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Section II
Proposed Rules

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Licensing

<p>RULE NOS.: 5N-1.132 5N-1.140 5N-1.142</p>	<p>RULE TITLES: Firearms Training Security Officer, Recovery Agent and Private Investigative Intern School Curriculum; Examinations; Retention of Records Agency Reporting Requirements</p>
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PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rulemaking is to establish rules for the regulation of entities providing online training authorized by amendments to sections 493.6303 and 493.6105, F.S. and the creation of section 493.6132 F.S., effective July 1, 2022. The effect will be to establish clear direction relating to class “D” & “G” online trainings to Security Schools and Firearm Instructors in the implementation of their new online training programs, and their responsibilities in record retention and reporting requirements to the Division of Licensing.

SUMMARY: The proposed rules and amendments will provide clear direction and guidance for the regulation of Security Schools and Firearm Instructors implementing online training authorized by amendments to sections 493.6303 and 493.6105, F.S. and the creation of section 493.6132 F.S., effective July 1, 2022, including general content and number of hours of each subject area to be taught, delivery method, security protocols, record retention, and reporting requirements. The proposed rules and amendments will update division materials and forms incorporated by reference.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

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

required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department’s economic analysis of the adverse impact or potential regulatory costs of the proposed rule did not exceed any of the criteria established in Section 120.541(2)(a), Florida Statutes. As part of this analysis, the Department relied upon public comments at rule development workshops and a checklist of potential adverse impacts or regulatory costs, ultimately concluding that impacted entities will not incur adverse direct or indirect costs as a result of the proposed rule. Additionally, no interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact.

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

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RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 493.6103, 493.6105(5), 493.6115(8), 493.6132(4), (7), 493.6203(5), (6), 493.6303(2), (4), 493.6304(3), 493.6406(3) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 493.6105, 493.6112, 493.6113(3), 493.6115, 493.6118, 493.6121, 493.6132, 493.6203(5), (6), 493.6303(4), 493.6403(2), (3), 493.6406(3) FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Kevin Gay, Records Analyst, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Licensing, P.O. Box 5647, Tallahassee, Florida 32314; DOLPublicRec@fdacs.gov; (850)245-5459.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

5N-1.132 Firearms Training.

(1) Initial Firearms Qualification.

(a) Except as provided in Section 493.6105(5), F.S., in order to initially qualify for a Class “G” Statewide Firearms License, an applicant must successfully complete 28 hours of range and classroom training taught by one or more Class “K” firearms ~~instructors~~instructor. The classroom training must be conducted by in-person instruction or live online instruction through a secure website, provided that the applicant’s identity, attendance and successful completion of training are verified by the instructor. 8 hours of the training must consist of in-person range training that includes training on the safe handling and storage of firearms. The initial 28-hour firearms course qualifies a Class “G” applicant to use the calibers of revolvers or semiautomatic handguns specified in Section 493.6115(6),

F.S., that the applicant will use when performing duties regulated under Chapter 493, F.S. A licensee may carry only the specific type and caliber of firearm with which he or she has completed a successful course of training.

(b) As proof of successful completion of firearms training, each Class “G” applicant must submit ~~the original white page from~~ the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearms License, provided by his or her Class “K” firearms ~~instructor(s) instructor~~ upon completion of firearms training, to the Division of Licensing ~~at any of the addresses listed in Rule 5N-1.100, F.A.C., of this rule chapter,~~ along with his or her license application.

(2) Annual Firearms Requalification Training and Reporting Requirement.

(a) No Change.

(b) Each Class “G” licensee shall provide proof of successful completion of annual requalification training by submitting ~~the original white page from~~ the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearms License to the Division of Licensing ~~at any of the addresses listed in Rule 5N-1.100, F.A.C., of this rule.~~ These forms must be submitted each year on or before the month and day that appears on the face of the license as the expiration date.

1. through 3. No Change.

(3) No Change.

(4) Firearms Instruction.

(a) Firearms Training Manual Student Handbook and Study Guide. All Class “G” applicants seeking initial firearms qualification, and all Class “G” licensees seeking either annual requalification training or training to carry other types and calibers of firearms, must utilize the instruction material contained in the Firearms Training Manual Student Handbook and Study Guide, FDACS-P-02079, revised 01/2023~~effective 09/2016~~, which is hereby incorporated by reference and can be obtained at: [insert new hyperlink] <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-07672>, or from the Division of Licensing at the addresses listed in Rule 5N-1.100, F.A.C., of this chapter.

(b) Firearms Training Manual Instructor’s Guide. In coordination with the Firearms Training Manual Student Handbook and Study Guide incorporated in paragraph (4)(a), above, all Class “K” licensed firearms instructors must utilize the instruction requirements and materials contained in the Firearms Training Manual Instructor’s Guide, FDACS-P-02078, revised 01/2023~~effective 06/2016~~, which is hereby incorporated by reference and can be obtained at: [insert new hyperlink] <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-07671>, or from the Division of Licensing at the addresses listed in Rule 5N-1.100, F.A.C., of this chapter.

(c) Firearms instructors may use audio/video material as an instructional ~~aid~~ when teaching the classroom portion of the

firearms training course, however, in no case shall an instructor rely solely on the use of audio/video material. Firearms classroom instruction must be conducted by in-person instruction, or by live online instruction through a secure website, provided the applicant’s identity, attendance and successful completion of training are verified by the instructor. ~~presented as live, in person classes where~~ The firearms instructor must conduct the firearm training live is present to allow for necessary student teacher interaction in real time (simultaneously) when teaching students to use firearms.

(d) Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearms License.

1. A class “K” instructor must generate ~~The~~ Certificates~~Certificate~~ of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearm License via the online reporting form available through their required LIAS account referenced in Rule 5N-1.142(4)(a), F.A.C. A certificate must be generated for each student who completes training for shall be used by each firearms instructor to document successful completion of either a 28-hour or 4-hour firearms proficiency course. If a 28-hour class is taught by more than one instructor, then each instructor shall be responsible for generating a certificate for each student for the number of hours of class the instructor taught, and to provide the Division necessary information regarding a student’s eligibility for a Class “G” firearms license. ~~The~~ Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearm License, FDACS-16005 revised 01/2309/16, is hereby incorporated by reference. A sample of the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency can be viewed at [insert new hyperlink], and on the division’s forms website

<https://licensing.fdacs.gov/forms/FormsRequest493.aspx>. <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-07670>. ~~Firearms instructors may obtain originals of the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearm License from the Division of Licensing at the addresses listed in Rule 5N-1.100, F.A.C., of this rule chapter.~~

2. ~~When a student completes a 28-hour or 4-hour firearms proficiency course, the Class “K” firearms instructor administering the course must ensure the triplicate Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearm License is accurately completed, and have the student sign and date the certificate.~~ A ~~The~~ Class “K” instructor administering the any portion of the firearm training course shall provide to each Class “G” student an electronic or paper copy of each reported the original white and pink pages from the Certificate of Firearm Proficiency for Statewide Firearm License form(s) within 3 business days of class completion. The instructor shall retain a copy of the completed certificate(s) certificate’s yellow page in his or her records as indicated in paragraph (4)(e), of this rule.

3. Students who lose or damage the original white or pink page of their copy of the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearms License, should contact their instructor for a copy of the completed certificate duplicate original page. An instructor issuing a duplicate certificate to a student, must write "Duplicate" in the certificate's comment section.

4. The following instructions are for use by firearms instructors when completing the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearm License. Every section of the Certificate must be completed. The categories below correspond to the sections in the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency:

a. Student Name: Name of student for a Class "G" license.
 b. Student Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yyyy).
 c. Type of Training: Select whether the student completed the initial 28-hour qualifying course, or a 4-hour course, whether annual requalification or qualification for use of other types and calibers of approved firearms. Include student's Class "G" license number if he or she is already licensed.

d. Range Score.

e. Written Exam Score.

f. Type: State whether the student qualified with a revolver, rifle, semi-automatic handgun, or a shotgun.

g. Firearm Caliber: Provide the caliber of the firearm with which the student qualified.

h. Name of Range: Provide the name of the range where the student shot his/her course of fire.

i. Range Street Address and City: Provide the street address and city where the student shot his/her course of fire.

j. Date Training Completed: Provide the date firearms training was completed.

k. Student Signature: Have the student sign the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency.

l. Comments: The instructor may include comments, if any, related to the student's training in this section. In all cases where a student fails a firearms proficiency course, within 5 days of course completion, the instructor must submit the original white page from the failing student's Certificate of Firearms Proficiency to the Division, stating in the comment section the reason for the student's failure to qualify.

m. Instructor's Certification: This section requires the instructor to certify that he/she has provided the legally required training. Note that Section 493.6120(7), F.S., makes it a third degree felony to knowingly issue or cause to be issued, a fraudulent training certificate certifying that required training was provided, when the person issuing the certificate knew, or reasonably should have known, that the certificate was fraudulent.

n. Instructor's Name: Instructor's name must be clearly printed or typed.

o. Instructor's License Number: Provide the instructor's Class "K" license number.

p. Instructor's Signature: Signature of instructor which completes the certification referenced above.

q. Date Signed: Date the training is completed and signed by the instructor.

r. Phone Number: Instructor's telephone must be clearly printed or typed.

(e) Firearms Instructor Recordkeeping Requirements.

1. Each firearms instructor shall maintain the following records:

a. A daily schedule that includes the date, location, and instructor's name and license number for each class session.

b. A daily log for each class session containing the printed name and signature of each student who attended a live (in person) class.

c. A digital log of online students' attendance and the method used by the instructor to verify each student's identity.

d.e. A copy of The instructor's yellow page from the Certificate of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearms License issued to each Class "G" student that took the instructor's course, including the yellow page from any duplicate certificate issued to a student.

e.d. Originals of all student tests, containing the student's test score, the student's printed name, the date the test was taken, and the student's signature. Instructors are not required to keep student targets as part of their record keeping requirements.

2. Instructors can meet Division record-keeping requirements by maintaining their original paper records, or by scanning such records into an electronic format. Online training records may be retained in electronic form as long as they are reproducible or transmittable upon request from an investigator of the department.

3. No Change.

4. Records shall be maintained for a minimum period of two years at the place of business of the Class "K" instructor or at the address listed on the Class "K" instructor's instructors license. Each instructor shall immediately produce student records for inspection by an investigator of the department employees of the Division of Licensing upon request.

5. An instructor conducting an online course must maintain records of all training sessions, including the name and license number of the instructor who is present online with the students while the students are receiving instruction, and proof of compliance with all security protocols at the instructor's place of business in this state. The records required under this subsection must immediately be made accessible to the department's investigators upon request. If all electronic records are not immediately available, an instructor shall explain to the

requesting investigator why the records are not immediately available and provide the records within 3 business days.

(5) Firearm online training. All or part of the 20 hours of classroom training may be completed through live online instruction provided that:

(a) One or more Class “K” instructors provide instruction in a live transmission format in which the instructor and students are participating in real time (simultaneously).

(b) All Class “K” instructors offering online training must maintain a physical location in Florida.

(c) The online instruction is conducted from a physical location in Florida.

(d) A Class "K" instructor(s) conducting an online course must provide the department’s investigators with live access to each course for the purposes of auditing, monitoring, or inspection upon request.

(e) The online instruction and testing are provided through a secure website using a Secure Socket Layer (SSL) or Transport Layer Security (TLS) technology.

(f) The student’s identity is verified by the instructor using the student’s U.S. state or federal issued photo identification such as a driver license, or state issued identification card.

(g) The student’s daily attendance is verified by the instructor and documented in a digital log.

(h) The Class “K” instructor(s) conducting an online class must utilize an online platform that limits each student’s log-in to a single device at all times.

(i) The Class “K” instructor(s) conducting an online class must utilize an online platform that includes security questions (challenges) to ensure each student is actively participating. A student must successfully respond to each security question (challenge). At least one security question (challenge) shall be provided every two hours of instruction, with the opportunity to re-attempt an unsuccessful response within 5 minutes. If a student fails to successfully respond to a re-attempted security question (challenge), the online platform must mark the student absent. A Class “K” instructor(s) may provide a student an opportunity to explain an unsuccessful response to a security question (challenge) and allow the student to make up time lost due to absence or fail the student for non-participation.

(j) Live instruction using screens with text must require a student to spend a minimum of one minute per every 50 words of text before moving to the next screen. An instructor may prorate the minimum time spent on each screen having fewer than 50 words. The instructor must discuss the content presented in each screen.

(k) Students shall be given the opportunity to submit questions to a Class “K” instructor concerning the classroom training.

(l) If a student is absent during an online class, the Class “K” instructor may deliver up to 4 hours of missed class to the

student using recorded instruction. The student shall be allowed to submit questions to a Class “K” instructor concerning the recorded instruction.

(m) Each test that is administered online shall have randomized test questions.

Rulemaking Authority 493.6103, 493.6105(5), 493.6115(8), 493.6132(4),(7) FS. Law Implemented 493.6105, 493.6113(3), 493.6115, 493.6121, 493.6132 FS. History—New 1-16-17, Amended _____.

5N-1.140 Security Officer, Recovery Agent and Private Investigative Intern School Curriculum; Examinations; Retention of Records.

(1) Security Officer Schools and Training Facilities.

(a) through (b) No Change.

(c) No more than 50 percent of the questions in each subject area may be true or false questions, and 128 questions answered correctly is a passing score. ~~The school or training facility shall issue a certificate of completion to each student who successfully completes the training standards established herein. Each certificate shall bear the name and license number of the school at which training was received and the number of hours of training completed.~~

(d) Within 3 business days from class completion, a school or training facility shall issue a Certificate of Security Officer Training to each student who successfully completes the training standards established herein, using Form FDACS-16103, effective 01/23, hereby incorporated by reference. A sample of the Certificate of Security Officer Training can be viewed at [insert new hyperlink], and on the division’s forms website <https://licensing.fdacs.gov/forms/FormsRequest493.aspx>. All training certificates issued by the security officer school or training facility must be generated via the online reporting form available through the school’s required LIAS account referenced in Rule 5N-1.142(4)(c), F.A.C.

~~(e)(4)~~ All training programs approved by the Florida Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission for certification of graduates as law enforcement officers or correction officers are deemed to be approved by the department as meeting the training requirements of section 493.6303(4), F.S.

(f) Online training. All or part of the prescribed classroom training and testing may be completed through live online instruction provided that:

1. One or more Class “DI” instructors provide instruction in a live transmission format in which the instructor and students are participating in real time (simultaneously).

2. The online instruction is conducted from a school or training facility in Florida.

3. The Class “DS” school where the class is being conducted or the Class “DI” instructor conducting the online

course must provide the department's investigators with live access to each course for the purpose of auditing, monitoring, or inspection upon request.

4. The online instruction and testing is provided through a secure website using a Secure Socket Layer (SSL) or Transport Layer Security (TLS) technology.

5. The student's identity is verified by the instructor using the student's U.S. state or federal issued photo identification such as a driver license, or state issued identification card.

6. The student's daily attendance is verified by the instructor and documented in a digital log.

7. The Class "DS" school conducting an online class must utilize an online platform that limits each student's log-in to a single device at all times.

8. The online platform used to conduct an online class must include security questions (challenges) to ensure each student is actively participating. A student must successfully respond to each security question (challenge). At least one security question (challenge) shall be provided every two hours of instruction, with the opportunity to re-attempt an unsuccessful response within 5 minutes. If a student fails to successfully respond to a re-attempted security question (challenge), the online platform must mark the student absent. A Class "DS" school may provide a student an opportunity to explain an unsuccessful response to a security question (challenge) and allow the student to make up time lost due to absence or fail the student for non-participation.

9. Live instruction using screens with text must require a student to spend a minimum of one minute per every 50 words of text before moving to the next screen. An instructor may prorate the minimum time spent on each screen having fewer than 50 words. The instructor must discuss the content presented in each screen.

10. Students shall be given the opportunity to submit questions to a Class "DI" instructor concerning the classroom training.

11. If a student is absent during an online class, the Class "DS" school may deliver up to 10 hours of missed class to the student using recorded instruction. The student shall be allowed to submit questions to a Class "DI" instructor concerning the recorded instruction.

12. Each test that is administered online shall have randomized test questions.

13. Before a Class "DS" school or training facility reports a student's successful completion of training to the division, it shall verify that he or she completed the online training.

(2) through (4) No Change.

(5) Retention of records.

(a) Each school or facility administering examinations shall maintain for 2 years and make available for inspection upon request of the department the following records:

1.(a) A schedule which shall include the date, time, location and instructor of each class session;

2.(b) A separate file for each course which establishes that minimum course standards were met to include, at a minimum, the course materials and reference sources used for each class presentation and the original of each final exam bearing the grade received and the signature of the student;

3.(e) A log for each class session containing the signature of each student in attendance;

4.(d) A copy of Form FDACS-16103, effective 01/23, Certificate of Security Officer Training, ~~any certificate, diploma or other record~~ presented to each student which establishes the successful completion of the course of study and final examination.

5.(e) A separate file on each approved instructor containing, at a minimum, a copy of the qualifications and license of each.

6. Records shall be maintained for a minimum period of two years at the school or facility. Each school or facility shall immediately produce student records for inspection by an investigator of the department upon request.

(b) A Class "DS" security school or training facility conducting an online course, must also maintain a digital record of the student attendance log for each class session, records of all training sessions, including the name and license number of the instructor(s) who are present online with the students while the students are receiving instruction, and proof of compliance with all security protocols at the school or training facility's place of business in this state. The records required under this subsection must immediately be made accessible to the department's investigators upon request. If all electronic records are not immediately available, the school or training facility manager shall explain to the requesting investigator why the records are not immediately available and provide the records within 3 business days.

(c) A school or training facility can meet division record-keeping requirements through the retention of the original paper records, or by scanning such records into an electronic format. Online training records may be retained in electronic form as long as they are reproducible or transmittable upon request from an investigator of the department.

Rulemaking Authority 493.6132(4), (7), 493.6203(5), (6), 493.6303(2), (4), 493.6304(3), 493.6406(3) FS. Law Implemented 493.6132, 493.6203(5), (6), 493.6303(4), 493.6403(2), (3), 493.6406(3) FS. History—New 10-1-91, Amended 2-18-93, 7-6-93, 10-6-93, 12-5-94, 7-31-96, Formerly 1C-3.140, Amended 1-1-05, 1-1-08, 8-26-08, 8-30-18, 6-23-19, _____.

5N-1.142 Agency Reporting Requirements.

(1) Hire and Termination of Employee(s).

(a) No Change.

(b) Notification shall be made electronically through submission of an Employee Action Report using the division’s licensing information and alert system portal located at the following website address:
<https://licensing.fdacs.gov/EAR/earlogin.aspx>
<https://licensing.freshfromflorida.com/EAR/earlogin.aspx>.

(c) through (f) No Change.

(2) through (3) No Change.

(4) Training Reporting Requirements.

(a) A Class “K” license instructor engaged in teaching, must register an account online via the Licensing Information and Alert System (LIAS) available on the department’s website <https://licensing.fdacs.gov/lias/login.aspx>, to report class completion of any portion taught by the Class “K” instructor, provide the division necessary information regarding a student’s eligibility for a Class “G” firearms license and to generate Certificates of Firearms Proficiency for Statewide Firearm License, on Form FDACS-16005, revised 01/23. The information required in this electronic reporting system is provided in the *Training Reporting for Class “K” Instructors*, Form FDACS-P-02189, effective 03/23, hereby incorporated by reference [insert hyperlink], and available on the division’s forms website <https://licensing.fdacs.gov/forms/FormsRequest493.aspx>. This form is provided for informational purposes only.

(b) Within 3 business days, a Class “K” instructor must electronically report to the Division of Licensing via their required LIAS account:

1. Any student who successfully completes any portion of the initial firearms qualification, consisting of both the in-person range and the classroom training (in person or online).

2. Any student who successfully completes annual requalification training.

3. Any student who successfully completes additional training for each type and caliber of approved firearm.

4. Any student who fails to satisfactorily complete any portion of prescribed training or testing.

(c) A school or training facility engaged in training, must register an account online via the Licensing Information and Alert System (LIAS) available on the department’s website <https://licensing.fdacs.gov/lias/login.aspx>, to report all students who successfully complete training, testing, and generate a Certificate of Security Officer Training form FDACS-16103, effective 02/23. The information required in this electronic reporting system is provided in the *Training Reporting for Class “DS” Schools*, Form FDACS-P-02188, effective 03/23, hereby incorporated by reference [insert hyperlink], and available on the division’s forms website <https://licensing.fdacs.gov/forms/FormsRequest493.aspx>. This form is provided for informational purposes only.

(d) Within 3 business days, a Class “DS” school or training facility must electronically report to the Division of Licensing via their required LIAS account any student who successfully completes classroom training in person or online.

Rulemaking Authority 493.6103 FS. Law Implemented 493.6105, 493.6112, 493.6118, 493.6115(9), 493.6303(4) FS. History–New 10-10-18, Amended _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
 Sean Garner, Director, Division of Licensing

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Commissioner of Agriculture Wilton Simpson

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: April 28, 2023

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: June 28, 2022

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of State Fire Marshal

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

69A-71.001	Definitions
69A-71.002	Guidelines
69A-71.003	Aggravating and Mitigating Factors
69A-71.004	Local Governing Body; Jurisdiction and Enforcement

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed rulemaking will specify a range of designated penalties for licensed and unlicensed activity for fire protection system contractors under subsection 633.336(5), F.S. Penalties are based upon the severity and repetition of offenses. The rules identify mitigating and aggravating circumstances that allow the State Fire Marshal to impose a greater or lesser penalty, and for a range of penalties permitted under such circumstances.

SUMMARY: The proposed rulemaking identifies guidelines for penalties levied against licensed and unlicensed activity for fire protection system contractors under subsection 633.336(5), F.S.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department’s economic review for this rulemaking.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 633.104, 633.106, 633.336(5) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 633.102, 633.104, 633.106, 633.118, 633.336(5) FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Catherine Thrasher, Catherine.Thrasher@myfloridacfo.com, (850)413-3670.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69A-71.001 Definitions.

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this rule chapter.

(1) “Administrative action” means action taken by the State Fire Marshal that usually results in a Department order.

(2) “Certification” means certificate of competency.

(3) “Fire Protection Contractor” means a person who that holds an active, current, or valid certificate of competency acting as a Contractor I, Contractor II, Contractor III, Contractor IV, or Contractor V, as set forth and defined in ss. 633.102(3)(a) through (e), F.S., or current, active, or valid permit acting as a Water-Based Fire Protection Inspector as set forth in ss. 633.318(8), F.S.

(4) “Certificate of competency” means the official document in which the State Fire Marshal verifies that a person or business organization may act as a Contractor I, Contractor II, Contractor III, Contractor IV, or Contractor V, as set forth and defined in ss. 633.102(3)(a) through (e), F.S.

(5) “Department” means the Florida Department of Financial Services.

(6) “Permit” means the official document in which the State Fire Marshal verifies that a person may act as a Water-Based Fire Protection Inspector as set for in ss. 633.318(8), F.S.

(7) “Person” means any natural person or business organization.

(8) “Unlicensed contractor” means any person without a current, active, or valid certificate of competency acting as a Contractor I, Contractor II, Contractor III, Contractor IV, or Contractor V, as set forth and defined in ss. 633.102(3)(a) through (e), F.S., or current, active, or valid permit acting as a Water-Based Fire Protection Inspector as set for in ss. 633.318(8), F.S.

Rulemaking Authority 633.104, 633.106, 633.336(5) FS. Law Implemented 633.102, 633.104, 633.106, 633.118, 633.336(5) FS. New _____.

69A-71.002 Guidelines.

State Fire Marshal Discretion. The State Fire Marshal shall use its statutorily granted discretion as provided in s. 633.106, F.S., and shall consider the aggravating and mitigating factors identified in rule 69A-71.003, F.A.C., when deciding on an administrative action, and determining the penalty imposed for violations.

(1) The State Fire Marshal may impose any of the following penalties:

(a) Suspension or revocation of a certificate of competency as provided in ss. 633.106 and 633.336, F.S.;

(b) Administrative fine as provided in ss. 633.106 and 633.336, F.S.;

(c) Denial of a person’s initial application for certification or renewal application for certification as provided in ss. 633.106, F.S.; or

(d) Probation and the conditions thereof, as provided in ss. 633.106, F.S.

(2) Collateral Action. The provisions of this rule chapter are not intended and shall not be construed to limit the ability of the State Fire Marshal to pursue or recommend collateral, civil, or criminal action, when appropriate.

Rulemaking Authority 633.104, 633.106, 633.336(5) FS. Law Implemented 633.102, 633.104, 633.106, 633.118, 633.336(5) FS. New _____.

69A-71.003 Aggravating and Mitigating Factors.

The State Fire Marshal shall consider the following aggravating and mitigating factors in order to determine whether to take administrative action, or in determining the penalty assessed against a Fire Protection Contractor or unlicensed contractor under this rule chapter.

(1) Actual harm to the public,

(2) Potential harm to the public,

(3) The gravity of the violation,

(4) Restitution to victims,

(5) Willfulness of conduct,

(6) Motivation of Fire Protection Contractor or unlicensed contractor,

(7) Financial gain or loss to Fire Protection Contractor or unlicensed contractor,

(8) Vicarious or personal responsibility,

(9) Related criminal charge or charges and the disposition,
or

(10) Previous administrative actions by the State Fire Marshal.

Rulemaking Authority 633.104, 633.106, 633.336(5) FS. Law Implemented 633.102, 633.104, 633.106, 633.118, 633.336(5) FS. New _____.

69A-71.004 Local Governing Body; Jurisdiction and Enforcement.

(1) Each county or municipality may, at its option, designate one or more of its code enforcement officers, as defined in chapter 162, to enforce, as set out in this rule, the provisions of s. 633.336, F.S., against persons who engage in activity for which a local permit or certification of competency or permit is required.

(a) A code enforcement officer designated pursuant to this rule may issue a citation for any violation of s. 633.336, F.S., whenever, based upon personal investigation, the code enforcement officer has reasonable and probable grounds to believe that such a violation has occurred.

(b) A citation issued by a code enforcement officer shall be in a form prescribed by the local governing body of the county or municipality and shall state:

1. The time and date of issuance.

2. The name and address of the person to whom the citation is issued.

3. The time and date of the violation.

4. A brief description of the violation and the facts constituting reasonable cause.

5. The name of the code enforcement officer.

6. The procedure for the person to follow in order to pay the civil penalty or to contest the citation.

7. The applicable civil penalty if the person elects not to contest the citation.

(c) The local governing body of the county or municipality may enforce this rule against an unlicensed contractor acting as a Fire Protection Contractor under the provisions of this rule and may enact an ordinance establishing procedures for implementing this rule, including a schedule of penalties to be assessed by the code enforcement officer. The maximum civil penalty which may be levied may not exceed \$10,000 per citation. Moneys collected pursuant to this rule shall be retained locally, as provided for by local ordinance, and may be set aside in a specific fund to support future enforcement activities against unlicensed persons.

(d) The person issued the citation under this rule shall immediately cease all activity governed by this rule upon receipt of the citation; and the person charged with the violation shall elect either to correct the violation and pay the civil penalty in the manner indicated on the citation or, within 10 days of receipt of the citation, exclusive of weekends and legal holidays, request an administrative hearing before the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special

magistrate to appeal the issuance of the citation by the code enforcement officer.

1. Hearings shall be held before the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate as established by s. 162.03, F.S., and such hearings shall be conducted pursuant to the requirements of ss. 162.07 and 162.08, F.S.

2. Failure of a violator to appeal the decision of the code enforcement officer within the time period set forth in this paragraph shall constitute a waiver of the violator's right to an administrative hearing. A waiver of the right to an administrative hearing shall be deemed an admission of the violation, and penalties may be imposed accordingly.

3. If the person issued the citation, or his or her designated representative, shows that the citation is invalid or that the violation has been corrected prior to appearing before the the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate, then the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate may dismiss the citation unless the violation is irreparable or irreversible.

4. Each day a willful, knowing violation continues shall constitute a separate offense under the provisions of this rule.

(e) A person cited for a violation pursuant to this rule is deemed to be charged with a noncriminal infraction.

(f) If the the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate finds that a violation exists, then the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate may order the violator to pay a civil penalty of not less than the amount set forth on the citation but not more than \$10,000 per day for each violation. In determining the amount of the penalty, the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate shall consider the aggravating and mitigating factors as provided in rule 69A-71.003, F.A.C.

(g) Upon written notification by the code enforcement officer that a violator had not contested the citation or paid the civil penalty within the timeframe allowed on the citation, or if a violation has not been corrected within the timeframe set forth on the notice of violation, the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate shall enter an order ordering the violator to pay the civil penalty set forth on the citation or notice of violation, and a hearing shall not be necessary for the issuance of such order.

(h) A certified copy of an order imposing a civil penalty against an unlicensed contractor may be recorded in the public records and thereafter shall constitute a lien against any real or personal property owned by the violator. Upon petition to the circuit court, such order may be enforced in the same manner as a court judgment by the sheriffs of this state, including a levy

against personal property; however, such order shall not be deemed to be a court judgment except for enforcement purposes. A civil penalty imposed pursuant to this part shall continue to accrue until the violator comes into compliance or until judgment is rendered in a suit to foreclose on a lien filed pursuant to this subsection, whichever occurs first. After 3 months from the filing of any such lien which remains unpaid, the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate may authorize the local governing body's attorney to foreclose on the lien. No lien created pursuant to the provisions of this part may be foreclosed on real property which is a homestead under article X, section 4, of the Florida Constitution.

(i) This rule does not authorize or permit a code enforcement officer to perform any function or duty of a law enforcement officer other than a function or duty that is authorized in this rule.

(j) An aggrieved party, including the local governing body, may appeal a final administrative order of the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate, to the circuit court. Such an appeal shall not be a hearing de novo but shall be limited to appellate review of the record created before the local enforcement board, local appeal board, or designated special magistrate. An appeal shall be filed within 30 days of the execution of the order to be appealed.

(k) All notices required by this rule shall be provided to the alleged violator by certified mail, return receipt requested; by hand delivery by the sheriff or other law enforcement officer or code enforcement officer; by leaving the notice at the violator's usual place of residence with some person of his or her family above 15 years of age and informing such person of the contents of the notice; or by including a hearing date within the citation.

(l) For those counties which enact ordinances to implement this rule and which have local enforcement boards or local appeal boards, the local enforcement board or local appeal board shall be responsible for the administration of such citation program and training of code enforcement officers. The local governing body of the county shall enter into interlocal agreements with any municipalities in the county so that such municipalities may, by ordinance, resolution, policy, or administrative order, authorize individuals to enforce the provisions of this subsection. Such individuals shall be subject to the requirements of training as specified by the local enforcement board or local appeal board.

(m) Any person who willfully refuses to sign and accept a citation issued by a code enforcement officer commits a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in ss. 775.082 or 775.083, F.S.

(n) Nothing contained in this rule shall prohibit an a county or municipality from enforcing its codes or ordinances by any other means.

(o) Nothing in this rule shall be construed to authorize local jurisdictions to exercise disciplinary authority or procedures established in this rule against a person holding a proper valid certificate of competency or permit issued pursuant to this part.

(2) The local governing body may collect and retain an outstanding fine against the person issued the citation.

Rulemaking Authority 633.104, 633.106, 633.336(5) FS. Law Implemented 633.102, 633.104, 633.106, 633.118, 633.336(5) FS. New_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Catherine Thrasher

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jimmy Patronis, Chief Financial Officer

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 3, 2023

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 28, 2022

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Accounting and Auditing

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

- 69I-23.001 Applicability
- 69I-23.002 Definitions
- 69I-23.003 Establishment, Modification, and Continuation of Revolving Fund
- 69I-23.004 Use of Revolving Fund
- 69I-23.005 Reimbursement of Revolving Funds

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed amendments will update the rules and repeal rules that are no longer necessary.

SUMMARY: The proposed amendments to Rules 69I-23.002 and .003, F.A.C., will delete definitions related to the State's previous accounting system, remove references to forms that are no longer used, and include other necessary updates. Rules 69I-23.001, .004, and .005, F.A.C., are being repealed because the Division no longer uses the forms incorporated in these rules and the rules are obsolete.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department conducted an economic analysis of the potential impact of the proposed rule amendments and repeals and determined that there will be no adverse economic impact

or regulatory increases that would require legislative ratification.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 17.14, 17.29 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 17.14, 17.29, 17.58, 17.65, 215.42, 216.271 FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Niki Nolton, Division of Accounting and Auditing, 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)413-5913, Niki.Nolton@MyFloridaCFO.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69I-23.001 Applicability.

Rulemaking Authority 17.14, 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 216.271 FS. History—New 3-24-88, Formerly 3A-23.001, Repealed _____.

69I-23.002 Definitions.

For purposes of this chapter, the following terms shall have the meaning indicated:

(1) through (3) No Change.

~~(4) Source fund. Source fund means the State fund from which the monies were used or are being proposed to be used to establish the revolving fund.~~

~~(5) FLAIR. FLAIR means the Florida Accounting Information Resource Subsystem.~~

~~(6) Custodian. Custodian means the person(s) designated by an agency as being responsible for maintaining control over the revolving fund.~~

~~(7) FLAIR Account Code. FLAIR Account Code means the 29 digit code used in FLAIR to account for disbursements, receipts, and budgetary transactions.~~

Rulemaking Authority 17.14, 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 17.14, 17.29, 17.58, 17.65, 216.271 FS. History—New 3-24-88, Amended 11-20-94, 5-12-97, Formerly 3A-23.002, Amended 9-20-17, _____.

69I-23.003 Establishment, Modification, and Continuation of Revolving Fund.

(1) Requests to establish or modify a revolving fund must be submitted in writing to the Department. ~~The required form, Form _____ DFS A1-1823, http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref_08602, Revolving Fund Request, (Rev. 10/16), which is hereby incorporated by reference, may be obtained from the Department's _____ website:~~

~~<http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/AA/Forms>.~~ Requests shall be sent to: ~~the~~
Bureau of Financial Reporting
Department of Financial Services
200 East Gaines Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0354
or newaccountcode@myfloridacfo.com.

(2) The Department will provide written approval of revolving fund requests indicating the approved dollar amount and types of expenditures when the ~~written request~~ ~~Revolving Fund Request form, which is incorporated in subsection (1), is received, if the written request; that form has been~~

~~(a) is signed by the requesting agency's Chief Financial Officer or equivalent,~~

~~(b) provides evidence of good cash management practices, and~~

~~(c) provides justification of the need to have the funds outside of the State Treasury.~~

(3) Annually, the Department will notify selected agencies in writing of any revolving funds for which a continuation must be furnished. ~~The Department will require the agency to complete _____ a Form _____ DFS A1-2185, http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref_08598, Request for Continuation of a Revolving Fund, (Rev. 10/16), which is hereby incorporated by reference. This form must be signed by the agency's Chief Financial Officer or equivalent. This form can be obtained from the Department of Financial Services, Bureau of Financial Reporting, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0354.~~

(4) No Change.
Rulemaking Authority 17.14, 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 17.14, 17.29, 17.58, 17.65, 216.271 FS. History—New 3-24-88, Amended 11-20-94, 1-27-98, Formerly 3A-23.003, Amended 11-8-12, 9-20-17, _____.

69I-23.004 Use of Revolving Fund.

Rulemaking Authority 17.14, 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 17.14, 17.29, 17.58, 17.65, 216.271 FS. History—New 3-24-88, Formerly 3A-23.004, Amended 9-20-17, Repealed _____.

69I-23.005 Reimbursement of Revolving Funds.

Rulemaking Authority 17.14, 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 215.42, 216.271 FS. History—New 3-24-88, Amended 11-20-94, Formerly 3A-23.005, Amended 11-8-12, Repealed _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Niki Nolton, Government Analyst II
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jimmy Patronis, Chief Financial Officer
DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 03, 2023
DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: March 22, 2023

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Accounting and Auditing

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
69I-24.006 Revolving Fund Disbursements/
Replenishment

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rule is being repealed because it is no longer necessary.

SUMMARY: Rule 69I-24.006, F.A.C., addresses state agency disbursements from revolving funds and replenishment vouchers.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department’s economic analysis of the potential impact of the proposed repeal determined that there will be no adverse economic impact or increased regulatory costs that would require legislative ratification.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 17.29, 215.422(8) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 215.422 FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Niki Nolton, Division of Accounting and Auditing, 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)413-5913, Niki.Nolton@MyFloridaCFO.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69I-24.006 Revolving Fund Disbursements/Replenishment.

Rulemaking Authority 17.29, 215.422(8) FS. Law Implemented 215.422 FS. History–New 3-8-90, Formerly 3A-24.006, Repealed.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Niki Nolton, Government Analyst II

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jimmy Patronis, Chief Financial Officer

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 3, 2023

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Accounting and Auditing

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:
69I-31.208 Authorized Agency Personnel
69I-31.226 Wage Payments from Revolving Funds
69I-31.312 Salary Levy

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: These rules are being repealed because they are no longer necessary.

SUMMARY: Rule 69I-31.208, F.A.C., provides guidance for authorized agency personnel signatures for payroll documents. Rule 69I-31.226, F.A.C., sets forth procedures that authorize the payment of wages using revolving funds. Rule 69I-31.312, F.A.C., provides guidance for Internal Revenue Service salary levy deductions.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department’s economic analysis of the potential impact of the proposed rule repeals determined that there will be no adverse economic impact or increased regulatory costs that would require legislative ratification.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 17.03, 17.14, 17.29, 216.271(5) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 17.03, 17.14, 17.29, 216.271 FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Niki Nolton, Division of Accounting and Auditing, 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)413-5913, Niki.Nolton@MyFloridaCFO.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69I-31.208 Authorized Agency Personnel.

Rulemaking Authority 17.14, 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 17.14 FS. History—New 4-22-83, Amended 4-23-87, 1-25-96, 2-4-98, Formerly 3A-31.208, Repealed.

69I-31.226 Wage Payments from Revolving Funds.

Rulemaking Authority 17.03, 17.14, 17.29, 216.271(5) FS. Law Implemented 216.271 FS. History—New 4-22-83, Amended 1-25-96, 6-1-97, 2-4-98, 12-26-01, Formerly 3A-31.226, Repealed.

69I-31.312 Salary Levy.

Rulemaking Authority 17.14, 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 17.03, 17.29 FS. History—New 4-22-83, Amended 1-25-96, Formerly 3A-31.312, Repealed.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Niki Nolton, Government Analyst II
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jimmy Patronis, Chief Financial Officer
DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 3, 2023

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Accounting and Auditing

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69I-40.091	Investment Vouchers
69I-40.100	Assignments
69I-40.120	Advance Payments

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: These rules are being repealed because they are no longer necessary.

SUMMARY: Rule 69I-40.091, F.A.C., provides guidance for state agencies on completing a request for investment vouchers through a journal transfer. Rule 69I-40.100, F.A.C., provides guidance for the assignment of payments pursuant to Section 215.965, F.S. Rule 69I-40.120, F.A.C., establishes requirements for advance payments pursuant to Sections 215.422(15) and 216.181(16), F.S.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department’s economic analysis of the potential impact of the proposed rule amendments determined that there will be no adverse economic impact or increased regulatory costs that would require legislative ratification.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 17.29, 215.422(15) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 17.61, 215.422, 215.49, 215.965, 216.181 FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Niki Nolton, Government Analyst II, Project Management Team, 101 E. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399, Niki.Nolton@myfloridacfo.com or (850)413-5913.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69I-40.091 Investment Vouchers.

Rulemaking Authority 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 17.61, 215.49 FS. History—New 10-21-75, Formerly 3A-40.91, Amended 1-8-95, Formerly 3A-40.091, Repealed.

69I-40.100 Assignments.

Rulemaking Authority 17.29 FS. Law Implemented 215.965 FS. History—New 10-21-75, Formerly 3A-40.100, Repealed.

69I-40.120 Advance Payments.

Rulemaking Authority 17.29, 215.422(15) FS. Law Implemented 215.422, 216.181 FS. History—New 1-8-95, Amended 12-29-96, Formerly 3A-40.120, Repealed.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Niki Nolton, Government Analyst II
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jimmy Patronis, Chief Financial Officer
DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 3, 2023

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Accounting and Auditing

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69I-42.001	Applicability
69I-42.009	Transportation - Complimentary

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: These rules are being repealed because they are no longer necessary.

SUMMARY: Rule 69I-42.001, F.A.C., provides that these rules shall apply to all state agencies in the payment of travel expenses from such state agencies’ funds. Rule 69I-42.009, F.A.C., provides guidance to agencies on recording ‘complimentary’ travel for transportation on the voucher for reimbursement of travel expenses form.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department’s economic analysis of the potential impact of the proposed rule amendments determined that there will be no adverse economic impact or increased regulatory costs that would require legislative ratification.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 17.075(1), 17.29, 112.061(9) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 17.075, 112.061 FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Niki Nolton, Government Analyst II, Project Management Team, 101 E. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399, Niki.Nolton@myfloridacfo.com or (850)413-5913.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69I-42.001 Applicability.

Rulemaking Authority 17.075(1), 17.29, 112.061(9) FS. Law Implemented 17.075, 112.061 FS. History–New 3-5-90, Formerly 3A-42.001, Repealed.

69I-42.009 Transportation - Complimentary.

Rulemaking Authority 17.075(1), 17.29, 112.061(9) FS. Law Implemented 17.075, 112.061 FS. History–New 3-5-90, Formerly 3A-42.009, Repealed.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Niki Nolton, Government Analyst II

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Jimmy Patronis, Chief Financial Officer
DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 3, 2023

Section III
Notice of Changes, Corrections and
Withdrawals

NONE

Section IV
Emergency Rules

NONE

Section V
Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule
Variance or Waiver

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-5.001 Safety Standards

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 01, 2023, the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, received a petition for Meridian @ One North Ocean at 1 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton, FL. Petitioner seeks an emergency variance of the requirements of ASME A17.1, 2013 edition, Sections 2.8.1 and 2.8.2.2, as adopted by 61C-5.001, Florida Administrative Code that requires an antenna not be placed in the elevator shaft which poses a significant hardship. Any interested person may file comments within 5 days of the publication of this notice with Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013 (VW2023-045).

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013. chr.elevators@myfloridalicenses.com

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-5.001 Safety Standards

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 01, 2023, the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, received a petition for Gulfside 6240 Condominiums at 6240 Estero Blvd, Fort Myers, FL. Petitioner seeks a variance of the

requirements of ASME A17.1, 2016 edition, Sections 2.4.1.5 and 2.15.9.2, as adopted by 61C-5.001, Florida Administrative Code that requires platform guards and bottom car clearances operations which poses a significant hardship. Any interested person may file comments within 14 days of the publication of this notice with Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013 (VW2023-046).

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013. dhr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-5.001 Safety Standards

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 02, 2023, the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, received a petition for Delamarre PH II Bldg. C at 1231 Ambassador Drive, Kissimmee, FL. Petitioner seeks an emergency variance of the requirements of ASME A17.1, 2016 edition, Sections 2.8.1 and 2.8.2.2, as adopted by 61C-5.001, Florida Administrative Code that requires an antenna not be placed in the elevator shaft which poses a significant hardship. Any interested person may file comments within 5 days of the publication of this notice with Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013 (VW2023-047).

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013. dhr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

69K-18.003 Concurrent Internships.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 26, 2023, the Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, received a petition for waiver of certain requirements of Rule 69K-18.003, F.A.C. The petition was filed by Stephen Tyler Niles, who had previously been issued a concurrent internship license that expired on December 15, 2021. Mr. Niles was granted a renewal of that internship licensure until March 7, 2023, which was granted. Mr. Niles is now requesting a second renewal of licensure and has filed a petition for waiver of Rule 69K-18.003, F.A.C., which provides that an internship is only for one year unless extended or renewed, and that only one internship per person is allowed.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Crystal Grant at (850)413-3039.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Securities

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 25, 2023, the Florida Office of Financial Regulation, received a petition for Waiver of paragraph 69W-600.0024(6)(b), Florida Administrative Code from Edward Grassi. The petition seeks a Waiver of paragraph 69W-600.0024(6) which requires an associated person of an investment adviser or federal covered adviser to provide the Office with one of the following:

1. Proof of passing, within two years of the date of application for registration, the Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination (Series 65); or 2. Proof of passing, within two years of the date of application for registration, the General Securities Representative Examination (Series 7), the Uniform Combined State Law Examination (Series 66), and proof of passing within four years of the date of application for registration, the Securities Industry Essentials (SIE) Examination. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850) 410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.gov within 14 days of publication of this notice.

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

Section VI

Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

The Florida Department of Law Enforcement Missing Endangered Persons Information Clearinghouse Advisory Board announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Thursday, June 8, 2023, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. AND Friday, June 9, 2023, 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida Sheriff's Risk Management Fund, 2090 Summit Lake Drive, Tallahassee or by calling 1-850-270-3999 and using phone conference ID 183 727 888#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The mission of the Missing Endangered Persons Information Clearinghouse Advisory Board is to support awareness, education, and training for the prevention, response, and recovery of missing and endangered persons.

The Advisory Board meets quarterly to discuss and implement plans and policies to combat and create an awareness of the large number of children that go missing every year.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: FMCD@fdle.state.fl.us

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

For more information, you may contact: FMCD@fdle.state.fl.us

DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

The Florida Department of Law Enforcement Missing Endangered Persons Clearinghouse Advisory Board announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, September 11, 2023, 11:15 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Tallahassee Automobile Museum, 6800 Mahan Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32308

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The mission of the Missing Endangered Persons Information Clearinghouse Advisory Board is to support awareness, education, and training for the prevention, response, and recovery of missing and endangered persons.

The Advisory Board meets to discuss and implement plans and policies to combat and create an awareness of the large number of children that go missing every year.

Please join us in attending Florida Missing Children's Day ceremony at the Tallahassee Automobile Museum from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. After the ceremony, the Advisory Board meets to discuss Florida Missing Children's Day.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: FMCD@fdle.state.fl.us

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For more information, you may contact: FMCD@fdle.state.fl.us

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

Emerald Coast Regional Council

The Okaloosa County Transit Cooperative Board announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, May 9, 2023, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Okaloosa County Administration Building, 1250 N. Eglin Pkwy., Shalimar, FL 32579

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Okaloosa County Transit Cooperative will meet on Tuesday, May 9, 2023, at 1:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Howard Vanselow at (850)332-7976, ext. 231. For the full agenda, visit www.ecrc.org/OkaloosaTransit.

Public input is valuable to the Board, we encourage our communities to submit input through a variety of avenues. Comments can be submitted via eComment Card, email, or phone, learn how at www.ecrc.org/OWPublicForum. Stay involved, sign up to get transportation updates emailed directly to you at www.ecrc.org/OWSubscribe.

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 County Transit Cooperative 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: Howard Vanselow at howard.vanselow@ecrc.org, (850)332-7976, ext. 231, or by visiting www.ecrc.org/OkaloosaTransit.

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: Public Involvement toll-free 1(800)226-8914 or TTY 711, or by email at publicinvolvement@ecrc.org. 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. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

The Florida Public Service Commission announces its Internal Affairs Meeting, to which all interested persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, May 23, 2023, 9:30 a.m.

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

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

ADA: In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate at this proceeding should contact the Office of Commission Clerk no later than five days prior to the conference at 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 or 850-413-6770 (Florida Relay Service, 1-800-955-8770 Voice or 1-800-955-8771 TDD). Assistive Listening Devices are available upon request from the Office of Commission Clerk, Gerald L. Gunter Building, Room 152.

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

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

South Florida Regional Planning Council

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

DATE AND TIME: Monday, May 15, 2023, 10:30 a.m.

PLACE: Miami-Dade Transportation Planning Organization, 150 West Flagler Street, Suite 1900, Miami, Florida 33130

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83117784482?pwd=STeveHQwVmJyWHhzdGVvc2FVWnY4UT09>

Meeting ID: 831 1778 4482

Passcode: 050916

Find your local number:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83117784482?pwd=STeveHQwVmJyWHhzdGVvc2FVWnY4UT09>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Review of Comprehensive Plan Amendments received prior to the meeting; General Council Business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Administration at the South Florida Regional Planning Council, 1 Oakwood Boulevard, Suite 250, Hollywood, Florida 33020; (954) 924-3653; or sfadmin@sfrpc.com.

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

agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Administration at the South Florida Regional Planning Council, 1 Oakwood Boulevard, Suite 250, Hollywood, Florida 33020; (954) 924-3653; or sfadmin@sfrpc.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).

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For more information, you may contact: Administration at the South Florida Regional Planning Council, 1 Oakwood Boulevard, Suite 250, Hollywood, Florida 33020; (954) 924-3653; or sfadmin@sfrpc.com.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, May 10, 2023, 12:00 p.m.,

Picayune Strand Restoration Project and Features Site Visit

PLACE: Faka Union Pump Station and Project Features

REVISED ADDRESS: 6000 Naomi St, Naples FL 34117

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The South Florida Water Management District Governing Board and Big Cypress Basin Board may visit the Picayune Strand Restoration Project site. Members of the public interested in attending the site visit may contact Yvette Bonilla at 561-682-6286 or ybonilla@sfwmd.gov.

One or more members of the Governing Board of the South Florida Water Management District and Big Cypress Basin Board may attend this site visit. No Governing Board or Big Cypress Basin Board action will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The agenda will be posted to the District's website www.SFWMD.gov/meetings, seven days prior to the meeting. Or, you can email Rosie Byrd at rbyrd@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: Rosie Byrd, District Clerk, at rbyrd@sfwmd.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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

DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS
 Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program
 The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: May 12, 2023, 10:30 a.m., ET
 PLACE: 9495 Sunset Dr., Suite B-100, Miami, FL 33173
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: North Dade Council Business.

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

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 72 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: (850)414-2323, or email: ltcopinformer@elderaffairs.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS
 Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program
 The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: May 12, 2023, 12:00 Noon – 1:00 p.m., ET
 PLACE: 9495 SW 72nd St., Ste. B-100, Miami, FL 33173
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: South Dade & FL Keys Council Business.

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DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS
 Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program
 The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: May 15, 2023 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m., ET
 PLACE: The Cove - 3492 Crabapple Drive, Port Saint Lucie, FL 34952
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Treasure Coast Council business.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS
 Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program
 The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: May 16, 2023, 10:30 a.m., ET
 PLACE: Starkey Ranch Theatre Library, 12118 Lake Blanche Drive, Odessa, FL 33556
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Pasco & North Pinellas Council Business.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS
 Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program
 The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: May 16, 2023, 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., ET
 PLACE: Villages Public Library: 7375 Powell Road, Room 102, Wildwood, FL 34785
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Withlacoochee Council Business.

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DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS

Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program

The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 24, 2023, 1:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., EST

PLACE: The Florida Hotel & Conference Center, 1500 Sand Lake Road, Orlando, FL, 32809

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: State Council Business.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Pilot Commissioners

The Board of Pilot Commissioners announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 22, 2023, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, participant code: 491089625

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Deputy Pilot Advancements.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Board of Pilot Commissioners, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982.

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: Board of Pilot Commissioners, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

For more information, you may contact: Board of Pilot Commissioners, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics

The Division of Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: June 8, 2023, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Call No: 1-888-585-9008, Conference Room 948873249

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Stephanie Prine, Division of Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1047, (850) 717-1800, Stephanie.Prine@myfloridalicense.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 10 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Stephanie Prine, Division of Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1047, (850) 717-1800, Stephanie.Prine@myfloridalicense.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).

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For more information, you may contact: Stephanie Prine, Division of Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1047, (850) 717-1800, Stephanie.Prine@myfloridalicense.com.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 18, 2023, 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Join the meeting by clicking on the ZOOM link below: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7451413762?pwd=bWhVM1o2MVo3R0hpRUhHYjRNaUNkUT09>

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Meeting ID: 745 141 3762

Passcode: 162551

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: DEP is holding a Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) meeting (#4) for the Pensacola Pass Inlet Management Study (Escambia County), pursuant to Section 161.142, Florida Statutes. The TAC meeting is an opportunity to ask questions about the inlet study and its findings. The local sponsor is conducting the inlet study with the intent of developing an inlet management plan/ plans.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: William "Guy" Weeks, Department of Environmental Protection, Office of Resilience and Coastal Protection at 850-245-7696 or via email: William.Weeks@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 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Krista Egan, the consultant for Olsen Associates at 904-387-6114 (local consultant), email at kegan@olsen-associates.com or William Guy Weeks at 850-245-7696 (DEP), email at William.Weeks@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).

For more information, you may contact: William "Guy" Weeks, Department of Environmental Protection, Office of Resilience and Coastal Protection at 850-245-7696 or via email: William.Weeks@FloridaDEP.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Medical Quality Assurance

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

DATE AND TIME: October 27, 2023, 8:00 a.m., E.T.

PLACE: Fort Lauderdale Marriott Coral Springs Hotel & Convention Center, 11775 Heron Bay Blvd, Coral Springs, FL 33076

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business Meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Board of Psychology, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C05, Tallahassee, FL 32399-3255, by calling the board office at (850) 245-4373 or by visiting the website: <http://floridaspsychology.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: The Department of Health at (850) 245- 4444. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

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

DATES AND TIMES: Wednesday, May 31, 2023, 8:30 a.m., ET; Thursday, June 1, 2023, 8:30 a.m., ET; Thursday, June 1, 2023, 1:30 p.m., ET; Friday, June 2, 2023, 8:30 a.m., ET; Long-Range Policy Planning meeting will convene after the adjournment of the Full Board Meeting.

PLACE: Holiday Inn Orlando – Disney Springs, 1805 Hotel Plaza Blvd., Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Credentials Committee and Education Committee.

meetings; Disciplinary Hearings and General Business (Full Board and Long-Range Policy Planning).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: <https://floridasnursing.gov/meeting-information/upcomingmeetings/>

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

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

DATE AND TIME: June 15, 2023, 8:30 a.m., ET

PLACE: The Shores Resort & Spa, 2637 S Atlantic Ave., Daytona Beach Shores, FL 32118

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business Meeting and Disciplinary Matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: <https://floridaspharmacy.gov>.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: (850)245-4474. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: (850)245-4474.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Emergency Preparedness and Community Support
The Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Oversight, Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Program announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 11, 2023, 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EST

PLACE: Via Webinar and Conference Call

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join on your computer, mobile app or room device

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OTI4ZDY3YjctY2YzNC00OTE5LThlOGMtODlmZDlhMDQyZGFh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2228cd8f80-3c44-4b27-81a0-cd2b03a31b8d%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%2272b8f00b-2724-43ad-88c4-f571a41dc757%22%7d

Meeting ID: 261 595 265 522

Passcode: 57U9Dr

<https://www.microsoft.com/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting>

Join with a video conferencing device

teams@meetme.flhealth.gov

Video Conference ID: 111 305 856 6

Alternate VTC instructions

Or call in (audio only)

+1 850-792-1375, 326217436# United States, Tallahassee

Phone Conference ID: 326 217 436#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
BSCIP Advisory Council Special Committee Meeting

To conduct general business of the Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Advisory Council. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kimberly Robinson by email: Kimberly.Robinson@flhealth.gov, or by phone: (850) 245-4967.

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For more information, you may contact: Kimberly Robinson by email: Kimberly.Robinson@flhealth.gov, or by phone: (850) 245-4967.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

The Department of Children & Families announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, May 17, 2023, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Meeting will be held via TEAMS at https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YzQxZmE2MDQtODgyZS00NDE1LWIxOWYtMTY5YmZhODZkNmM2%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22f70dba48-b283-4c57-8831-cb411445a94c%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%2219488476-9dd5-4336-b47c-a0c53e9d8ec3%22%7d

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
Ongoing Joint Pasco-Pinellas Community Alliance business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Sandra O'Farrell at 727-373-7842.

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: Sandra O'Farrell, Administrative Assistant, at 727-373-7842 or sandra.ofarrell@myflfamilies.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).

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Division of Community Development

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

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, May 16, 2023, 10:00 a.m., Eastern

PLACE: 107 East Madison Street, Conference Room 332, MSC 400, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Teleconference Number: (850)988-5144, Conference Code: 914869109#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: (1) Federal regulations related to the United States Department of Energy funding requests require states, such as Florida, that are applying for Weatherization Assistance Program funding to prepare a State Plan as part of the application process. Another part of this process is providing the public an opportunity to review and comment on the contents of the State Plan.

The Florida Department of Economic Opportunity is holding a public meeting on Tuesday, May 16, 2023, to receive comments regarding the State of Florida's Weatherization Assistance Program State Plan.

APPEALS INFORMATION: If a person decides to appeal any decision of the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO) with respect to any matter considered at the public meeting, they 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.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Dylan Owens, Government Operations Consultant, Weatherization Assistance Program, Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, 107 East Madison Street, MSC 400, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4120, by phone: (850)717-8410 or email: Dylan.Owens@DEO.Myflorida.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Mr. Dylan Owens, Government Operations Consultant, Weatherization Assistance Program, Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, 107 East Madison Street, MSC 400, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4120, by phone: (850)717-8410 or email: Dylan.Owens@DEO.Myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

SUNSHINE STATE ONE CALL OF FLORIDA

The Sunshine State One Call of Florida, Inc., d/b/a Sunshine 811 announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 18, 2023, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: The meetings will be held by electronic media and in person at the call center. To participate, please click on: Sunshine 811 Committee Meetings

Hosted by Sunshine 811

<https://sunshine811.webex.com/sunshine811/j.php?MTID=m4629e8621a41e039e21bd0b40c2d1a62>

Thursday, May 18, 2023 8:30 a.m. | 9 hours | (UTC-04:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)

Meeting number: 2631 384 6393

Password: dFYuYFU43d2 (33989384 from video systems)

Join by video system

Dial 26313846393@sunshine811.webex.com

You can also dial 173.243.2.68 and enter your meeting number.

Join by phone

+1-415-655-0001 US Toll

1-844-621-3956 United States Toll Free

Access code: 263 138 46393

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Operations; Damage Prevention; Legislative Ad-Hoc; Finance; & Executive Committee Meetings: Purpose – regular quarterly meetings to conduct committee business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: www.sunshine811.com/agenda

For more information, you may contact: Lori.Budiani@Sunshine811.com

SUNSHINE STATE ONE CALL OF FLORIDA

The Sunshine State One Call of Florida, Inc., d/b/a Sunshine 811 announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, May 19, 2023, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: The meetings will be held by both electronic media and in person at the call center. To participate, please click on: <https://sunshine811.webex.com/sunshine811/j.php?MTID=m813c35c59f7da83ff6e878aefe8630dd>

Friday, May 19, 2023, 8:30 a.m. | 9 hours | (UTC-04:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)

Meeting number: 2630 907 9018

Password: 2CCuQq3NS28 (22287736 from video systems)

Join by video system

Dial 26309079018@sunshine811.webex.com

You can also dial 173.243.2.68 and enter your meeting number.

Join by phone

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1-844-621-3956 United States Toll Free

Access code: 263 090 79018

Need help? Go to: <https://help.webex.com>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Board of Directors (AM) Meeting 9:00 a.m. - (until adjourned)

Purpose – regular meeting to conduct Board business.

Annual Meeting of Members

Registration for Annual Meeting to begin after the Board of Directors (AM) Meeting Adjourns.

Purpose – annual meeting of the members to elect Directors of the Corporation.

Board of Directors (p.m.) Meeting
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Purpose – regular meeting to elect Board officers, appoint committee members, elect committee chairpersons, and conduct Board business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting:
www.sunshine811.com/agenda

For more information, you may contact:
Lori.Budiani@Sunshine811.com

LAURA TURNER PLANNING SERVICES

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

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, May 16, 2023, 5:30 p.m.

PLACE: Virtually on GoTo Webinar; By phone at 1-877-309-2071 with passcode 659-176-750; In-Person at Barnett Park Recreation Center (Marlin and Dolphin Rooms) at 4801 W. Colonial Drive, Orlando, FL 32808

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: A public meeting will be held regarding project plans on Silver Star Road (State Road (S.R.) 438) from Homestead Road to Princeton Street. (FPID nos. 445696-1 and 445696-2)

The purpose of this project is to provide pedestrian safety improvements at five intersections within the project corridor. The public meeting is being held to present information and receive community feedback.

The Department is offering multiple ways for the community to participate in the meeting. All participants, regardless of platform they choose, will receive the same information on the proposed project.

Virtual Option: Interested persons may join from a computer, tablet, or mobile device at 5:30 p.m. For this option, advance registration is required by visiting <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6657693969203856734>. Once registered, participants will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting online. Please use Chrome or Microsoft Edge as your internet browser to register or attend this webinar. If joining online, please allow adequate log-in time to view the presentation in its entirety.

Phone Option (Listen Only): Participants may join the meeting in listen-only mode by dialing 1-877-309-2071 and entering the passcode 659-176-750 when prompted.

In-Person Open House Option: Participants may attend in person by going to Barnett Park Recreation Center (Marlin and Dolphin Rooms) at 4801 W. Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 32808 anytime between 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. to view a looping presentation and project displays, speak with project team members, and submit comments or questions. If attending in person, please remember to follow all safety and sanitation

guidelines. If you are feeling unwell, please consider attending the meeting virtually or by phone.

All meeting materials, including the presentation, will be available on the project websites at [www.CFLRoads.com/project 445696-1](http://www.CFLRoads.com/project445696-1) and www.CFLRoads.com/project/445696-2 prior to the meeting.

FDOT is sending notices to all property owners, business owners, interested persons and organizations to provide the opportunity to offer comments and express their views regarding this project and the proposed improvements.

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons wishing to express their concerns relative to FDOT compliance with Title VI may do so by contacting Melissa McKinney, FDOT District Five Title VI Coordinator, at Melissa.McKinney@dot.state.fl.us.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Not applicable

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: FDOT Project Manager Derek Dean, P.E. at 386-943-5161 or by email at Derek.Dean@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: FDOT Project Manager Derek Dean, P.E. by phone at 386-943-5161, by email at Derek.Dean@dot.state.fl.us, or U.S. mail at Florida Department of Transportation, 719 South Woodland Blvd., M.S. 542, DeLand, FL 32720. Information about this project is also available online at www.cflroads.com. Simply type 445696-1 or 445696-2 in the search box, click “go” and then select the project. We encourage you to participate in the S.R. 438 pedestrian safety improvements design project public meeting.

ALLIANCE FOR AGING, INC.

The Alliance for Aging, Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 18, 2023, 4:00 p.m.

PLACE:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88295215355?pwd=M0tKNEVuczV3cXBhUU1TVFVaUWNsZz09>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
Board of Directors meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Rhina Jaar, jaarr@allianceforaging.org

Section VII
Notice of Petitions and Dispositions
Regarding Declaratory Statements

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
Beaches and Coastal Systems

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
62B-33.008 Application Requirements and Procedures for
Areawide and Individual Permits

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Department of
Environmental Protection has declined to rule on the petition
for declaratory statement filed by Sunwind Properties, Inc. on
February 07, 2023. The following is a summary of the agency's
declination of the petition:

The Department denied the Petition for Declaratory Statement
because a petition for declaratory statement is not a proper
means for determining the conduct of a third party, and because
the Petitioner is not a substantially affected person.

A copy of the Order Declining of the Petition for Declaratory
Statement may be obtained by contacting: Lea Crandall,
Agency Clerk, Office of General Counsel, Florida Department
of Environmental Protection, 3900 Commonwealth Blvd., MS
35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, (850)245-2242;
Agency_Clerk@dep.state.fl.us during normal business hours
(8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal
holidays).

Please refer all comments to: Taylor Coram, Administrative
Secretary, Office of General Counsel, Florida Department of
Environmental Protection, 3900 Commonwealth Blvd., MS 35,
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000.

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

NEIGHBORHOOD MEDICAL CENTER
Neighborhood Medical Center Design Build 2023
PROJECT FACT SHEET
Design/Build Selection
Maternal and Pediatric Health Center
for Neighborhood Medical Center – Havana (No. 01-2023)
PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project involves the new construction of a Maternal and
Pediatric Health Center in Havana Florida. NMC has
purchased the land and will require assistance with rezoning
prior to construction. It is envisioned that the new facility will
create spaces to accommodate medical and dental exam rooms,
a laboratory, pharmacy, administrative offices, lobby, reception
areas, storage, and break/conference rooms. All project design
work including exterior site and new building, and MEP and
voice/data is to be included. Design work is expected to be
completed by June 30, 2023.

SELECTION CRITERIA
Selection will be made based on design/build qualifications,
including experience and design ability; successful completion
of similar/related projects; and qualifications of the proposed
firm’s personnel and staff consultants.

SELECTION SCHEDULE
The anticipated schedule for selection, award and negotiation is
as follows:

Submissions Due: 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 10, 2023

Selection Decision: no later than Friday, May 19, 2023
 Negotiation/Contract: no later than Wednesday, May 24, 2023
INSTRUCTIONS

Response shall be typed, number each page consecutively, including letter of interest, licenses, resumes, supplemental information, etc. Submittals must be limited to 40 pages. Covers, table of contents and divider tabs will not count as pages, provided no additional information is included on those pages. Electronic submittals are preferred via the email provided and must be received by the date/time requested. If you are unable to email, or produce a digital copy, please provide five (5) printed and bound copies. Any submittals exceeding the 40-page limit will be disqualified. Do not list more than the required five projects.

Project Team _____ Registration/Lic. # _____
 Construction: _____
 Architecture: _____
 Mechanical Engineering: _____
 Electrical Engineering: _____
 Civil Engineering: _____
 Structural Engineering: _____

1. APPLICANT'S PERSONNEL:

- a. List total number of applicant's personnel, for the applicant office location, by skill group (e.g. project managers, estimators, project engineers, superintendents, registered architects/engineers, technical staff, drafters, etc.)
- b. Provide resumes for each individual listed in section 1.a above.
- c. Provide a reproduction of the current Florida Contractor's license and the current Florida Architect's license for the applicant Design/Build Team.

2. EXPERIENCE/REFERENCES:

- a. List the five projects for which the applicant has provided/is providing design/build services which are most related to this project. In determining which projects are most related, consider: related size and complexity; how many members of the proposed team worked on the listed project; how recently the project was completed. List the projects in priority order, with the most related project listed first. Two of these projects must have been completed by the proposed design/build team as Architect/Contractor on those singular projects.
- b. For each of the listed projects, provide the following information: construction cost (original contract cost and final construction cost), current phase of development, estimated (or past) completion date, type of construction services provided (design/build, CM at risk with GMP, CM-agency, general contractor-low bid, negotiated general contract, subcontractor to prime), Owner's contact person and telephone number.

3. SUBMISSION OF RFQ:

Responses should be addressed as follows, and may be mailed or submitted at the front desk of the location below:

Jeanne' Freeman, MSP, MSW
 Chief Executive Officer
 Neighborhood Medical Center, Inc.
 872 West Orange Avenue
 Tallahassee, FL 32310
 JFreeman@NeighborhoodMedicalCenter.org
 Sealed envelope should be clearly marked in the lower left-hand corner as follows:
 Request for Qualifications No: 01-2023 for Design/Build Services
 See INSTRUCTIONS for additional information.
 Late submissions will not be considered.
 For additional information, contact:
 Jeanne' Freeman, CEO, Neighborhood Medical Center
 (850) 577-1558
 JFreeman@NeighborhoodMedicalCenter.org

**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, April 27, 2023 and 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 3, 2023.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
5JER23-2	5/1/2023	5/1/2023
6A-1.09401	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
6A-1.09441	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
6A-5.030	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
6A-5.065	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
6A-6.0571	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
6A-6.0576	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
6A-10.0401	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
6A-10.081	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
6A-25.020	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
40D-8.623	4/27/2023	5/17/2023
59G-13.070	4/28/2023	5/18/2023
59G-13.081	4/28/2023	5/18/2023
61G15-32.005	5/2/2023	5/22/2023
61G15-32.006	5/2/2023	5/22/2023
61G15-32.008	5/2/2023	5/22/2023

61G18-12.009	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
61G18-18.001	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
61G18-18.0015	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
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	**/**/****
64B5-2.013	4/28/2023	5/18/2023
64B5-2.0135	4/28/2023	5/18/2023
64B15-14.009	4/28/2023	5/18/2023
64B5-16.0051	4/28/2023	5/18/2023
65C-28.008	5/3/2023	5/23/2023
69B-220.001	5/1/2023	5/21/2023

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	**/**/****
60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/****
62-6.001	5/10/2022	**/**/****
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	**/**/****
62-600.405	11/16/2021	**/**/****
62-600.705	11/16/2021	**/**/****
62-600.720	11/16/2021	**/**/****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****
65C-9.004	3/31/2022	**/**/****
69L-7.020	10/22/2021	**/**/****
69L-7.730	4/6/2023	**/**/****
69L-7.740	4/6/2023	**/**/****

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Rehabilitation and Liquidation

NOTICE TO ALL POLICYHOLDERS, CREDITORS, AND CLAIMANTS HAVING BUSINESS WITH UNITED PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,

IN AND FOR LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 2023 CA 000320

In Re: The Receivership of UNITED PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY a Florida corporation authorized to transact insurance business.

You are hereby notified that by order of the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit, in and for Leon County, Florida, entered on the 27th day of February 2023, the Department of Financial Services of the State of Florida was appointed as Receiver of UNITED PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY and was ordered to liquidate the assets of the company.

Policyholders, claimants, creditors, and other persons having claims against the assets of UNITED PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY shall present such claims to the Department on or before Wednesday, February 27, 2024, or such claims may be considered late-filed.

Requests for forms for the presentation of such claims concerning this Receivership should be addressed to: The Florida Department of Financial Services, Division of Rehabilitation and Liquidation, Receiver of United Property and Casualty Insurance Company, 325 John Knox Road, Atrium Building, Suite 101, Tallahassee, Florida 32303. Additional information may be found at: www.myfloridacfo.com/division/receiver

FLORIDA VIRTUAL SCHOOL

FLORIDA VIRTUAL SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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NOTICE OF ADVERTISEMENT AND PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING ANTICIPATED ADOPTION OF NEW OR REVISED BOARD POLICIES

PROPOSED POLICIES AND POLICY REVISIONS

Exh.	Dept./Subject	Short Title	NEOLA #	FLVS #
1.	Administration	Conditions for Employment and Re-Employment	po1121	PS030
2.	Administration	Background Screening and Employment History Checks	po1121.01	
3.	Administration	Employment Contract	po1128	PS024

4.	Administration	Employment and Supervision of Relatives	po1130.01	PS023
5.	Administration	Standards of Ethical Conduct	po1210	PS012
6.	Administration	Outside Activities of Employees	po1231	PS034
7.	Administration	Benefits	po1420	B002, B004
8.	Administration	Remote Work	po1500	PS028
9.	Administration	Out of State Employment	po1500.01	PS033
10.	Property	Acceptable Use Policy	po7540	IT002, IT003, IT004, IT005, IT006, IT007
11.	Operations	Records Management	po8320	

PROPOSED REPEALS AND “STRIKE-THROUGHS”

Exh.	Dept./Subject	Short Title	FLVS #
12.	Benefits	Educational Assistance	B002
13.	Benefits	Retirement Plan	B004
14.	IT	Computer Resources and Data Acceptable Use	IT002
15.	IT	Information Data Security	IT003
16.	IT	Acceptable Use of Digital Resources	IT004
17.	IT	Workstation Software Licensing	IT005
18.	IT	Computer Data Base Resources	IT006
19.	IT	Electronic Communications and Public Records	IT007
20.	Professional Standards	Employee Code of Ethics	PS012
21.	Professional Standards	Employment of Relatives	PS023
22.	Professional Standards	Probationary Period	PS024
23.	Professional Standards	Remote Work Environment	PS028
24.	Professional Standards	Employment of Former Employees	PS030
25.	Professional Standards	Out-of-State Employment	PS033
26.	Professional Standards	Secondary/Outside Employment	PS034

Notice of Approval to Advertise: The Florida Virtual School Board of Trustees (“Board”) has authorized and directed this Notice of Advertisement and Public Hearing regarding its anticipated consideration and adoption of new or revised Board Policies.

Purpose & Effect: It is the intention of the Board that the above-referenced new and revised policies simplify, update, streamline and ensure alignment of FLVS operations and Board Policies and Bylaws with applicable state and federal laws, rules, and regulations.

Access to Text of the New or Revised Policy(ies): Individuals seeking access to the hardcopy/printed version of the new or revised policy(ies) herein referenced may contact Mr. Bruce Moore, FLVS Board Clerk, at 5422 Carrier Drive, Suite 201, Orlando, Florida 32819. The Board Clerk may be reached by telephone at (407) 735-1191 or by email to bmoore@flvs.net. Individuals seeking access to the electronic version of the new or revised policy(ies) may do so via the internet by visiting the Florida Virtual School website at www.flvs.net (navigate to Board of Trustees – “Notice of Rulemaking” tabs/pages). Please be advised that the President and Chief Executive Officer (“CEO”) of the Florida Virtual School is authorized to correct technical, grammatical, and spelling errors, and to rearrange and renumber sections, paragraphs, designations, and cross-references in any new, revised, and existing Board Policy and Bylaw which—following consultation with the FLVS Office of General Counsel—the CEO deems reasonable and prudent to achieve and advance the purpose and effect of such policies and bylaws.

Rule Making Authority: The Board is authorized to adopt, amend, and delete Board Policies pursuant to section 1002.37 and applicable provisions of Chapter 120 of the Florida Statutes.

Laws Implemented: Section 1002.37 of the Florida Statutes and all such applicable laws expressed and/or referenced by the new or revised policy(ies) herein identified.

Person(s) Proposing/Initiating New or Revised Policy(ies): The new or revised policy(ies) herein identified were originated by and through the FLVS CEO in consultation with the FLVS Office of General Counsel and FLVS personnel with subject matter expertise pertinent to the new or revised policy.

Public Hearing: The Board intends to consider, adopt, or otherwise take formal/final action on the above-referenced new and revised policy(ies) following a public hearing on such matter(s). The public hearing will be held during the course of a regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Trustees on Tuesday, June 6, 2023, which is scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m. (EST). The meeting will not be held in person. Rather, it will be held by video conference. Any person who wishes to present or register public comments during the public hearing should contact Mr. Bruce Moore, Board Clerk, 5422 Carrier Drive,

Suite 201, Orlando, Florida, 32819, no later than 48 hours prior to the start of the Board meeting. The Board Clerk may be reached by telephone at (407) 735-1191 or by email to bmoore@flvs.net.

Any person requiring special accommodations to attend or participate in any meeting of the Board of Trustees should contact Mr. Bruce Moore, Board Clerk, at 5422 Carrier Drive, Suite 201, Orlando, Florida 32819, no later than 48 hours prior to the start of the Board meeting. The Board Clerk may be reached by telephone at (407) 735-1191 or by email to bmoore@flvs.net. Persons who are hearing or speech impaired are also urged to contact the Florida Relay Service at 1-800-955-8771 (TDD) or at 1-800-955-8770 (Voice).

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at the meeting, he or she will need a record of the meeting/proceedings, and for such purpose, may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

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.
