Section I Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68A-20.005: Specific Fish Management Area Regulations

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule amendment is to modify regulations for the length limit of largemouth bass in Orange and Lochloosa Lakes to no fish over 20" may be possessed or killed, and circle hooks to be required when fishing with natural bait greater than three (3) inches in length. SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Regulations for the length limit on largemouth bass on Orange and Lochloosa Lakes as well as temporary possession. Use of circle hooks when fishing with natural bait greater than three inches in length on Orange and Lochloosa Lakes.

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

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Thomas Graef, Director, Division of Freshwater Fisheries Management, 620 South Meridian St., Tallahassee, Florida 32399; Thomas.Graef@myfwc.com.

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

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife RULE NO.: RULE TITLE: 68A-23.005: Bag Limits, Length Limits, Open Season: Freshwater Fish

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule amendment is to modify rule language to allow for temporary possession of a potential state record fish that may exceed the length or bag limit until the fish is inspected by FWC staff. SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Temporary possession of a potential state record fish.

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

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

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Section II Proposed Rules

NONE

Section III Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

NONE

Section IV Emergency Rules

DEPARTMENT OF THE LOTTERY

RULE NUMBER: RULE TITLE:

53ER23-63: DAILY CASH BONUS PLAY PROMOTION SUMMARY OF THE RULE: This emergency rule sets forth the provisions for the DAILY CASH BONUS PLAY PROMOTION.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE EMERGENCY RULE IS: Minerva A. Simpson, Attorney, Department of the Lottery, 250 Marriott Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4011.

THE FULL TEXT OF THIS EMERGENCY RULE IS:

53ER23-63 DAILY CASH BONUS PLAY PROMOTION.

(1) Beginning January 1, 2024 and through February 29, 2024 ("Promotion Period"), the Florida Lottery will conduct the Daily Cash Bonus Play Promotion ("Promotion"). Players who purchase a CASH POPTM, any PICK Daily GameTM (Pick 2TM, Pick 3TM, Pick 4TM or Pick 5TM) (with or without Fireball), FANTASY 5® (with or without EZmatchTM), or CASH4LIFE® or who have a free FANTASY 5® (with or without EZmatchTM), CASH POPTM, Pick 3TM, Pick 4TM, or CASH4LIFE® ticket can earn entries into a Promotion Drawing for a chance to win a cash prize of \$500; \$1,000; \$5,000; or \$10,000. Winning and non-winning tickets may be used to enter the Promotion. (Collectively, all the foregoing are "Eligible ticket(s).") Only tickets purchased or generated/issued during the Promotion Period can be entered into the Promotion. Canceled tickets are not eligible to win.

(2) How to Enter.

(a) To enter an Eligible ticket into a Promotion Drawing, a player may use the Florida Lottery's website at flalottery.com or use the Florida Lottery's Mobile Convenience App ("App").

1. Website. On the home page of the Florida Lottery's website, players are to click on the PROMOTIONS tab, select the Daily Cash Bonus Play Promotion and follow the directions. Players will be prompted to log-in or register. Players using the website may manually enter the 19-digit ticket number (omitting spaces and dashes) on the ticket entry page to collect entries as described in subsection (3), below.

2. App. On the App, players may click on either of the Promotions buttons, select the Daily Cash Bonus Play Promotion, and follow the directions. Players will be prompted to log-in or register if not already logged in. A Promotions button is located on the main menu and on the bottom navigation bar. Players may scan the barcode on the bottom of a ticket or may manually enter the 19-digit ticket number on the ticket entry page to collect entries as further described in subsection (3) below.

3. Whether using the App or the website, tickets may not be entered during the first two (2) hours after ticket purchase. (I.e., a player needs to wait for two hours after ticket purchase to enter tickets.)

<u>4. Regardless of whether a player chooses to participate in</u> the Promotion by using the web browser or the App, the following provisions shall apply:

<u>a. the player must use the same account login information</u> to enter tickets:

b. the player will only be required to register one time; and c. the player's entry history will be cumulative among the entry platforms.

(b) Deleted Accounts. If a player deletes his/her account, whether through the App or on the Florida Lottery's website,

all account data associated with the email address used to register his/her account will also be deleted. Any entries earned, as described in subsection (3), below, will not be entered into a drawing. A player's account cannot be reactivated using the email associated with the deactivated account. Should a player establish a new account utilizing a different email address, account data, including ticket entries, cannot be transferred to the newly established account. Tickets entered under the prior account cannot be re-entered utilizing the newly created account.

(c) Any player using multiple or different email addresses, identities, registrations, logins, or any other methods will subject the player and any associated entries to disqualification. In the event a player wins a prize, the name a player uses to register must match the name shown on his/her identification used to make a claim, except for a person who has made a legal name change. A person who has made a legal name change must provide a copy of a marriage certificate/judgment/court order, as applicable, as proof of a differing name. Fictitious names and business names will not be accepted and shall subject the player and any associated entries to disqualification.

(d) The odds of winning in a drawing depend on the number of entries. All entries are subject to validation by the Florida Lottery and may be disqualified if eligibility requirements are not met.

(e) Lottery tickets should not be mailed to the Lottery for entry into the drawing. Lottery tickets received in the mail by the Florida Lottery for entry into the Promotion will not be entered into a drawing and will not be returned.

(3) How to Earn Entries.

a) Collecting Entries. To collect play symbols and earn entries into a Promotion Drawing, a player may enter ticket numbers by scanning the barcode on the bottom of an Eligible ticket using his or her mobile device or by manually entering the 19-digit ticket number on the website or the App. Thereafter, four game cards will appear on the screen. Each game card contains four symbol spots. For each Eligible ticket entered, and regardless of ticket price/value, the player will be randomly awarded either 2, 4, 6, 8, or 10 symbols towards completing the game cards. Awarded symbols will be placed randomly on available game cards. When all four symbols have been collected on a game card, the player will earn one "entry" into the next available drawing. When a filled game card generates an entry into the drawing, the symbols will be cleared on that game card, and a player can begin collecting more symbols on the card. A player may earn multiple entries during an entry period; however, a player can only win one draw prize per entry. A player may enter a maximum of 200 tickets per day. Each ticket number can only be entered one time and cannot be entered again during another drawing period. Training tickets will not be accepted, and tickets with invalid ticket numbers will be disqualified. The hours for ticket entry are between 6:00 a.m. (ET) and midnight (ET) seven days a week during the Promotion Period.

(b) Bonus Drawing Entries.

1. For all bonus drawing entries, as described below, there will be four (4) rows for Eligible Draw game (CASH POP, PICK 2, PICK 3, PICK 4, PICK 5, FANTASY 5, and CASH4LIFE) ticket entry (hereafter "bonus entry row/s"). Each bonus entry row will have one space for each of the seven Eligible Draw game tickets. Once a bonus entry row has been completed in accordance with subparagraphs (3)(b)2. or 3., below, the row will be cleared and available for new entries. If more than four tickets for the same Draw game are entered, and none of the four bonus entry rows are completed, entries in excess of the four tickets will be disregarded, will not be added once a bonus entry row is cleared, and cannot be entered again. Discarded ticket entries will still acquire symbols as described in paragraph (3)(a), above. Example: A player purchases and enters six (6) CASH POP tickets but has not purchased and entered other Eligible tickets to complete a bonus entry row. Two of the CASH POP tickets will be discarded for the purposes of filling bonus entry rows but will still acquire symbols as described in paragraph (3)(a), above. A sample bonus entry row grid is shown below. The dates in the CASH POP column represent entry dates. No other CASH POP tickets can be entered until at least one (1) bonus entry row has been completed with the entry of the other six (6) Eligible Draw game tickets.

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	PICK	PICK	PICK	PICK	CASH	CASH4LI	FANTAS	BON
	2	3	4	5	POP	FE	Y 5	US
					2/13/2			
1					4			
					2/16/2			
2					4			
					2/23/2			
3					4			
					2/25/2			
4					4			

2. Fifty (50) Bonus Entries. Players who enter all seven (7) Daily Draw game tickets (CASH POP, PICK 2, PICK 3, PICK 4, PICK 5, FANTASY 5, and CASH4LIFE) during the same Drawing Entry Period will receive fifty (50) bonus drawing entries for that Drawing Entry Period. All seven tickets are not required to be entered simultaneously but must be entered during the same Drawing Entry Period to earn the bonus entries. These seven tickets will also earn card symbols, and acquired entries, in accordance with paragraph (3)(a), above.

3. February 29, 2024 (Leap Day) Bonus Entries.

a. Any Daily Draw game ticket that is part of this Promotion (CASH POP, PICK 2, PICK 3, PICK 4, PICK 5, FANTASY 5, and CASH4LIFE) purchased/issued, subject to retailer and Lottery office operating hours, and entered on February 29, 2024 (6 a.m. to midnight (ET)) will receive sixteen (16) symbols, which will be randomly applied to a player's game cards. (These sixteen symbols are in lieu of the number of symbols awarded, as described in paragraph (3)(a), above.)

b. Players who complete bonus entry row/s on February 29, 2024 (6 a.m. to midnight (ET)) will receive one hundred (100) bonus drawing entries for the January 31 – February 29, 2024 Drawing Entry Period. Players may complete multiple bonus entry rows on February 29, 2024 (6 a.m. to midnight (ET)); each completed bonus entry row will earn one-hundred bonus drawing entries.

(c) Upon completion of a drawing, all game cards are cleared of symbols, and all bonus entry row/s are cleared.

(4) Coupons.

Throughout the Promotion Period, Coupons will be randomly generated and awarded for every "nth" ticket scanned or entered statewide. Coupons may be redeemed at a Florida Lottery retailer or a Florida Lottery District Office by presenting the Coupon barcode on their mobile device, or players may redeem the Coupon by printing the Coupon from the website and presenting a hardcopy. Coupons cannot be redeemed by mail; Coupons submitted by mail will not be honored. Coupons are valid for a one-time use only and must be redeemed by 11:59:59 (ET) on April 29, 2024. Any Coupons not redeemed by this deadline will not otherwise be redeemable. If for any reason all Coupons are not awarded during the Promotion Period, they will not otherwise be awarded. The odds of winning a Coupon depend on the number of tickets entered. Available Coupons for award are:

<u>COUPON PRIZES</u>	NUMBEROFCOUPONPRIZES(quantityovertheentirePromotionPeriod)	TOTALVALUEOFCOUPONPRIZES(value over the entire PromotionPeriod)
<u>\$20 Cash Coupons</u>	<u>2,500</u>	<u>\$50,000</u>
\$10 Cash Coupon	<u>5,000</u>	<u>\$50,000</u>
*Buy a CASH4LIFEticket (any price), geta Free \$1 FANTASY5 Quick Pick ticketCoupon	50,000	<u>\$50,000</u>
<u>*Buy \$1 or more</u> <u>CASH POP ticket,</u> <u>get a Free \$1 PICK 3</u> <u>Str/Box Quick Pick</u> <u>ticket Coupon</u>	<u>100,000</u>	<u>\$100,000</u>
Totals	<u>157,500</u>	<u>\$250,000</u>

<u>*Coupons for a free FANTASY 5 or free PICK 3 tickets</u> are not redeemable for cash. Free FANTASY 5 and PICK 3 tickets are good for one (1) Quick Pick ticket for the next available drawing, depending on when the Coupon is redeemed. If a free ticket Coupon is redeemed during the Promotion Period, the resulting free ticket may be entered to earn symbols, as described in paragraph (3)(a), above.

(5) Draw Dates, Drawing Entry Periods, and Winner Announcement Dates. The Florida Lottery will conduct two (2) drawings in the Promotion to select winners. Winners for a drawing will be randomly selected from entries earned before midnight (ET) on the last day of a Drawing Entry Period. Entries for one Drawing Entry Period are not carried over into a subsequent Drawing Entry Period; entries will be drawn only from the ticket entries submitted and received during each Drawing Entry Period. Winners will be randomly selected using a certified random number generation process. The drawing shall be public, held in Tallahassee, Florida, and witnessed by an accountant employed by an independent certified public accounting firm. The draw dates, drawing entry periods, and winner announcement dates are:

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	DRAWING	<u>WINNER</u>			
DRAW	ENTRY	ANNOUNCEMENT			
DATE	PERIOD	DATE			
Monday, February 5, 2024	<u>January 1 – 30,</u> <u>2024</u>	Thursday, February 8, 2024			
<u>Monday,</u> <u>March 4,</u> <u>2024</u>	<u>January 31 –</u> <u>February 29,</u> <u>2024</u>	Thursday, March 7, 2024			

In a Promotion Drawing, a total of 62 valid entries will be drawn by the Florida Lottery. Prizes are awarded to players in the order in which they were drawn during each drawing, starting with the Top Prize. Remaining entries will be alternates and used in the order in which they were drawn and in the order of need to select alternate winners in the event a winner does not timely respond to notification or fails to timely provide required claim documentation as set forth in subsection (8), below, or in the event an entry is disqualified. A player can only win one prize in a Promotion drawing per entry.

(6) Available Prizes, Prize Amounts, and Winners per Drawing are:

PRIZE AMOU T	N WINNERS PER DRAWIN G	TOTAL NUMBER OF WINNER S (over the entire	TOTAL PRIZE VALUE (value over the entire
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			Period)	<u>n Period)</u>
Top	\$10,000	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	\$20,000
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<u>e</u>				
<u>1st</u>	<u>\$5,000</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>\$40,000</u>
Priz				
<u>e</u>				
2^{nd}	<u>\$1,000</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>\$16,000</u>
Priz				
<u>e</u>				
<u>3rd</u>	<u>\$500</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>\$24,000</u>
<u>Priz</u>				
<u>e</u>				
		<u>37</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>\$100,000</u>

(7) Prize winner Notification.

(a) The winners in a Promotion Drawing will be announced and posted on flalottery.com on the Winner Announcement Date, set forth in the table in subsection (5), above, or as soon as possible thereafter.

(b) Prize Winner Notification. The Florida Lottery will notify each winner by telephone or email using the contact information provided in the winner's registration data no later than one business day after the winners are posted on the Florida Lottery's website. The Florida Lottery deems the winner's registration data as the winner's official contact information. Issuing an email or leaving a telephone message on voicemail, if available, shall constitute notification. The Florida Lottery will not attempt to further notify a winner if the attempt to notify the winner by telephone or email was unsuccessful. If a winner does not respond to the Lottery's notification within ten (10) calendar days of the date the winners are posted on the website, the winner will forfeit his or her right to claim the prize and the Florida Lottery will select an alternate winner in accordance with subsection (5), above. If the alternate winner does not respond to the Lottery's notification within ten (10) calendar days of the date of notification, the alternate winner will forfeit his or her right to claim the prize and the Florida Lottery will select the next alternate winner. This process will continue until an alternate winner responds to the Lottery or the Lottery has exhausted the list of alternates due to unsuccessful notification or due to failure by a winner or an alternate winner to timely provide required claim documentation as set forth in subsection (8) below. The Florida Lottery is not responsible or liable for system failures of any sort or type, including, but not exclusively, computer failures, email service failures, telephone failures. If a prize cannot be awarded for any reason, the prize will not be awarded.

(8) How to Claim a Prize.

(a) To claim a \$500 prize, a winner must provide a copy of acceptable identification as set forth in the rule of the Florida Lottery governing payment of prizes.

(b) To claim a \$1,000; \$5,000; or \$10,000 prize, a winner must submit to the Florida Lottery a completed Winner Claim Form DOL-173-2, Revised 2/23, or Spanish Winner Claim Form DOL-173-2S, Revised 2/23, and a copy of acceptable identification as set forth in the rule of the Florida Lottery governing payment of prizes.

(c) A copy of the current prize payment rule can be obtained from the Florida Lottery, Office of the General Counsel, 250 Marriott Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4011 or at flrules.org.

(d) The required documents must be received by the Florida Lottery no later than ten (10) calendar days after the Florida Lottery has first notified the winner by telephone (notification by telephone is deemed complete by leaving a voicemail message, if available) or email (issuing an email constitutes notification). If the Florida Lottery does not receive the required documents from a winner by the tenth calendar day after notification, the winner will forfeit his or her right to claim the prize and the Florida Lottery will award the prize to an alternate winner as described in subsection (5), above. The same timeframe for a winner to provide required documentation to the Florida Lottery shall apply to an alternate winner.

(9) Payment of Prizes.

(a) Payment of \$500 Prizes. Upon the Florida Lottery's timely receipt of a copy of a winner's acceptable identification, the Florida Lottery will award the prize to that winner.

(b) Payment of \$1,000; \$5,000; and \$10,000 Prizes. Upon the Florida Lottery's timely receipt of a winner's required documentation, the Florida Lottery will award the applicable prize for that winner, subject to analysis for State-Owed Debt and Child Support Debt, and withholding federal tax, as applicable.

(10) Analysis for State-Owed Debt and Child Support Debt. Prior to the award of a \$1,000; \$5,000; or \$10,000 prize, a winner will be analyzed for Florida state-owed debt and child support debt. If more than one prize is awarded to a winner, a separate analysis shall occur prior to payment of each prize. If the winner is identified as owing outstanding debt to any state agency or owes child support collected through a court, the debt will be offset in accordance with section 24.115, F.S. If the debt is an amount less than the amount of the cash prize, the balance of the prize less applicable income tax withholding and after the debt is offset shall be awarded. If the debt is an amount greater than any cash prize, the entire prize amount after applicable income tax withholding will be applied to the outstanding debt.

(11) Taxes.

(a) All federal, state, and/or local taxes, or other costs and fees on all prizes will be the responsibility of the winner.

(b) For \$10,000.00 prizes won, and pursuant to applicable provisions of the Internal Revenue Service code, federal income taxes will be withheld at a rate of twenty-four percent (24%) for U. S. citizens or legal U. S. residents and at a rate of thirty percent (30%) for nonresident winners. Regardless of prize amount and for all prizes won, federal income taxes will be withheld at a rate of thirty percent (30%) for nonresident winners. The reporting and subsequent payment of any additional federal, state, and/or local taxes, and any other fees and costs shall be the responsibility of the winner.

(12) Other Restrictions and Provisions.

(a) A player can only win one prize per entry.

(b) Any prizes not awarded for any reason will not otherwise be awarded.

(c) A winner in this Promotion is not required to submit the Eligible ticket he or she entered to claim a prize.

(d) A winner must be at least 18 years of age.

(e) All prizes are subject to the provisions of chapter 24, F.S., and rules promulgated thereunder. Prizes will be paid in accordance with the rule of the Florida Lottery governing payment of prizes. Copies of the current prize payment rule can be obtained from the Florida Lottery, Office of the General Counsel, 250 Marriott Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4011 or at flrules.org.

(f) Persons prohibited by section 24.116, F.S., from purchasing a Florida Lottery ticket are not eligible to enter this Promotion.

(g) By participating in the Daily Cash Bonus Play Promotion, a prize winner gives his/her permission and consent, and without notification, for the Florida Lottery to photograph and/or videotape and record him/her and to use his/her name, photograph, videotape, and/or recording of him/her for current and future advertising or publicity purposes without additional compensation, notification, or consent.

Rulemaking Authority 24.105(9), 24.109(1) FS. Law Implemented 24.105(9), 24.115(1) FS. History–New 1-1-24.

THIS RULE TAKES EFFECT UPON BEING FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE UNLESS A LATER TIME AND DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THE RULE. EFFECTIVE DATE: 1/1/2024

Section V Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule Variance or Waiver

NONE

Section VI Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Division of Blind Services

The Florida Rehabilitation Council for the Blind and the Division of Blind Services announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 11, 2024, 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Teleconference number: (888)585-9008

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Tallahassee Day Subcommittee Meeting

Documentation Preparations

Event Day Procedures

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: No agenda

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: Division of Blind Services (850)245-0300. 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: (850)245-9305 or email DBSRehabCouncil@dbs.fldoe.org.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

The Florida Department of Corrections announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 18, 2024, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Corrections Headquarters Building, M35 Conference Room, 501 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2500

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Under the authority of the Florida Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission, State Regional Training Council XVI, announces a regular scheduled meeting of the Region XVI Training Council. The primary business of the meeting will be to discuss training budget and budget issues.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Oscar Paz Soldan, Bureau of Professional Development and Training. 501 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2500.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

St. Johns River Water Management District

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
40C-8.031	Minimum Surface Water Levels and Flows
	and Groundwater Levels

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

DATE AND TIME: January 16, 2024, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Microsoft Teams Meeting (Online): https://tinyurl.com/28db66cc

Call in number: 1(386)256-1151

Phone Conference ID: 767 186 942, then press #

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The St. Johns River Water Management District (District) will hold a virtual meeting on January 16th as part of the peer review process for the surface water model developed to support establishing protective minimum levels for Lake Prevatt in Orange County, Florida. The purpose of establishing minimum levels is to protect this lake from significant harm due to groundwater or surface water withdrawals. In September 2023 the District completed development of a Hydrological Simulation Program - Fortran (HSPF) model for Lake Prevatt. A kick-off meeting for the peer review of this HSPF model was held on December 11, 2023. During the upcoming January 16th meeting the model peer reviewer will present initial findings for the Lake Prevatt HSPF model review. One or more members of the District's Governing Board may attend this meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention: Andrew Sutherland, 4049 Reid Street, Palatka, Florida 32177, (386)329-4201 or asutherl@sjrwmd.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: District Clerk, (386)329-4127. 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: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention: Andrew Sutherland, 4049 Reid Street, Palatka, Florida 32177, (386)329-4201 or asutherl@sjrwmd.com.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

St. Johns River Water Management District RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

40C-8.031 Minimum Surface Water Levels and Flows and Groundwater Levels

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

DATE AND TIME: January 12, 2024, 10:30 a.m.

PLACE: Microsoft Teams Meeting (Online):

https://tinyurl.com/2rfm6ame Call in number: 1(386)256-1151

Conference ID: 875 107 999, then press #

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The St. Johns River Water Management District (District) will hold a virtual meeting on January 12th as part of the peer review process for the surface water model developed to support establishing protective minimum levels for East and West Crystal Lakes in Seminole County, Florida. The purpose of establishing minimum levels is to protect these lakes from significant harm due to groundwater or surface water withdrawals. In August 2023 the District completed development of a Hydrological Simulation Program - Fortran (HSPF) model for the Crystal Chain of Lakes. A kick-off meeting for the peer review of this HSPF model was held on December 13, 2023. During the upcoming January 12th meeting the model peer reviewer will present initial findings for the Crystal Chain of Lakes HSPF model review. One or more members of the District's Governing Board may attend this meeting.

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WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

St. Johns River Water Management District

RULE NO.:RULE TITLE:40C-8.031Minimum Surface Water Levels and Flows
and Groundwater LevelsThe St. Johns River Water Management District announces a
public meeting to which all persons are invited.DATE AND TIME: January 23, 2024, 10:00 a.m.PLACE: Wekiwa Springs State Park Recreation Hall, 1800

Wekiwa Cir, Apopka, FL 32712

Microsoft TEAMS Link: https://tinyurl.com/j9ax8hsm Call in number: 1(386)256-1151 Phone Conference ID: 646 259 015, then press #

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The St. Johns River Water Management District (District) will hold a public meeting to kick-off the peer review of the draft Wekiva River basin MFLs report. The purpose of establishing MFLs is to protect priority water bodies within the District from significant harm due to groundwater withdrawals. A presentation by the District will start at 10:00 a.m., and afterwards there will be a site visit. The site visit will be a car tour stopping at various points of interest within the basin. People who wish to attend the site visit must provide their own transportation. The site visit is subject to cancellation or may be rescheduled due to inclement weather. One or more members of the District's Governing Board may attend this meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention: Andrew Sutherland, 4049 Reid Street, Palatka, Florida 32177, (386)329-4201 or asutherl@sjrwmd.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: District Clerk, (386)329-4127. 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: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention: Andrew Sutherland, 4049 Reid Street, Palatka, Florida 32177, (386)329-4201 or asutherl@sjrwmd.com.

DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS

Office of Public and Professional Guardians

The Foundation for Indigent Guardianship announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 4, 2024, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon PLACE: Microsoft Teams

To join the workshop, copy and paste the URL below to your browser or mobile app.

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-

join/19%3ameeting_YmRlM2VjNTUtODQ0ZS00Y2EyLTk4 ZGItNWM3NjQ2OGUyNThj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b% 22Tid%22%3a%22f75a7744-d4bf-4623-8660-

bcfa3569c2a0%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22e58865df-98ec-484d-9e8f-bfd8dcf004bc%22%7d

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Board of Directors Workshop relative to subject matter of the Foundation for Indigent Guardianship.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: AudreyWood.FIG@gmail.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 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: OPPG Information at: (850)414-2381. 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: OPPG Information at: (850)414-2381.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Health Facility and Agency Licensing

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-8.0099 Home Health Aides for Medically Fragile Children

The Agency for Health Care Administration announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 11, 2023, 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Tallahassee, Florida, 32308, Building 2, Conference Room F. You may also participate by dialing the Open Voice conference line, 1(888)585-9008, then enter the conference room number followed by the pound sign, 998-518-088#. The agenda and related materials will be posted prior to the workshop on the web at:

https://ahca.myflorida.com/MCHQ/Health_Facility_Regulatio n/Rulemaking.shtml.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Agency proposes to create a new rule within Chapter 59A-8, F.A.C. to implement the provisions of HB 391 (LOF 2023-183) to outline training curriculum for home health aides for medically fragile children as well as establish data reporting by home health agencies.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jeremy Roberts, (850)412-4432, email:

Jeremy. Roberts @ahca.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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Jeremy Roberts, Bureau of Health Facility Regulation, 2727 Mahan Drive, Tallahassee, Florida, (850)412-4432. 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: Jeremy Roberts, (850)412-4432, email: Jeremy.Roberts@ahca.myflorida.com.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH Board of Medicine

The Florida Board of Medicine's Credentials Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, February 1, 2024, 8:00 a.m., EST, or soon thereafter.

PLACE: (UPDATED) Aloft Jacksonville Tapestry Park, 4812 W. Deer Lake Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32246. The hotel's phone number is (904)998-4448. The hotel's website is www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/jaxtl-aloft-jacksonvilletapestry-park/overview/.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business of the Committee. Committee meetings may be canceled prior to the meeting date. Please check the Board's website at

https://flboardofmedicine.gov/meeting-information for cancellations or changes to the meeting date or time or call the Board at (850245-4131 for more information.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: https://flboardofmedicine.gov/meeting-information.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: the Board by email at BOM.MeetingMaterials@flhealth.gov or by calling the Board at (850)245-4131. 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 Board by email at BOM.MeetingMaterials@flhealth.gov or by calling the Board at (850)245-4131.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Children's Medical Services

The Child Abuse Death Review Circuit 13 Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 10, 2024, 1:00 p.m., Eastern Time (US and Canada)

PLACE: Virtual Zoom Meeting -

https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZctcOmsqT8oHNFjeeXLxnF2cM0a0eNU-DxU

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Committee will address administrative issues, review cases, and

discuss the CADR Action Plan. A portion of the meeting is required by Section 383.412(3) (a), F.S. to be closed to the public to allow the Committee to discuss information that is confidential and exempt from public meetings and public records. This portion of the meeting will be announced at the meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Carry.Simons@flhealth.gov

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

For more information, you may contact: Carry.Simons@flhealth.gov

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Family Health Services

The Florida Department of Health, Division of Community Health Promotion announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 25, 2024, 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m., EST

PLACE: Microsoft Teams Link:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-

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4067-9077-100351517144%22%70

Or call in (audio only): (850)792-1375

Phone Conference ID: 875 818 997#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Health/Division of Community Health Promotion is conducting a quarterly meeting with the Information Clearinghouse on Developmental Disabilities Advisory Council to advise the Department of Health on establishing and maintaining a clearinghouse of information related to developmental disabilities on its website.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Family Health Services

The Florida Department of Health, Division of Public Health Statistics and Performance Management announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, January 23, 2024, 12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m., EST

PLACE: Microsoft Teams Link:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-

join/19%3ameeting_NjNjZjUzNzQtZDlkNS00NTYzLTk1Mz ctMDJjOTFkMDRjMzU3%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22T

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cd2b03a31b8d%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%220b10ad5e-4682-4be7-9c77-fcb5313f7f44%22%7d

Or call in (audio only): (850)792-1375

Phone Conference ID: 374 345 700#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Health, Division of Public Health Statistics and Performance Management is conducting the Rare Disease Advisory Council Academic Research Institutions Subcommittee meeting. The Council was created in Section 381.99, Florida Statutes, for the purpose of providing recommendations to improve health outcomes for individuals residing in Florida who have a rare disease.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Family Health Services

The Florida Department of Health, Division of Public Health Statistics and Performance Management announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 24, 2024, 12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m., EST

PLACE: Microsoft Teams Link:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-

join/19%3ameeting_OWQ4ODI3MTItZWVhMS00NjE1LWE

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cd2b03a31b8d%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%220b10ad5e-4682-

4be7-9c77-fcb5313f7f44%22%7d

Or call in (audio only): (850)792-1375

Phone Conference ID: 768 797 436#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Health, Division of Public Health Statistics and Performance Management is conducting the Rare Disease Advisory Council Health Care Providers Subcommittee meeting. The Council was created in Section 381.99, Florida Statutes, for the purpose of providing recommendations to improve health outcomes for individuals residing in Florida who have a rare disease.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Maggie Dilger @ maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Maggie Dilger @ maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Maggie Dilger @ maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Family Health Services

The Florida Department of Health, Division of Public Health Statistics and Performance Management announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, January 26, 2024, 12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m., EST

PLACE: Microsoft Teams Link:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-

join/19%3ameeting_NDhmZTRiYjQtYjdkZi000DQyLWI0Z DYtMDUzYjkyOWMwYWE5%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b

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cd2b03a31b8d%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%220b10ad5e-4682-

4be7-9c77-fcb5313f7f44%22%7d

Or call in (audio only): (850)792-1375

Phone Conference ID: 683 182 32#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Health, Division of Public Health Statistics and Performance Management is conducting the Rare Disease Advisory Council State Agencies Subcommittee meeting. The Council was created in Section 381.99, Florida Statutes, for the purpose of providing recommendations to improve health outcomes for individuals residing in Florida who have a rare disease.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Maggie Dilger at maggie.dilger@flhealth.gov

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Refugee Services

The Palm Beach Area Refugee Task Force announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 18, 2024; 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

PLACE: Meeting will take place via the Microsoft Teams platform. Use the below link to connect to the meeting:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-

join/19%3ameeting_NTQ3ZDY5YWItZGU5OC00MTdiLWF iNmEtYTdmZmE5OTcxMWJk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b %22Tid%22%3a%22f70dba48-b283-4c57-8831-

cb411445a94c%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%224c7ac74e-0835-4242-a8cf-f26976fc1c32%22%7d

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The purpose of the Palm Beach Area Refugee Task Force meeting is to increase awareness of the refugee populations, share best practices, spot trends in refugee populations, build collaborations between agencies, help create good communication among service providers, get informed about upcoming community events, and discuss refugee program service needs and possible solutions to meeting those needs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Janeth Chorlango Quinga at (561)227-6722 or David Draper at (407)317-7335.

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: Janeth Chorlango Quinga at (561)227-6722 or David Draper at (407)317-7335. 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: Janeth Chorlango Quinga at (561)227-6722 or David Draper at (407)317-7335.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 17, 2024, 2:00 p.m., Eastern Time

PLACE: Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 N. Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301

The workshop will also be available via webinar. The webinar registration and access information for the workshop are posted to the following website:

https://www.floridahousing.org/programs/developers-

multifamily-programs/competitive/2024/2024-305

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This workshop will discuss Request for Applications (RFA) 2024-305 Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) Financing For Affordable Housing Developments Located In Hurricane Sally Impacted Areas with the opportunity for the public to provide comments and suggestions.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Bryan Barber, (850)488-4197 or bryan.barber@floridahousing.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Bryan Barber 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).

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.

The Corradino Group, Inc.

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 10, 2024, 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: The in-person session will be at the Cooper City, City Hall Commission Chambers located at 9090 SW 50th Place, Cooper City, FL 33328. Please use the following link to register for the online session: https://tinyurl.com/griffinroadvpm. If you prefer to dial in by phone, call +1(415)655-0052, and then dial for Audio Access code: 988-861-976.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Project Description: State Road (SR) 818/Griffin Road Resurfacing Project from SR 823/Flamingo Road to SW 90th Avenue in Cooper City and Town of Davie. The project improvements consist of: milling and resurfacing the roadway; upgrading existing lighting with LED fixtures within the project limits; upgrading pedestrian signalization at the intersections of SR 823/Flamingo Road, SW 118th Avenue, SW 106th Avenue, SW 100th/Palm Avenue; and upgrading pavement markings and signage.

Construction will begin in January 2024 and is estimated to be completed in Early 2025. The estimated construction cost is \$4,434,510.

The Construction Open House will be held virtually and in person. The virtual public meeting will be held from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. with a brief presentation followed by questions and comments from the public. The in-person open house will be held from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. and will have an informal open house format. FDOT staff and consultant staff members will be available to discuss the project and answer questions.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Erik Nemati, P.E., FDOT Project Manager, at (954)299-6441 or by email at erik.nemati@dot.state.fl.us.

Public participation is solicited 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: Erik Nemati, P.E., FDOT Project Manager, at (954)299-6441 or by email at erik.nemati@dot.state.fl.us. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Daniela Silva, Community Outreach Specialist, at (786)441-3088 or by email at msilva@corradino.com.

End Human Trafficking, Inc.

The Florida Alliance to End Human Trafficking (End Human Trafficking, Inc.) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 5, 2024, 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: FordHarrison, 401 East Jackson Street, Suite 2500, Tampa, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Law Enforcement Technology Grants

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Erin@FloridaAllianceEndHT.com

Section VII Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Environmental Health

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Department of Health has declined to rule on the petition for declaratory statement filed by Jacob Varn, on behalf of the City of Sanford on October 02, 2023. The following is a summary of the agency's declination of the petition:

A Final Order Denying Petition for Declaratory Statement was filed on December 22, 2023. The petition was denied for Petitioner's failure to set out any particular set of facts or circumstances specific to the Petitioner and for failure to identify any specific agency-enforced statute, rule, or order that might apply to the list of questions posed. The petition was further denied as the agency is unable to issue a declaratory statement regarding past conduct or to determine the proper course of action for a person other than the Petitioner.

A copy of the Order Declining of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Amanda Bush at (850)245-4027 or at amanda.bush@flhealth.gov.

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

Halfacre Construction

Request for Subcontractor Bids for SARASOTA COUNTY – EIT Administration

Halfacre Construction hereby solicits Bids from qualified subcontractors for the new Sarasota County – EIT Administration facility. The work consists of the following:

Bid Item #	Bid Item Description		
03	Cast-in-place ConcreteTermite Treatment		
04	Masonry		
05A	Structural Steel/Decking/Misc. Metals		
05B	Aluminum Canopy		
06	Millwork/Countertops		
07A	Waterproofing		
07B	Roofing		
07C	Metal Wall Panels		
08A	Doors/Frames/Hardware		
08B	Overhead Door/Loading Dock Equipment		
08C	Storefronts/Glass/Glazing		
09A	Drywall/Interior LG Metal Framing/Wall		
09A	Insulation		
09B	Stucco		
09C	ACT Ceilings		
09D	Flooring		
09E	Painting		
10A	Signage and Plaques		
10B	Specialties: Toilet Partitions/Toilet Accessories/Flagpole/Fire Extinguishers &		
	Cabinets/Wall & Door Protection		
21A	Fire Protection (Sprinklers)		
21B	Clean Agent Fire Extinguishing Systems		
22	Plumbing		
23	HVAC & Exhaust Systems		
26	Electrical & Raceways for Low Voltage Systems		
27A	Telecommunications (Communications Cabling System)		

27B	Audio/Visual Systems		
27C	In-Building Wireless System (Cellular		
270	Repeater)		
28A	Security Systems (Access Control)		
28B	Video Surveillance		
28C	BDA		
32A	Fencing		
33B	Landscape/Irrigation		

The project location is 6200 Palmer Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34240 For any questions regarding this project contact:

Rick Milhoan, Pre-Construction Manager at (941)907-9099 or rmilhoan@halfacreco.com

Jeremy Baker, Assistant Project Manager at (941)907-9099 or jbaker@halfacreco.com

Payment and Performance Bond: Bidders with a bid of \$100,000 or more shall be able to provide a 100% Payment & Performance Bond prior to commencement of work.

A NON-MANDATORY Prebid meeting will be held on January 09, 2024, at 2:00 p.m.. The Pre-Bid meeting will be held via Microsoft Teams Meeting. Site visits will be permitted via appointment only as scheduled by the Construction manager.

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join on your computer, mobile app or room device

Click here to join the meeting

Meeting ID: 219 184 574 501

Passcode: Zk2kBA

Download Teams | Join on the web

Learn More | Meeting options

Requests for Information (RFI's) shall be submitted in writing to Jeremy Baker at jbaker@halfacreco.com . Cut-off date for RFI questions is January 19, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.

Bids will be received via email on January 31, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. Bids shall be submitted in the proper bid form with required attachments in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders in the Bid Manual.

Documents for this project will be issued via Procore on or about December 28, 2023. Please contact Jeremy Baker at jbaker@halfacreco.com to obtain documents.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within a period of one hundred and eighty (180) days after the actual date of opening thereof.

The Construction Manager reserves the right to waive any formalities, technicalities, or

irregularities in; or reject any or all bids; or to re-advertise for bids and award or refrain from awarding the Contract for the work.

Halfacre Construction, on behalf of Sarasota County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 287.133, Florida Statutes shall affirm that "A person of 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 public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, any may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list."

Direct Purchase Program: The owner is Tax Exempt. Therefore, we will facilitate an owner direct purchase order (DPO) program for these items. The threshold for a DPO will be larger than \$25,000. Please INCLUDE all sales taxes in your proposal.

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LinkedIn: www.linkedin.com/company/halfacreconstruction-company

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., Thursday, December 21, 2023, and 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 27, 2023.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
5K-4.030	12/21/2023	1/10/2024
33-210.202	12/27/2023	1/16/2024
33-601.314	12/22/2023	1/11/2024
40D-1.1010	12/21/2023	1/10/2024
53ER23-63	12/27/2023	1/1/2024
59A-18.0081	12/22/2023	1/11/2024

59G-4.072	12/21/2023	1/10/2024
59G-4.073	12/21/2023	1/10/2024
59G-4.074	12/21/2023	1/10/2024
59G-4.075	12/21/2023	1/10/2024
59G-4.076	12/21/2023	1/10/2024
59G-4.077	12/21/2023	1/10/2024
69O-200.004	12/27/2023	1/16/2024

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
40C-4.091	3/31/2023	**/**/***
40C-41.043	3/31/2023	**/**/***
40E-4.091	6/26/2023	**/**/***
60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/***
62-330.010	4/28/2023	**/**/***
62-330.050	4/28/2023	**/**/***
62-330.055	4/28/2023	**/**/***
62-330.301	4/28/2023	**/**/***
62-330.310	4/28/2023	**/**/***
62-330.311	4/28/2023	**/**/***
62-330.350	4/28/2023	**/**/***
62-330.405	4/28/2023	**/**/***
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/***
65C-9.004	3/31/2022	**/**/***

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Medicaid

State Plan Amendment

The Agency for Health Care Administration is requesting an amendment to the Medicaid State Plan. The amendment adds language regarding Practitioner Reimbursement Methodology for services outlined in the State Plan. This amendment to the State Plan will have no federal fiscal impact for federal fiscal year (FFY) 2023-24 and FFY 2024-2025. The effective date for this amendment will be January 1, 2024.

Interested parties may contact the following staff for further information: Shanise Jackson, Bureau of Medicaid Policy, located at 2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop 23, Tallahassee, Florida 32308-5407; by telephone at: (850)412-4220 or by e-mail at: Shanise.Jackson@ahca.myflorida.com.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Medicaid

Seeking Provider Comments in Relation to Statewide Medicaid Prepaid Dental Program Re-Procurement.

The AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION (Agency) announces that it is soliciting comments from providers which it will consider as part of the re-procurement of the Statewide Medicaid Prepaid Dental Program.

The Invitations to Negotiate (ITNs) and information about the re-procurement, including anticipated timelines and instructions for submission of provider comments, can be found on the Department of Management Services' Vendor Bid System at: MyFloridaMarket Place Vendor Information Portal. Key dates to note are:

January 8, 2024: Anticipated Posting of ITN Respondent Names for Provider Comment

January 22, 2024: Anticipated Deadline for Receipt of Provider Comments, due by 5:00 p.m.

The reference number for the SMMC program ITN is AHCA ITN 007-23/24.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Economic Self-Sufficiency Program

NOTICE OF TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES (TANF) CASELOAD REDUCTION CREDIT REPORT

Based on guidance from the Department of Health and Human Services, notice is hereby given of the submission of this report for FFY 2024 using FFY 2023 caseload data as the comparison year. The caseload reduction credit is an adjustment to the State's minimum TANF work participation requirement.

The Department is providing the public an opportunity to comment on the estimates and methodology used to complete the estimates and will accept written comments on this report through 5:00 p.m. on December 31, 2023, submitted to the email or mail address below.

To receive a copy of the report email Renita.Robinson@myflfamilies.com or write the Department of Children and Families, Economic Self Sufficiency Headquarters, 2415 North Monroe, Suite 400, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-4190.

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.