Management Services, Division of State Purchasing announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 16, 2014, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: 4050 Esplanade Way, Room 101, Tallahassee, FL 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Department of Management Services, Division of State Purchasing announces a change in the date and time of the public meeting/pre-proposal vendor conference for Mail Services. In accordance with the timeframe set forth in Section 120.525, Florida Statutes, a Pre-Proposal Vendor Conference is hereby noticed within the timeline for the Request For Proposal (RFP) (Number: 06-80141800-W) for Mail Services.

The Department reserves the right to issue amendments, addenda, and changes to the timeline and specifically to the meeting notice listed above. The Department will post notice of any changes or additional meetings within the Vendor Bid System (VBS) in accordance with Section 287.042(3), Florida Statutes, and will not re-advertise notice in the Florida Administrative Review (FAR). Access the VBS at: http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Procurement Officer - Don Hurst, PMP®, Associate Category Manager, Division of State Purchasing, Florida Department of Management Services, 4050 Esplanade Way, Suite 360, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0950, phone: (850)488-8367, email: Don.Hurst@dms.myflorida.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: the Procurement Officer (see 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).

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

DATE AND TIME: September 19, 2014, following the Board Meeting at a time to be announced at the conclusion of the Board Meeting

PLACE: Tallahassee City Hall, Commission Chambers, 300 South Adams Street, Tallahassee, FL; note: this workshop will not be available via telephone.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Following the September 19, 2014 meeting of the Board of Directors, which begins at 8:30 a.m., Florida Housing staff will

hold a workshop to solicit public comments concerning the upcoming geographic Request for Applications (RFAs). The Corporation expects to offer a portion of the 2015 Competitive Housing Credit Allocation through two (2) geographic RFAs: for proposed Developments located in Medium and Small Counties and for proposed Developments located in Large Counties. The agenda will be posted to the Corporation's website prior to the workshop.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ken Reecy at (850)488-4197.

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: Jean Salmonsén at (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).

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

The Board of Governors of the State University System of Florida and its Committees announce public meetings to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Wednesday, September 17, 2014, 9:30 a.m.; Thursday, September 18, 2014, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: University of West Florida, University Conference Center, Pensacola, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the regular business of the Board of Governors and its Committees.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Vikki Shirley, Interim Corporate Secretary, Board of Governors, 1614 Turlington Building, 325 W. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400.

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: Vikki Shirley, Interim Corporate Secretary, Board of Governors, 1614 Turlington Building, 325 W. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400, (850)245-0466. 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: Vikki Shirley, Interim Corporate Secretary, 1614 Turlington Building, 325 W. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400.

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

The Board of Governors Foundation, Inc., announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, September 17, 2014, 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: University of West Florida, University Conference Center, Pensacola, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the regular business of the Board of Governors Foundation, Inc.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Vikki Shirley, Interim Corporate Secretary, Board of Governors, 1614 Turlington Building, 325 W. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400, and will be available at www.flbog.edu.

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: Vikki Shirley, Interim Corporate Secretary, Board of Governors, 1614 Turlington Building, 325 W. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400, (850)245-0466. 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: Vikki Shirley, Interim Corporate Secretary, Board of Governors, 1614 Turlington Building, 325 W. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

The East Central Florida Corridor Task Force announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 15, 2014, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: Nyami Nyami River Lodge, Brevard Zoo, 8225 N. Wickam Road, Melbourne, Florida 32940

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Task Force will be receiving additional briefings on items requested by Task Force Members including rail initiatives, the I-4 Ultimate Plan and the Automated Vehicle Initiative. There will be continued discussion and development of draft guiding principles for future corridor planning. The general purpose, need, and location of major corridor investments as well as opportunities for greater consistency among regional and local plans in regards to corridor planning will be discussed. The Task Force will review working drafts of the report along with the supporting data and analysis. Plans for upcoming community workshops in October will be presented and discussed. The opportunity for public input will also be given.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: James Stansbury at james.stansbury@deo.myflorida.com or going to the East Central Florida Corridor Task Force website: <http://ecfcorridortaskforce.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 96 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: James Stansbury at (850)717-8475 or james.stansbury@deo.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: James Stansbury at james.stansbury@deo.myflorida.com or go to the East Central Florida Corridor Task Force website: <http://ecfcorridortaskforce.org>.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Division of Community Development

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 25, 2014, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: University of Florida/IFAS Extension, Glades County, 900 U.S. Highway 27 SW, Moore Haven, FL 33471

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Purpose: DEO is seeking a nonprofit organization to administer the Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Program in Glades County. Entities interested in contracting with DEO to provide these services should be present at this public meeting in order to be informed of the qualifications and application requirements.

Selection of an entity will be based on the entity's experience and performance in a broad range of services designed to eliminate poverty and foster self-sufficiency. The entity must be interested in becoming a CSBG-eligible entity and must be willing to meet the requirements of 42 U. S. C. 9901, Section 676 A and 676 B concerning the structure and operations of the CSBG board. Special consideration will be given to any community action agency or other public or nonprofit entity which has demonstrated effectiveness in providing services consistent with the goals and purposes of CSBG.

The following qualities will be reviewed: (1) the extent to which the entity's past or current programs achieved or are achieving the stated goals in a timely fashion; (2) the quality of work performed by the entity; (3) the number, qualifications, and experience of the staff members of the entity; (4) the ability of the entity to secure and train volunteers; and (5) maintain compliance with administrative, program, and financial management requirements.

Only one entity will be funded. The entity must be capable and willing to provide services to all eligible low-income citizens in Glades County.

Actions to be taken: DEO will review the submitted applications, and make a decision regarding each applicant's eligibility to provide CSBG services to Glades County. DEO staff will prepare a recommendation for the selected entity for subsequent consideration and approval or disapproval by DEO's Executive Director.

Requests for a copy of the agenda for this meeting and additional information or questions may be addressed to Ms. Jean Amison, Manager, Community Services Block Grant, Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, 107 East Madison Street, MSC #400, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)717-8450, fax: (850)488-2488, email: jean.amison@deo.myflorida.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: DEO at (850)717-8450 at least five (5) calendar days prior to the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact DEO using the Florida Dual Party Relay System, 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: Ms. Jean Amison.

PASCO-PINELLAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING

The Area Agency on Aging of Pasco-Pinellas announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, September 15, 2014, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: 9549 Koger Blvd., Suite 100, St. Petersburg, FL 33702

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: Brenda Black at (727)570-9696, ext. 233.

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: Brenda Black at (727)570-9696, ext. 233. 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: Brenda Black at (727)570-9696, ext. 233.

CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING OF SOUTH FLORIDA, INC.

The Center for Independent Living of South Florida announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Saturday, September 20, 2014, 12:00 Noon – 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: 6660 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, FL 33138

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors of the Center for Independent Living of South Florida, Inc. The Finance Committee and other ad hoc committees will meet 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon, prior to the Board Meeting. If alternative format, ASL interpreter, or other accommodation is required, please request at least 7 days in advance of the meeting date.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mary@soflacil.org or call (305)751-8025, ext. 110.

CITIZENS PROPERTY INSURANCE CORPORATION

The Audit Committee of Citizens Property Insurance announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 23, 2014, 10.30 a.m.

PLACE: The Alford Inn, 300 E. New England Ave., Winter Park, FL 32789

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: As per the agenda.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Betty Veal at (904)407-0440 or at 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: Betty Veal. 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: Betty Veal.

CITIZENS PROPERTY INSURANCE CORPORATION

The Actuarial & Underwriting Committee of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 23, 2014, 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Alford Inn, 300 East New England Avenue, Winter Park, FL 32789 or via teleconference: 1(866)361-7525, participant code: 8632017402#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Business before the Actuarial & Underwriting Committee.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Connie Bryan, (904)208-7238 or visiting our website: 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: Connie Bryan, (904)208-7238. 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: Connie Bryan, (904)208-7238.

WALTON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The Walton Community Health Center announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 18, 2014, 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: Walton County Health Department

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Various Board information.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Denise Flynn.

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: Denise Flynn. 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: Denise Flynn, (850)892-8015, ext. 1190.

QUEST CORPORATION OF AMERICA, INC.

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 18, 2014, 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: Lake Panasoffkee Recreation Park, East Wing Meeting Room, 1589 CR 459, Lake Panasoffkee, FL 33538

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Financial Project Management No. 242626-2-52-01. The work consists of widening Interstate 75 (I-75) from four (4) lanes to six (6) lanes, a complete interchange reconstruction at State Road 48, new ramps along with milling and resurfacing at the County Road (CR) 476B/CR 673 interchange, drainage, Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) improvements, guardrail, signalization, signing and pavement markings, plus miscellaneous structures. The limits of the project are from the Hernando/Sumter County line to south of CR 470.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: this is an Open House format meeting. A project fact sheet will be distributed at the meeting.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Irina Lallemand, Public Involvement Coordinator at (352)427-4054 or via email: irina.lallemand@dot.state.us.fl. 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: Eric Jagggers, CPM, FDOT Project Manager at (352)326-7715 or via email: eric.jagggers@dot.state.fl.us.

Section VII
Notice of Petitions and Dispositions
Regarding Declaratory Statements

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Division of Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics has received the petition for declaratory statement from William Chelak, Director, Sales US on behalf of Hetero USA, Inc., 1035 Centennial Avenue, Piscataway, NJ 00854, filed on August 27, 2014. The petition seeks the agency’s opinion as to the applicability of Sections 499.01 and 499.01(4) (a), Florida Statutes, and related administrative rules as they apply to the petitioner.

Hetero USA, Inc., is requesting that the Department of Business and Professional Regulation issue a declaratory statement as to the following. 1. Hetero USA, Inc. (“Hetero USA”) is requesting a waiver from the licensing requirements for a nonresident manufacturer. Hetero is the U.S. affiliate of Hetero Drugs Limited (“HDL”) and Hetero Labs Limited (“HLL”), manufacturers of prescription active pharmaceutical ingredients (“API”) in Andhra Pradesh, India. Hetero USA, as the U.S.-based affiliate, performs sales and arrangements of distribution as the importer of record of API from HDL and HLL to Florida resident prescription drug manufacturers for commercial manufacturing. Hetero USA is properly licensed in its resident state with the New Jersey Department of Health, Registration No. 5004050 with an expiration of January 1, 2015. 2. HDL and HLL maintain a current and valid FDA Establishment Registration. WHEREFORE, Hetero USA, Inc., respectfully requests that DBPR issue a Final Order determining that: the sale and distribution of API as exempt

from the Florida nonresident manufacturer licensing requirements.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: The Division of Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics, Dinah Greene, 1940 N. Monroe Street, Suite 26A, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1047.

Please refer all comments to: Reggie Dixon, Division Director, Division of Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics, 1940 N. Monroe Street, Suite 26A, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1047, website: http://interredesignalpha/dbpr/ddc/ddc_division_notices.html.

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

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

NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filled 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

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Administration

Statement of Qualifications – Pompano State Farmers Market
As an architect/engineer, you are invited to submit an SOQ to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services,

Division of Marketing and Development, hereinafter referred to as Owner.

The Department is seeking the professional services of an architect/engineer to complete a feasibility study and design drawings/specifications to enclose Unit #1 at the Pompano State Farmers Market located at 1255 West Atlantic Boulevard, Pompano Beach, Florida 32399.

PROJECT NAME & LOCATION: Pompano State Farmers Market, 1255 West Atlantic Boulevard, Pompano Beach, Florida 32399.

SOLICITATION DOCUMENT: The entire solicitation document, which includes specifications, may be viewed and downloaded from the Vendor Bid System at <http://myflorida.com>, click on Business, Doing Business with the State of Florida, Everything for Vendors and Customers, Vendor Bid System, Search Advertisements, Bid Number SOQ/DM-14/15-26, or by calling the Purchasing Office at (850)617-7181.

PUBLIC ENTITY CRIME INFORMATION STATEMENT: A person or affiliate, who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime; may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor or consultant under a contract with any public entity and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for category two, for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

DISCRIMINATION; DENIAL OR REVOCATION FOR THE RIGHT TO TRANSACT BUSINESS WITH PUBLIC ENTITIES: An entity or affiliate, who has been placed on the discriminatory vendor list, may not submit a bid on a contract to provide goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity; may not award or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor or consultant under contract with any public entity and may not transact any business with any public entity.

Statements of Qualifications will be received and publicly opened:

DATE AND TIME: October 7, 2014, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, 407 S. Calhoun Street, SB-8 Mayo Building, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)617-7181.

CONTRACT AWARD: The official Notice of Award Recommendation will be by electronic posting at http://fcn.state.fl.us/owa_vbs/owa/vbs_www.main_menu.

Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. If no protest is filed, the contract will be awarded to the qualified bidder in accordance with Chapter 60D-5 by the Owner.

**FLORIDA DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COUNCIL
RFP 2014 CD 11700 First Steps and Beyond: A Guide for
Parents of Children and Youth with Developmental Disabilities
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (FDDC #2014-CD-11700)**

First Steps and Beyond:

**A Guide for Parents of Children and Youth with
Developmental Disabilities**

The Florida Developmental Disabilities Council, Inc. (FDDC) is pleased to announce that this request for proposals (RFP #2014-CD-11700) is released to edit and update the First Steps publication. This FDDC publication provides parents of children and youth with developmental disabilities with information on numerous topics that will assist them as they build a supportive environment for their children. This project will update information and expand resources where needed.

Individuals, not-for-profit, and for-profit agencies may submit proposals in response to this RFP. FDDC has set aside a maximum of \$50,000 federal funds for a period not to exceed one (1) year for fiscal support of this RFP. The exact amount of this contract will be developed during contract negotiations.

Copies of this RFP can be downloaded from the FDDC website (www.fddc.org) or copies may be requested by writing FDDC at 124 Marriott Drive, Suite 203, Tallahassee, FL 32301 or calling (850)488-4180, toll-free: 1(800)580-7801 or TDD toll-free: 1(888)488-8633.

The deadline for submitting written questions and letters of intent for this RFP is September 22, 2014 by 4:00 p.m. (EDT). Letters of intent are encouraged but not mandatory. Letters of Intent will only be accepted by fax, mail, or hand delivery. Letters of Intent by email will not be accepted. All answers to written questions will be posted on the FDDC website during the week of September 29, 2014. The deadline for submitting proposals for this RFP to FDDC is October 23, 2014 by 2:00 p.m. (EDT).

**THE ABOVE ANNOUNCEMENT WILL APPEAR IN THE
FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER AND ON THE
FDDC WEB PAGE (fddc.org) ON September 8, 2014.**

**PLEASE FORWARD ALL REQUESTS FOR COPIES
OF THIS RFP TO CAROLYN WILLIAMS.**

**QUESTIONS ARE TO BE SUBMITTED IN WRITTEN
FORMAT ONLY. THIS IS A LEGAL PROCESS AND WE
CANNOT ANSWER QUESTIONS VERBALLY.**

Section XII
Miscellaneous

DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE

Policy and Procedure Updates

The Department of Juvenile Justice has posted one revised policy for comment and review: FDJJ 1800, Background Screening. The policy will be posted until September 19, 2014, on the Department’s web page at <http://www.djj.state.fl.us/partner/policies-resources/departments-policies/policies-under-review>. Directions for submitting comments can be found at the above web page.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Final Order, DEO-14-122

In re: A LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATION
ADOPTED BY MONROE COUNTY,
FLORIDA, ORDINANCE NO. 003-2014

FINAL ORDER

APPROVING MONROE COUNTY ORDINANCE
NO. 003-2014

The Department of Economic Opportunity (“Department”) hereby issues its Final Order, pursuant to §§ 380.05(6) and 380.0552(9), Florida Statutes, approving land development regulations adopted by Monroe County, Florida, Ordinance No. 003-2014 (the “Ordinance”).

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Florida Keys Area is designated by § 380.0552, Florida Statutes, as an area of critical state concern. Monroe County is a local government within the Florida Keys Area.

2. The Ordinance was adopted by Monroe County on May 21, 2014, and rendered to the Department on July 21, 2014.

3. The Ordinance amends the Monroe County Land Development Code by deleting Article V, Chapter 130, Sections 130-158 (Improved subdivision and commercial fishing village district densities) and 130-159 (Urban residential – mobile home district density). These specific sections were deleted due to the sections being duplicative of other Land Development Code provisions, other Monroe County Comprehensive Plan policies, and as being superseded by other law.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

4. The Department is required to approve or reject land development regulations that are adopted by any local government in an area of critical state concern. § 380.05(6) and § 380.0552(9), Florida Statutes.

5. “Land development regulations” include local zoning, subdivision, building, and other regulations controlling the development of land. § 380.031(8), Florida Statutes. The regulations adopted by the Ordinance are land development regulations.

6. All land development regulations enacted, amended, or rescinded within an area of critical state concern must be consistent with the principles for guiding development for that area. §§ 380.05(6) and 380.0552(9), Florida Statutes. The Principles for Guiding Development for the Florida Keys Area of Critical State Concern are set forth in § 380.0552(7), Florida Statutes.

7. The Ordinance is consistent with the Monroe County Comprehensive Plan generally, and specifically with Policy 101.4.22 (Table: Future Land Use Densities and Intensities.)

8. The Ordinance is consistent with the Principles for Guiding Development in Section 380.0552(7), Florida Statutes, as a whole, and is specifically consistent with the following Principle:

- (a) Strengthening local government capabilities for managing land use and development so that local government is able to achieve these objectives without continuing the area of critical state concern designation.

WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Department finds that Monroe County Ordinance No. 003-2014 is consistent with the Principles for Guiding Development for the Florida Keys Area of Critical State Concern and is hereby APPROVED.

This Order becomes effective 21 days after publication in the Florida Administrative Register unless a petition is timely filed as described in the Notice of Administrative Rights below.

DONE AND ORDERED in Tallahassee, Florida.

/s/ _____
William B. Killingsworth, Director
Division of Community Development
Department of Economic Opportunity

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CERTIFICATE OF FILING AND SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the original of the foregoing Final Order has been filed with the undersigned designated Agency Clerk, and that true and correct copies have been furnished to the following persons by the methods indicated this 2nd day of September, 2014.

/s/ _____

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By U.S. Mail:

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DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY
FINAL ORDER NO.: DEO-14-124
In re: A LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATION
ADOPTED BY MONROE COUNTY,
FLORIDA, ORDINANCE NO. 006-2014

FINAL ORDER
APPROVING MONROE COUNTY ORDINANCE
NO. 006-2014

The Department of Economic Opportunity (“Department”) hereby issues its Final Order, pursuant to §§ 380.05(6) and 380.0552(9), Florida Statutes, approving land development regulations adopted by Monroe County, Florida, Ordinance No. 006-2014 (the “Ordinance”).

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Florida Keys Area is designated by § 380.0552, Florida Statutes, as an area of critical state concern. Monroe County is a local government within the Florida Keys Area.
2. The Ordinance was adopted by Monroe County on May 21, 2014, and rendered to the Department on July 21, 2014.
3. The Ordinance amends the Monroe County Land Development Code Chapter 138 (Rate of Growth Restrictions), Article II (Residential Rate of Growth Limitations) Section 138-23 (Moratorium on new transient units.) The moratorium was extended from May 1, 2014 to May 1, 2022.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

4. The Department is required to approve or reject land development regulations that are adopted by any local government in an area of critical state concern. § 380.05(6) and § 380.0552(9), Florida Statutes.
5. “Land development regulations” include local zoning, subdivision, building, and other regulations controlling the development of land. § 380.031(8), Florida Statutes. The regulations adopted by the Ordinance are land development regulations.
6. All land development regulations enacted, amended, or rescinded within an area of critical state concern must be consistent with the principles for guiding development for that area. §§ 380.05(6) and 380.0552(9), Florida Statutes. The Principles for Guiding Development for the Florida Keys Area of Critical State Concern are set forth in § 380.0552(7), Florida Statutes.
7. The Ordinance is consistent with the Monroe County Comprehensive Plan generally, and specifically with Goal 101, Objective 101.2, and Policy 101.2.6.
8. The Ordinance is consistent with the Principles for Guiding Development in Section 380.0552(7), Florida Statutes, as a whole, and is specifically consistent with the following Principle:

- (a) Strengthening local government capabilities for managing land use and development so that local government is able to achieve these objectives without continuing the area of critical state concern designation.

WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Department finds that Monroe County Ordinance No. 006-2014 is consistent with the Principles for Guiding Development for the Florida Keys Area of Critical State Concern and is hereby APPROVED.

This Order becomes effective 21 days after publication in the Florida Administrative Register unless a petition is timely filed as described in the Notice of Administrative Rights below.
DONE AND ORDERED in Tallahassee, Florida.

_____/s/_____
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DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY
FINAL ORDER NO.: DEO-14-123

In re: A LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATION
ADOPTED BY MONROE COUNTY,
FLORIDA, ORDINANCE NO. 004-2014

FINAL ORDER
APPROVING MONROE COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 004-2014

The Department of Economic Opportunity ("Department") hereby issues its Final Order, pursuant to §§ 380.05(6) and 380.0552(9), Florida Statutes, approving land development regulations adopted by Monroe County, Florida, Ordinance No. 004-2014 (the "Ordinance").

FINDINGS OF FACT

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2. The Ordinance was adopted by Monroe County on May 21, 2014, and rendered to the Department on July 15, 2014.
3. The Ordinance amends the Monroe County Land Development Code, Chapter 114, Article I, Section 114-3

(Surface Water Management Criteria.) This amendment provides an exemption to the stormwater management requirements as they relate to maintenance and resurfacing of existing impervious lots, as well as maintenance work on mosquito drainage structures, road maintenance, the installation of sewage, drainage, other water supply systems, or other utility facilities.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

4. The Department is required to approve or reject land development regulations that are adopted by any local government in an area of critical state concern. § 380.05(6) and § 380.0552(9), Florida Statutes.

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7. The Ordinance is consistent with the Monroe County Comprehensive Plan generally, and specifically with Objective 1001.1, Policy 1001.1.1, and Policy 1001.1.4.

8. The Ordinance is consistent with the Principles for Guiding Development in Section 380.0552(7), Florida Statutes, as a whole, and is specifically consistent with the following Principle:

- (a) Strengthening local government capabilities for managing land use and development so that local government is able to achieve these objectives without continuing the area of critical state concern designation.

WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Department finds that Monroe County Ordinance No. 004-2014 is consistent with the Principles for Guiding Development for the Florida Keys Area of Critical State Concern and is hereby APPROVED.

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Section XIII
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