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WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

40D-22.201 Year-Round Water Conservation Measures

The Southwest Florida Water Management District hereby gives notice: that on February 10, 2021, the Southwest Florida Water Management District has issued an order granting a variance.

Petitioner's Name: Wiregrass Ranch, Inc.; JHP Real Estate Partnership, Ltd.; Flycatcher Enterprises, LLC; Maggie Pond, LLC; Solly Branch Holdings, LLC; and Wiregrass Irrigation, LLC - File Tracking No.21-4329

Date Petition Filed: December 31, 2020

Rule No.: 40D-22.201, F.A.C.

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

Date Petition Published in the Florida Administrative Register: January 8, 2021

General Basis for Agency Decision: Petitioner demonstrated substantial hardship and proposed an alternative means of achieving the purpose of the statute implemented by the rule.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Michael Bench, 7601 US Highway 301, Tampa, Florida 33637, 1(813)985-7481 x. 2298, water.variances@watermatters.org.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit

The Public Employees Relations Commission hereby gives notice: On February 10, 2021, the Public Employees Relations Commission issued a final order in Case No. MS-2021-004 granting an unopposed emergency petition for variance from Florida Administrative Code Rule 60CC-4.002 filed by Darzell Warren and the Escambia Education Association. The variance allows the Petitioners to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically through September 30, 2021. The Public Employees Relations Commission determined that the Petitioners had demonstrated an emergency existed and that they would suffer a substantial hardship if the variance was not granted. The petition was filed on January 22, 2021, and the notice of receipt of the petition was published on January 26, 2021, on the Commission's website and in Volume 47, Number 16 F.A.R. No comments were received on the petition.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit

The Public Employees Relations Commission hereby gives notice: On February 10, 2021, the Public Employees Relations Commission issued a final order in Case No. MS-2021-005 granting an unopposed emergency petition for variance from Florida Administrative Code Rule 60CC-4.002 filed by David Elzbeck and the Union of Escambia Education Staff Professionals, FEA, NEA, AFT, AFL-CIO. The variance allows the Petitioners to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically through September 30, 2021. The Public Employees Relations Commission determined that the Petitioners had demonstrated an emergency existed and that they would suffer a substantial hardship if the variance was not granted. The petition was filed on January 22, 2021, and the notice of receipt of the petition was published on January 26, 2021, on the Commission's website and in Volume 47, Number 16 F.A.R. No comments were received on the petition.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on February 10, 2021, the Public Employees Relations Commission, received a petition for variance from Rule 60CC-4.002, F.A.C., filed by Karen Resciniti and Martin County Education Association to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically. The petition was assigned Case No. MS-2021-008. Any interested person may submit written comments on this petition within 5 days of publication of this notice by mail to Commission Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256 or by facsimile to (850)488-9704.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

69K-18.004 Intern Training Agencies.

The Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Department of Financial Services hereby gives notice: that the request for waiver, by Robarts Family Funeral Home, Inc., that the number of cases done by the prior owner of the funeral establishment should count against the requirement of the cited rule was granted at the February 4, 2021 Board Meeting.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Jasmin Richardson at (850)413-3039.

**Section VI**

**Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings**

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Postsecondary Reciprocal Distance Education Coordinating Council

The Postsecondary Reciprocal Distance Education Coordinating Council (PRDECC) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, February 23, 2021, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET

PLACE: Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone. <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/454641021>

You can also dial in using your phone. United States: 1(872)240-3412, Access Code: 454-641-021

Join from a video-conferencing room or system. Dial in or type: 67.217.95.2 or [inroomlink.goto.com](https://inroomlink.goto.com), Meeting ID: 454 641 021 or dial directly: 454641021@67.217.95.2 or 67.217.95.2##454641021

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Postsecondary Reciprocal Distance Education Coordinating Council (PRDECC) will conduct a review of initial and renewal institutional applications to participate in the Florida-State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement (FL-SARA).

PUBLIC COMMENT: The Council is committed to promoting transparency and public input during its public meetings. Speakers are requested to submit a written comment by e-mailing the Council Office no later than one (1) business day before the meeting at [flsarainfo@fldoe.org](mailto:flsarainfo@fldoe.org) and to indicate whether they represent a group or faction. The Council will hear public comment only regarding issues on the agenda. Individuals and representatives of groups will generally be allotted three minutes, but the time may be extended or shortened at the discretion of the chair. The Chair may impose a cumulative time limit for all public comment on any agenda item.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Council Office at Commission for Independent Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 1414, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0300 or by visiting [www.flsara.org](http://www.flsara.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: The Council Office at Commission for Independent Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 1414, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0300 or by visiting [www.flsara.org](http://www.flsara.org). If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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

For more information, you may contact: The Council Office at Commission for Independent Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 1414, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0300 or by visiting [www.flsara.org](http://www.flsara.org).

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT TRUST FUND**

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection's Office of Resilience and Coastal Protection announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, March 17, 2021, 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Due to COVID-19 social distancing requirements, the Department will hold the meeting by webinar. Please join at <https://bit.ly/3oHITIN> or call in at (850)629-7330, phone conference ID 837 913 192#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Management Advisory Group for Guana Tolomato Matanzas National Estuarine Research Reserve (GTMNERR) will hold a meeting to provide advisory input for the management of GTMNERR.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Abigail Kuhn at [Abigail.Kuhn@FloridaDEP.gov](mailto:Abigail.Kuhn@FloridaDEP.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 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Abigail Kuhn at [Abigail.Kuhn@FloridaDEP.gov](mailto:Abigail.Kuhn@FloridaDEP.gov). If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

**REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS****West Florida Regional Planning Council**

The Okaloosa-Walton Transportation Planning Organization and Advisory Committees announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, February 18, 2021, 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: DeFuniak Springs Community Center 361 North 10th Street, DeFuniak Springs, Fla.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Okaloosa-Walton Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) will hold a public meeting at 3:00 p.m., Thursday, February 18, 2021 at the DeFuniak Springs Community Center 361 North 10th Street, DeFuniak Springs, Fla. The Citizens' Advisory Committee (CAC) will meet at 9:30 a.m. and the Technical Coordinating Committee (TCC) will meet at 1:30 p.m. Both advisory committees will meet at the DeFuniak Springs Community Center 361 North 10th Street, DeFuniak Springs, Fla.

The TPO and committees will have a physical location, however, for the convenience of our community members, the meetings can be accessed via video live stream or by phone. All in-person participants are **REQUIRED** to wear appropriate person protective equipment and will be required to comply with social distancing recommendations. Masks will be available for in-person participants.

The public can view the meeting and submit comments live on YouTube: [www.ecrc.org/YouTube](http://www.ecrc.org/YouTube).

The public can also dial in by phone: United States: (224)501-3412, Access Code: 546-280-077

The TPO will consider:

- Resolution O-W 21-04 Adopting Targets for Safety Performance Measures.
- Resolution O-W 21-05 Approving the Okaloosa-Walton TPO 2045 Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) Goals and Objectives.
- Resolution O-W 21-06 Approving the Okaloosa-Walton TPO 2045 Long- Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) Evaluation Criteria.
- Resolution OW 21-08 Adopting the 2021 Transportation Alternatives (TA) Set-Aside Ranked Projects for FDOT District 3 Fiscal Year 2023 – 2027 Tentative Work Program.
- Resolution O-W 21-07 Recognizing Mr. Dean Covey for Nearly Thirty Years of Service to the TPO.

A full agenda can be viewed at <http://www.ecrc.org/OWTPOMeetings>. Public input is valuable to the TPO, we encourage our communities to submit input through a variety of avenues. Comments for public forum can be submitted via eComment Card, email, or phone, learn how at <http://www.ecrc.org/OWPublicForum>. All comments submitted will be disseminated to the board. Please email [publicinvolvement@ecrc.org](mailto:publicinvolvement@ecrc.org) with additional question or concerns.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, reasonable accommodations to access meeting, and for limited English proficiency, are available upon request. Persons who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or persons who require translation services should contact Public Involvement toll-free at 1(800)226-8914 or TTY 711, at least 48 hours in advance. Para informacion en espanol, puede llamar a Ada Clark al (850)332-7976, ext. 278 o TTY 711. Si necesita acomodaciones especiales, por favor llame 48 horas de antemano.

Participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons who believe they have been discriminated against on these conditions may file a complaint with the Title VI Coordinator, (850)332-7976, ext. 220.

The Okaloosa-Walton TPO is staffed by the Emerald Coast Regional Council, a regional entity providing professional technical assistance, planning, coordinating, and advisory services to local governments, state and federal agencies, and the public to preserve and enhance the quality of life in northwest Florida.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Public Involvement at [publicinvolvement@ecrc.org](mailto:publicinvolvement@ecrc.org).

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: [publicinvolvement@ecrc.org](mailto:publicinvolvement@ecrc.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).

**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: Monday, February 22, 2:00 p.m.

Loxahatchee River Management Coordinating Council Meeting

PLACE: This meeting will be conducted via Zoom, a media technology free for the public to use. [https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_LSP\\_EejfT36JowuLOROZOQ](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_LSP_EejfT36JowuLOROZOQ)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a public meeting of the Loxahatchee River Management Coordinating Council to discuss the goals and objectives regarding the management of the Wild and Scenic portion of the Loxahatchee River.

The public and stakeholders are invited to participate and will have an opportunity to view and comment during the meeting by utilizing the following link: [https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_LSP\\_EejfT36JowuLOROZOQ](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_LSP_EejfT36JowuLOROZOQ)

All of this meeting will be conducted via media technology.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathy LaMartina, (772)236-4213, [klamart@sfwmd.gov](mailto:klamart@sfwmd.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 seven days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: District Clerk, at [rbyrd@sfwmd.gov](mailto:rbyrd@sfwmd.gov). If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Kathy LaMartina, (772)236-4213, [klamart@sfwmd.gov](mailto:klamart@sfwmd.gov).

**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

**South Florida Water Management District**

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

DATE AND TIME: Monday, February 22, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

18th Annual Public Meeting on the Long -term Plan for Achieving Water Quality Goals for the Everglades Protection Area Tributary Basins

PLACE: This meeting will be conducted via Zoom, a media technology free for the public to use. [https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_w4T7QAjiRRqeoI9EIGpETg](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_w4T7QAjiRRqeoI9EIGpETg)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This public regulatory meeting is scheduled to provide findings and updates of the projects designed to improve the water quality of runoff flowing into the Everglades Protection Area.

The public and stakeholders will have an opportunity to view and comment during the public meeting by utilizing the following link:

[https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_w4T7QAjiRRqeoI9EIGpETg](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_w4T7QAjiRRqeoI9EIGpETg).

This link can also be found on the District’s website at [www.SFWMD.gov/meetings](http://www.SFWMD.gov/meetings), and will go live at approximately 9:00 a.m. on February 22, 2021.

All of this meeting will be conducted via media technology.

One or more members of the Governing Board of the South Florida Water Management District may attend this meeting. No Governing Board action will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Robert Shuford at (561)682-2155, [rshufor@sfwmd.gov](mailto:rshufor@sfwmd.gov), seven days prior to the meeting.

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

For more information, you may contact: Robert Shuford at (561)682-2155, [rshufor@sfwmd.gov](mailto:rshufor@sfwmd.gov).

**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: March 11, 2021, 9:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: Tampa Bay Water Administrative Offices, 2575 Enterprise Road, Clearwater, Florida 33763. Due to Covid-19 concerns this public meeting will also be offered via conference call. Interested person(s) may participate using the following Dial in Number: 1(877)309-2073 and access code: 646-749-3129. To join using a computer, laptop, or tablet, use the following link:

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/946174733>.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: A public meeting of the Selection Committee for SOUTHERN HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SUPPLY EXPANSION PIPELINES PROJECT, CONTRACT NO.: 2021-024/025. 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.

**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: March 25, 2021, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. ET or until completion

PLACE: Tampa Bay Water Administrative Offices, 2575 Enterprise Road, Clearwater, Florida 33763. Due to Covid-19 concerns this public meeting will also be offered via GoToMeeting conference call. Interested person(s) may participate using the following Dial in Number: 1(877)309-2073 and access code: 567-723-493. To join using a computer, laptop, or tablet, use the following link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/567723493>.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: A public meeting of the Selection Committee for SOUTHERN HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SUPPLY EXPANSION PIPELINES PROJECT, CONTRACT NO.: 2021-024/025, As a part of the selection process, if interviews are deemed necessary, the Selection Committee will hear presentations and conduct interviews with short-listed forms in order to determine the highest ranking firm to recommend for award.

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 MANAGEMENT SERVICES**

Division of Purchasing

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

DATE AND TIME: March 23, 2021, 2:01 p.m. ET

PLACE: Conference Call Number: 1(888)585-9008, Conference Call Room Number: 582-904-411

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: In accordance with section 120.525, Florida Statutes, a non-mandatory bid opening is hereby noticed for the following Invitation to Bid Number: 20-22100000-ITB – Construction and Industrial Equipment. The Department reserves the right to issue 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 subsection 287.042(3), Florida Statutes, and will not re-advertise notice in the Florida Administrative Register (FAR). Access the VBS at: [http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main\\_menu](http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: To obtain a copy of the Invitation to Bid agenda or timeline you may contact, Alonna Vinson at [Alonna.vinson@dms.fl.gov](mailto:Alonna.vinson@dms.fl.gov) or (850)921-0033.

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: 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 DMS ADA Coordinator at [ada.coordinator@dms.fl.gov](mailto:ada.coordinator@dms.fl.gov).

If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice). 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: For additional information you may contact, Alonna Vinson at [Alonna.vinson@dms.fl.gov](mailto:Alonna.vinson@dms.fl.gov) or (850)921-0033.

**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited for the Clean Waterways Act Stormwater Rulemaking Technical Advisory Committee (TAC).

DATE AND TIME: February 25, 2021, 1:00 p.m. ET  
 PLACE: To ensure safe public participation given COVID-19 social distancing requirements, the Department is providing this public meeting by webinar. Parties can register to attend the webinar at the following link:

Webinar Link:  
<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5464212563138167051>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Department is holding the Third public meeting of the TAC. This TAC was established to provide public input to the Department and Florida's water management districts (WMDs) on rule development to update stormwater design and operation regulations under Part IV, Chapter 373, Florida Statutes. These updates will utilize the latest scientific information, as directed by Florida's Clean Waterways Act, specifically Section 5, Chapter 2020-150, Laws of Florida.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by reviewing the Environmental Resource Permitting, Stormwater Rulemaking information at the following website: <https://floridadep.gov/water/water/content/water-resource-management-rules-development>. You may also request a copy of the agenda by contacting Charmaine Miller via email at: Stormwater2020@FloridaDEP.gov or via phone at: (850)245-8574.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the meeting by contacting Charmaine Miller as 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).

For more information, you may contact the Department at Stormwater2020@FloridaDEP.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
 The University of Florida and the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Office of Resilience and Coastal Protection's Coral Reef Conservation Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, March 11, 2021, 6:30 p.m.  
 PLACE: This is an online event, registration is free through Eventbrite:  
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/uf-and-dep-coral-reef-program-stakeholder-engagement-project-public-meeting-tickets-139026838015>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Department is rescheduling the virtual public meeting previously scheduled for March 4, 2021, 6:30 p.m. This virtual public meeting was noticed in the Florida Administrative

Register, Volume 47, Number 23, on February 4, 2021, and has been rescheduled for March 11, 2021, 6:30 p.m.

DEP's Coral Reef Conservation Program is supporting a Southeast Florida Coral Reef Initiative (SEFCRI) stakeholder engagement project. The members of the Committee formed represent various fisheries-related stakeholder groups to harness the capacity of the fishing community (fishing stakeholders and industry) to advance conservation of the Southeast Florida Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area (ECA). This capacity includes knowledge/experience, outreach/advocacy, and standing and commitment to achieving conservation outcomes for resources and the coral reef ecosystem. In this first public meeting with the wider fishing community, facilitators from the UF team will lead discussions with committee members and members of the public with the following objectives:

- to inform the fishing public about the project and the committee
- to obtain input on perceptions of reef ecosystem status and management/conservation issues and options

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Alycia Shatters by email: Alycia.Shatters@FloridaDEP.gov, or phone (305)795-1204.

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: Alycia Shatters at Alycia.Shatters@FloridaDEP.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION  
 The Florida Housing Finance Corporation announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: February 19, 2021, 10:00 a.m. ET  
 PLACE: via webinar and telephone  
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: A second workshop will be held for RFA 2021-106 Financing To Develop Housing For Persons With Disabling Conditions/ Developmental Disabilities.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Joey Evans, at joey.evans@floridahousing.org or (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: Joey Evans, at joey.evans@floridahousing.org or (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).

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

The Department of Financial Services announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, February 24, 2021, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time

PLACE: GoToMeeting virtual meeting. See agenda for GoToMeeting details.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida PALM Executive Steering Committee will meet to discuss the status of the Florida PALM Project.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: the Florida PALM Project website <https://www.myfloridacfo.com/floridapalm/governance/>.

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: Jenifer Hartsfield at (850)410-9025 or FloridaPALM@myfloridacfo.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: or would like to submit public comment regarding the Florida PALM Executive Steering Committee, please email FloridaPALM@myfloridacfo.com.

## QCAUSA

The Florida Department of Transportation, District 7 announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: March 2, 2021, 2:30 p.m.

PLACE: In-person location- The Grove at Wesley Chapel, 6105 Wesley Grove Boulevard, Wesley Chapel, Florida 33544

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), District Seven, is holding a Virtual Public Hearing (VPH) for the proposed median modifications along SR 581/Bruce B Downs Blvd from south of Eagleston Blvd to SR 54 in Pasco County, Florida, FPN: 441099-1-52-01.

To allow for maximum participation, the public hearing will be held in three formats including virtually over the internet, by phone, or at an in-person drive-thru location. Information presented will be identical at all options.

The Virtual Public Hearing (VPH), phone and in-person drive-thru public hearing will be held on March 2, 2021. The drive thru location will be open from 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., or until the last attendee has viewed the presentation.

Regardless of format, the hearing will start at 2:30 p.m. and include a presentation. After the presentation has concluded, there will be an opportunity to provide comments that will be included in the official VPH record.

Virtual/Online:

Please follow this link to register and access the hearing: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/992812197>

Phone: To participate by phone please call: 1(872)240-3212 and provide the Access Code: 992-812-197 to join.

In-person drive-thru location:

If you do not have access to a computer or the internet, and/or would like to participate in-person, you may attend the VPH at the following drive-thru location: The Grove at Wesley Chapel, 6105 Wesley Grove Boulevard, Wesley Chapel, Florida 33544. The drive-thru will open for attendees at 2:30 p.m. Attendees will be directed into a clearly identified parking lot, receive project literature, and view the project presentation. Attendees will be asked to remain in their vehicle while attending the hearing. You will have the opportunity to provide written or verbal comments. The drive-thru hearing will be held in full compliance with local, state, and federal health and safety guidelines.

This public hearing is conducted to afford affected property and business owners, interested persons and organizations the opportunity to provide comments to FDOT regarding proposed median modifications along SR 581/Bruce B Downs Blvd. from south of Eagleston Blvd to SR 54.

This VPH is held pursuant to Chapters 120, 335.18 and 335.199, Florida Statutes. FDOT will receive verbal/written comments at the public hearing location and online from registered webinar participants. Written or emailed comments not received during the hearing must be postmarked or emailed by March 12, 2021, to become part of the official virtual public hearing summary.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Charlie Xie, Florida Department of Transportation, [Charlie.xie@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Charlie.xie@dot.state.fl.us).

Project Manager, Florida Department of Transportation, 11201 N. McKinley Dr., MS 7-600, Tampa, Florida 33612, 1(813)975-6287.

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 Seven(7) days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Alex Henry, District Public Involvement Coordinator, at 1(813)975-6405 or 1(800)226-7220, or [Alex.Henry@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Alex.Henry@dot.state.fl.us), FDOT 11201 N. McKinley Drive, Tampa, FL 33612. 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: Charlie Xie, Florida Department of Transportation, Project Manager at [Charlie.xie@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Charlie.xie@dot.state.fl.us), or Florida Department of Transportation, 11201 N. McKinley Dr., MS 7-600, Tampa, Florida 33612 or 1(813)975-6287.

**PARSONS TRANSPORTATION GROUP INC.**

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

DATE AND TIME: March 18, 2021, 5:30 p.m. CT

PLACE: Pine Forest United Methodist Church, 2800 Wilde Lake Blvd, Pensacola, Florida 32526

Online, Link: <https://nwflroads.com/d3virtualmeetings>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will hold a hybrid public hearing concerning the I-10 at Beulah Road Interchange Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study in Escambia County. Financial Project Identification (FPID) Numbers: 433113-1-22-01, 433113-2-22-01, 433113-3-22-01.

The intent of the study is to evaluate the addition of a new interchange and associated capacity and safety improvements needed to accommodate growth within the project area. The FDOT is conducting this PD&E Study to assess present features, consider community needs and impacts, and develop possible improvements for the I-10 at Beulah Road interchange in Escambia County.

This public hearing is being held both virtually and in-person to provide interested persons an opportunity to express their views concerning proposed improvements. The hearing will begin as an open house at 5:30 p.m. CT with a formal presentation at 6:00 p.m., followed by a public comment period. All attendees will participate in the same live virtual hearing and can access it via computer, tablet, smartphone, or by telephone in listen-only mode.

Stakeholders are strongly encouraged to attend the virtual hearing at <https://nwflroads.com/d3virtualmeetings> or by phone in listen-only mode at (562)247-8422 using access code 765-727-914. Those who are unable to participate virtually may attend the hearing in-person at the Pine Forest United Methodist Church at 2800 Wilde Lake Blvd., Pensacola, Florida 32526. All attendees MUST register online to participate.

If you wish to participate in the hearing in person, FDOT requires advance registration to help ensure attendees are accommodated safely in accordance with current Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Covid-19 Guidelines. Please visit the project website at <https://nwflroads.com/d3virtualmeetings> or contact: Eric Saggars, Project Manager at (850)415-9001, or via email at [Esaggars@hntb.com](mailto:Esaggars@hntb.com), or by mail at 1074 Highway 90, Chipley, Florida 32428 to register for the in-person option.

FDOT representatives will be available to discuss proposed improvements, answer questions, and receive comments.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Project Manager using the information provided above.

Persons wishing to submit written or verbal comments may do so at the hearing or may contact the Project Manager using the

information provided above. All statements provided, or postmarked on or before April 1, 2021, will become a part of the public hearing record.

Draft project documents are available for public review through April 18, 2021 at the Pensacola Public Library, located at 239 N. Spring St., Pensacola, FL 32502 Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. and Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Draft project documents are also available for public review on <https://nwflroads.com/d3virtualmeetings> and will be available at the in-person location during the hearing.

Public participation is held without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The Project Manager using the information provided 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).

For more information, you may contact: you may contact Ian Satter, FDOT District Three Public Information Director, at 1(888)638-0250, extension 1205 or via email at [ian.satter@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:ian.satter@dot.state.fl.us).

The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable federal environmental laws for these projects are being, or have been, carried out by the FDOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated December 14, 2016 and executed by the Federal Highway Administration and FDOT.

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## Section VII

### Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

#### DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco has received the petition for declaratory statement from Basik Trading, Inc. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of 210.40 and 210.67, F.S., and rules 61A-10.055 and 61A-10.082, F.A.C. as it applies to the petitioner.

The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of sections 210.40 and 210.67, F.S., and rules 61A-10.055 and 61A-10.082, F.A.C., as each applies to the petitioner.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Department of Business and



Professional Regulation, Agency Clerk's Office, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2202, (850)717-1183; AGC.Filing@MyFloridaLicense.com

Please refer all comments to: Elina Valentine, Deputy Chief Attorney, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2202, Elina.Valentine@myfloridalicense.com, (850)717-1769; DS 2021-030; DBPR Ref # 2021-006266.

**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., Friday, February 5, 2021 and 3:00 p.m., Thursday, February 11, 2021.

<b>Rule No.</b>	<b>File Date</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>
2A-2.0001	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.2001	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.2002	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.2003	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.002	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.013	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.014	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.015	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.016	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
2A-2.017	2/9/2021	3/1/2021
64B9-4.001	2/5/2021	2/25/2021
64B17-5.001	2/5/2021	2/25/2021
65G-14.003	2/10/2021	7/1/2021
65G-14.004	2/10/2021	7/1/2021
65G-14.0041	2/10/2021	7/1/2021
65G-14.0042	2/10/2021	7/1/2021
65G-14.005	2/10/2021	7/1/2021
66A-2.001	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.0011	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.002	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.003	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.004	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.0041	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.005	2/11/2021	3/3/2021

**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**

**NONE**

66A-2.0051	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.0052	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.0053	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.0054	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.0055	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.006	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.007	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.0071	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.0072	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.008	2/11/2021	3/3/2021
66A-2.009	2/11/2021	3/3/2021

**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 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**  
 Notice of Funding Decisions for State Agencies and Water Management Districts grant applications

The State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Florida Coastal Management Program (FCMP), announces the results of the evaluation of eligible State Agency and Water Management Districts grant applications. Five eligible applications were received in response to the Notice of Availability of Funds published in the Florida Administrative Register on October 5, 2020, Vol.46/194 and were reviewed and evaluated using the process described in Rule 62S-5.003, F.A.C. The applications that have been selected for funding, according to rank in the following order, beginning with the highest score, are presented in the table:

Rank	Title	Agency	Funding Requested
1	Enhanced Monitoring of Restored and Natural	FWC	\$72,661

	Critical Coastal Habitats for Florida’s Integrated Mapping and Monitoring Programs		
2	Oyster Corp Pilot Project	NFWFMD	\$73,999
3	Living Shoreline Stabilization in Three State Parks in Northeast Florida	FWC	\$50,799

Funding of any application is subject to the amount of federal coastal zone management funds awarded to the FCMP for this task in the 2021/2022 grant award. The final decision whether to fund these projects is expected to be made by NOAA by June 2021.

Any person whose substantial interests are affected may request a hearing pursuant to Section 120.569, Florida Statutes, within 21 days of publication of this notice. Failure to request a hearing within the period shall constitute a waiver of the right to a hearing. Questions regarding the grant evaluation process should be directed to Holly Edmond at (850)245-2181 or by email to Holly.Edmond@FloridaDEP.gov.

**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**  
 Office of the Secretary  
 Florida State Clearinghouse

The state is coordinating reviews of federal activities and federally funded projects as required by subsection 403.061(42), F.S. This includes Outer Continental Shelf activities and other actions subject to federal consistency review under the Florida Coastal Management Program. A list of projects, comments and deadlines, and the address for providing comments, are available at: <https://fldep.dep.state.fl.us/clearinghouse/>. For information, call (850)717-9076. This public notice fulfills the requirements of 15 CFR 930.

**Section XIII**  
**Index to Rules Filed During Preceding Week**

NOTE: The above section will be published on Tuesday beginning October 2, 2012, unless Monday is a holiday, then it will be published on Wednesday of that week.