

Section I
Notice of Development of Proposed Rules
and Negotiated Rulemaking

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Administration

RULE NO: RULE TITLE
5A-18.001 URBAN AGRICULTURE PILOT
 PROJECTS

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed rule will create procedures for the Department to establish urban agriculture pilot projects in five municipalities, pursuant to section 604.73, Florida Statutes.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Urban Agriculture Pilot Program

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 570.07(23), 604.73(4), FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 604.73 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE IS: Allan J. Charles, Allan.Charles@FDACS.gov, (850)245-1000.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
6A-6.0790 Florida College and University Charter
 School Sponsors

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To set forth the procedures and standards for review, approval and renewal of a college and a university to act as a sponsor of a charter school. Information to be included is the terms and conditions of approval.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Charter School Applicants and Sponsors.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(1), (2), 1002.33(5), (6), (28), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1002.33(5), (6), (20), F.S.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: April 8, 2022, 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. or until conclusion of business

PLACE: Via conference call, 1(888)585-9008, Passcode 557-224-161.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Adam Emerson, Charter Schools Director, Department of Education, (850)245-0502, or adam.emerson@fldoe.org. To comment on this rule development or to request a rule development workshop, please go to <https://web02.fldoe.org/rules> or contact: Chris Emerson, Director, Office of Executive Management, Department of Education, (850)245-9601 or email Christian.Emerson@fldoe.org.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

Available prior to rule workshop at: <https://web02.fldoe.org/rules>.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Medicaid

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
59G-4.125 Behavior Analysis Services

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the amendment to Rule 59G-4.125, Florida Administrative Code, (F.A.C.), is to update the Florida Medicaid Behavior Analysis Services Coverage Policy. The updated coverage policy clarifies provider and service delivery requirements.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Behavior Analysis Services.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 409.919 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 409.906 FS.

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: April 8, 2022, 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

PLACE: The Agency is offering both a remote and an in-person option to attend the hearing at the Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32308-5407. Remote Listeners: Attendees may register for the hearing at:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5266369748210979855>. After registering, a confirmation email will be received containing information about joining the webinar, and opportunities to offer comments and questions will be available. 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: MedicaidRuleComments@ahca.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).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: MedicaidRuleComments@ahca.myflorida.com

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

59G-4.125 Behavior Analysis Services.

(1) This rule applies to all providers rendering Florida Medicaid behavior analysis services to recipients.

(2) All providers must be in compliance with the provisions of the Florida Medicaid Behavior Analysis Services Coverage Policy, ~~October 2017~~, incorporated by reference. The policy is available on the Agency for Health Care Administration's website at <http://ahca.myflorida.com/Medicaid/review/index.shtml>, and at <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-08679>.

(3) This rule is in effect for 5 years from its effective date.

Rulemaking Authority 409.919 FS. Law Implemented 409.906 FS. History--New 2-19-17, Amended 10-29-17, _____.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Construction Industry Licensing Board

RULE NO.: 61G4-18.001 RULE TITLE: Continuing Education Requirements for Certificateholders and Registrants

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of development is to open the rule to review, update and remove old text.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Review rule for possible changes.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 455.213(6), 455.2177, 455.2178, 455.2179, 489.108, 489.115 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 455.2123, 455.213(6), 455.2177, 455.2178, 455.2179, 455.271(6), 489.115, 489.116 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Donald Shaw, Executive Director, Construction Industry Licensing Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1039, or telephone: (850)487-1395, or by electronic mail to Donald.Shaw@myfloridalicense.com

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

**Section II
Proposed Rules**

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Psychology

RULE NO.: 64B19-18.004 RULE TITLE: Use of Test Instruments

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes a rule amendment to clearly allow for the administration of test instruments by licensed psychologists via synchronous online video communication technology rather than the traditional face-to-face requirement for test administration.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule amendment clearly allows and adopts standards for the administration of test instruments via synchronous online video communication technology by licensed psychologists.

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: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board concluded that this rule change will not have any impact on licensees and their businesses or the businesses that employ them. The rule will not increase any fees, business costs, personnel costs, will not decrease profit opportunities, and will not require any specialized knowledge to comply. This change will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Hence, the Board determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

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: 490.004(4) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 490.003(4), 490.009(1)(r), (s), (v), (w) 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: Allen Hall, Executive Director, Board of Psychology, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3253.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B19-18.004 Use of Test Instruments.

(1) No Change.

(2) A psychologist who uses test instruments in the psychologist’s practice of psychology:

(a) Must consider whether research supports the underlying presumptions which govern the interpretive statements which would be made by the test instrument as a result of its completion by any service user;

(b) Must be able to justify the selection of any particular test instrument and the method that instrument is administered for the particular service user who takes the test at the instruction of the psychologist;

(c) Through (d) No Change.

(3) Through (4) No Change.

(5) The face-to-face requirement of subsection (4) may be satisfied via Synchronous Online Video Communication Technology (“videoconferencing”) only if all of the following circumstances exist:

(a) The administration occurs via HIPPA compliant videoconferencing platform;

(b) Immediately prior to administration of the test instrument the psychologist independently verifies the service user’s, or the service user’s guardian’s if applicable, identification via a government issued picture identification;

(c) Immediately prior to administration of the test instrument the psychologist independently verifies the service user is in a quiet setting free of distractions;

(d) The psychologist documents the rationale for test administration via videoconferencing in the service user’s records; and

(e) The psychologist provides the service user with a disclosure informing the service user that the test instrument administration via videoconferencing could have unknown impacts on the acceptance of and/or weight given to resulting evaluations and/or assessment by third parties.

A licensed psychologist who administers test instruments via videoconferencing as defined above must administer the test instruments in a manner consistent with the prevailing standard

of practice for the face-to-face administration of test instruments under subsection (4) of this rule.

~~(5)~~(6) It shall be a violation of this rule for a psychologist to sign any evaluation or assessment unless the psychologist has had an active role in the evaluation or assessment of the subject as required by subsection (4), of this rule. A psychologist may not sign any evaluation or assessment that is signed by any other person unless the psychologist is signing as a supervisor, in conjunction with an evaluation or assessment performed by a psychological intern, psychological trainee or psychological resident, or as a member of a multidisciplinary diagnostic team.

~~(6)~~(7) “Test instruments” are standardized procedures which purport to objectively measure personal characteristics such as intelligence, personality, abilities, interests aptitudes, and neuropsychological functioning including evaluation of mental capacity to manage one’s affairs and to participate in legal proceedings. Examples of such tests include intelligence tests, multiple aptitude batteries, tests of special aptitudes, achievement tests, and personality tests concerned with measures of emotional and motivational functioning, interpersonal behavior, interests, attitudes and other affective variables.

Rulemaking Authority 490.004(4) FS. Law Implemented 490.003(4), 490.009(1)(r), (s), (v), (w) FS. History—New 6-14-94, Formerly 61F13-20.004, Amended 5-19-97, Formerly 54AA-18.004, Amended 3-25-02, 11-18-07, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Psychology

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Psychology

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: January 28, 2022

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: March 10, 2022

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-4.010 Sanitation and Safety Requirements

The Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants hereby gives notice: On March 4, 2022 the Division of Hotels and Restaurants received a Petition for a Routine Variance for subsection 61C-4.010(7) Florida Administrative Code and subsection 61C-4.010(6), Florida Administrative Code from GARDEN STATE SUBS CORPORATION located in Zephyrhills. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement that at least one accessible bathroom be provided for use by customers and employees. They are requesting to share the bathrooms located within a nearby establishment under a different ownership for use by customers and employees.

The Petition for this variance was published in Vol. 48/46 on March 8, 2022. The Order for this Petition was signed and approved on March 23, 2022. After a complete review of the variance request, the Division finds that the application of this Rule will create a financial hardship to the food service establishment. Furthermore, the Division finds that the Petitioner meets the burden of demonstrating that the underlying statute has been achieved by the Petitioner ensuring the bathrooms located within ZEPHYRHILLS BREWING COMPANY LLC (38530 5TH AVE, 33542), are maintained in a clean and sanitary manner and are provided with cold running water under pressure, soap, approved hand drying devices, and are available during all hours of operation. The Petitioner shall also ensure that directional signage is installed within or outside the establishment clearly stating the location of the bathrooms. If the ownership of GARDEN STATE SUBS CORPORATION (File: 342409) and/or ZEPHYRHILLS BREWING COMPANY LLC (38530 5TH AVE, 33542), changes, an updated signed agreement for use of the bathroom facilities will be required immediately.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Kasimira.Kelly@myfloridalicense.com, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1011.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Opticianry

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B12-15.001 Continuing Education for License Renewal
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on March 23, 2022, the Board of Opticianry, received a petition for Variance or Waiver filed by Christina Hernandez. Petitioner seeks a variance or waiver of Rule 64B12-15.001, F.A.C., regarding continuing education for license renewal. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Opticianry, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258, telephone: (850)488-0595, or by electronic mail: Kimberly.Marshall@flhealth.gov, within 14 days of publication of this notice.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Kimberly Marshall, Executive Director, Board of Opticianry, at the above address.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Securities

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on March 23, 2022, the Florida Office of Financial Regulation, received a petition for Waiver of paragraph 69W-600.0024(6)(b), Florida Administrative Code from Steven Wall. The petition seeks a Waiver of paragraph 69W-600.0024(6)(b) 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

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

The Volunteer Florida announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 12, 2022, 10:00 a.m. ET until all business is complete

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, Code: 721648837#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
General business

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Aly Simons, aly@volunteerflorida.org, (850)414-7400.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Aly Simons, aly@volunteerflorida.org, (850)414-7400. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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

For more information, you may contact: Aly Simons, aly@volunteerflorida.org, (850)414-7400.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

The Volunteer Florida announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 12, 2022, 2:00 p.m. ET until all business is complete

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, Code: 721648837#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
General business

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Aly Simons, aly@volunteerflorida.org, (850)414-7400.

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he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

For more information, you may contact: Aly Simons, aly@volunteerflorida.org, (850)414-7400.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

The Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 12, 2022, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: This is a meeting conducted by means of communications media technology via Microsoft Teams at <https://bit.ly/2WpNfGc>. An additional telephone connection is available at (786)749-6127, conference code 629-590-079.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Environmental Advisory Committee Meeting. To discuss committee business. All or part of this meeting may be conducted by means of communications media technology to permit maximum participation of committee members. Additional instructions regarding viewing of and participation in the meeting are available at WaterMatters.org or by calling 1(800)423-1476 and requesting assistance.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: WaterMatters.org – Boards, Meetings & Event Calendar, 1(800)423-1476 (FL only) or (352)796-7211.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: SWFWMD Human Resources Office Chief at 2379 Broad St., Brooksville, FL 34604-6899, telephone (352)796-7211 or 1(800)423-1476 (FL only), ext. 4747, or email ADACoordinator@WaterMatters.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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

For more information, you may contact: Barbara.Matrone@WaterMatters.org, 1(800)423-1476 (FL only) or (352)796-7211, x4605 (Ad Order) EXE0832.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: April 6, 2022, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Tampa Service Office 7601 Hwy 301 N, Tampa, FL 33637 and Via Microsoft Teams <http://bit.ly/3i8U5r4>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Well Driller Advisory Committee Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Nicki Crowe at 1(813)985-7481 ext. 4476.

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

REGIONAL UTILITY AUTHORITIES

Peace River/Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority
The Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: April 6, 2022, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Manatee County Administration Building, Honorable Patricia M. Glass Chambers, 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Bradenton, FL

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Board of Directors will convene to conduct regular business of the Authority.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority, located at 9415 Town Center Parkway, Lakewood Ranch, Florida 34202, by emailing peacriver@regionalwater.org, by calling (941)316-1776 or by visiting www.RegionalWater.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 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: (941)316-1776. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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

For more information, you may contact: peacriver@regionalwater.org or (941)316-1776.

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 11, 2022, 12:00 Noon – 2:00 p.m. ET

PLACE: 3800 S ECONOLOCKHATCHEE TRAIL, ORLANDO, FL 32829

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Brevard 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: 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 6, 2022, 10:30 a.m. ET

PLACE: 121 CARVER AVENUE, BRANDON FL 33510

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: West Central 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: 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: April 8, 2022, 10:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: Conference Call: 1(850)792-8943, Participant Passcode: 675 412 772# and Microsoft Teams, Teams link at <https://ombudsman.elderaffairs.org/quarterly-meeting-schedule/>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Advocacy 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: 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 19, 2022, 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. ET

PLACE: Alachua County Senior Recreation Center, 5701 NW 34 Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32653

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: North Central 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: ltpcopinformer@elderaffairs.org.

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Emergency Preparedness and Community Support
The Bureau of Emergency Medical Oversight, EMS Advisory Council's DATA Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 12, 2022, 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. ET

PLACE: This meeting will be held virtually via Microsoft Teams:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_N2E0NGEwNTAtODM4MS00MTkwLWIyMjktZWFlZTk0MTAwN2M5%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2228cd8f80-3c44-4b27-81a0-cd2b03a31b8d%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%222a5f3d14-06cd-4b4d-8f2d-6f67624fd0d6%22%7d

Join with a video conferencing device: teams@meetme.flhealth.gov

Video Conference ID: 111 998 239 1 or call in (audio only) (850)792-1375, 13454222# United States, Tallahassee,

Phone Conference ID: 134 542 22#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Workgroup meeting to conduct the general business of the EMS Advisory Council's DATA Committee. The focus of this workgroup will center on the NEMESIS defined list of procedures, medication, and other V3.5 data the State is considering adopting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Brenda Clotfelter at Brenda.Clotfelter@flhealth.gov or Ty Carhart at Ty.Carhart@flhealth.gov or (850)558-9549.

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: Brenda Clotfelter at Brenda.Clotfelter@flhealth.gov or Ty Carhart at Ty.Carhart@flhealth.gov or (850)558-9549. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Brenda Clotfelter at Brenda.Clotfelter@flhealth.gov or Ty Carhart at Ty.Carhart@flhealth.gov or (850)558-9549.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

DATE AND TIME: POSTPONED - Original Date: March 31, 2022, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: POSTPONED

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: POSTPONED: The workshop will be held to solicit comments and suggestions from interested persons relative to Florida Housing's proposed RFA 2022- Housing Credit Financing for Affordable Housing Developments Located in Miami-Dade County. <https://www.floridahousing.org/programs/developers-multifamily-programs/competitive/2022/2022-203>.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: NA

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

DATE AND TIME: April 1, 2022, 9:00 a.m. until adjourned

PLACE: Telephonic Meeting, Call-In Number: 1(888)585-9008, Conference Room/Code: 357-546-738

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Board will discuss:

1. Total Development Cost Per Unit Limitations Increase
2. Delegation of Authority for Certain Program Approvals
3. Utilization of National Housing Trust Fund (NHTF) Program for Competitive Active Awards

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Approximately two days prior to the meeting by contacting Sheila Freaney, Board Liaison, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329, phone number (850)488-4197, or by visiting the Corporation's website at www.floridahousing.org.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Sheila Freaney at the Florida Housing Finance Corporation at (850)488-4197. If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Corporation with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings be made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

Florida Atlantic Research and Development Authority
 The Florida Atlantic Research and Development Authority announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: April 7, 2022, 9:30 a.m.
 PLACE: 3651 FAU Blvd., Suite 400, Boca Raton, Fl. 33431
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
 Authority Meeting
 A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting:
 jwales@research-park.org.

RK&K

The Florida Department of Transportation, District One announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.
 DATES AND TIMES: In-Person on Tuesday, April 5, 2022, 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.; Online on Thursday, April 7, 2022, 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
 PLACE: In-person at The Church of the Redeemer, 222 S. Palm Ave., Sarasota, FL 34236, Online through a computer, tablet, or mobile device (visit <https://bit.ly/LittleRinglingWorkshop> to register), or online at <http://www.swflroads.com/789/littleringling/>. Pre-meeting registration is required.
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) invites you to a Public Workshop for the Little Ringling (State Road 789) Project Development & Environment (PD&E) Study in Sarasota County.
 The Little Ringling PD&E Study is evaluating the proposed reconstruction and/or rehabilitation of the existing bridges along John Ringling Boulevard (SR 789) from Bird Key Drive to Sarasota Harbour West. The public workshop is being held to present several alternatives and engineering and environmental analysis completed to date, as well as provide the opportunity for the public to offer feedback on the project alternatives. Comments submitted after the meeting may be sent to Patrick Bateman, P.E., MS 1-40, P.O. Box 1249, Bartow, FL 33831, or emailed to Patrick.Bateman@dot.state.fl.us. While

comments about the project are accepted at any time, please send all comments by April 21, 2022, to be included in the public workshop record.

The Department has three ways to participate in the Public Workshop: by attending the live in-person open house, by joining the live online event, or by viewing the materials online through the project website. All meeting materials will be available online by March 29, 2022. A copy of these materials will also be displayed at the in-person open house. You may choose any combination of the options provided to review the materials and to submit your comments.

In-Person Option: The in-person open house is scheduled for Tuesday, April 5, 2022, at the Church of the Redeemer, 222 S. Palm Ave., Sarasota, FL 34236. The in-person open house will begin at 5:00 p.m. and end at 7:00 p.m. **Online Option:** The online event is scheduled for Thursday, April 7, 2022, 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Please register at <https://bit.ly/LittleRinglingWorkshop> to attend. Once registered, attendees will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting online. Please note that registration and attendance via the website links work best in the Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge, or Firefox web browser. Internet Explorer cannot be used to register or attend this GoTo Webinar.

Website: View the materials online at <http://www.swflroads.com/789/littleringling/>. Comments can be provided through the project website.

For more information on all options to attend the upcoming workshop, visit the project website or contact the project representative (listed above).

The FDOT is sending notices to all property owners and tenants within at least 300 feet on either side of the project and to public officials, regulatory agencies, organizations, and individuals interested in the project. The FDOT encourages all interested people to attend and express their views regarding the project and information presented.

FDOT solicits public participation without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. People who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Cynthia Sykes, District One Title VI Coordinator, at 1(863)519-2287, or email at Cynthia.Sykes@dot.state.fl.us at least seven days prior to the public workshop.

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

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Patrick Bateman, P.E., FDOT Project Manager: by email at Patrick.Bateman@dot.state.fl.us or by phone at 1(863)519-2792.

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: Cynthia Sykes, FDOT District One Title VI Coordinator by email at Cynthia.Sykes@dot.state.fl.us or by phone at 1(863)519-2287. 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: Patrick Bateman, P.E., FDOT Project Manager: by email at Patrick.Bateman@dot.state.fl.us or by phone at 1(863)519-2792.

HDR, Inc.

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

DATE AND TIMES: Thursday, March 31, 2022; Virtual (Online) Public Meeting will take place from 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.; In-Person Public Meeting will take place from 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

PLACE: Online: <https://bit.ly/3FHRpVR>; In-Person: FDOT Palm Beach Operations Auditorium, 7900 Forest Hill Blvd., West Palm Beach, Florida 33413

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will host a Public Meeting for the I-95/SR 9 Interchange at 6th Avenue South Project.

If you are unable to attend the meeting, a recording of it will be posted at:

https://www.d4fdot.com/pbfdot/future_projects_index.asp

The project involves operational and safety improvements to the interchange including: Adding a lane at the southbound and northbound off-ramps; Adding a merge lane at the northbound on-ramp; Extending the merge lane and adding a right turn lane at the southbound on-ramp; Widening roadway pavement along 6th Avenue South to provide 7-foot buffered bicycle lanes; Adding a lane on westbound 6th Avenue South from Michigan Avenue to the I-95 interchange; Signalization and pavement marking upgrades; Street lighting upgrades; Replacement of railroad tracks, railroad gates, and overhead sign structure.

The purpose of the Public Meeting is to provide interested persons an opportunity to a project presentation and ask questions to project team members as well as make comments. FDOT representatives can be reached via email at

Adham.Naiem@dot.state.fl.us to answer questions about the meeting materials.

A printed version of the meeting is available upon request by contacting Adham Naiem, PE, FDOT Project Manager, at 3400 West Commercial Blvd., Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, via email at Adham.Naiem@dot.state.fl.us, or toll free at 1(866)336-8435, ext. 4440. Additional project information is available at https://www.d4fdot.com/pbfdot/future_projects_index.asp.

Persons wishing to submit written statements may do so by sending them to the FDOT Project Manager at the information listed above.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Guillermo Canedo toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, extension 4302, or via email at Guillermo.Canedo@dot.state.fl.us.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Adham Naiem, P.E., FDOT Project Manager, toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, extension 4440, or by email at Adham.Naiem@dot.state.fl.us. For questions or concerns regarding Title VI, contact Sharon SinghHagyan, District Four Title VI Coordinator toll free at 1(866)336-8435, extension 4190, or via email at Sharon.SinghHagyan@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: Guillermo Canedo toll-free at 866-336-8435, extension 4302, or via email at Guillermo.Canedo@dot.state.fl.us.

Section VII Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Finance

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Office of Financial Regulation has received the petition for declaratory statement from Currencies Direct Spain, EDE, SL “CDS”. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Chapter 560, Florida Statutes, as it applies to the petitioner.

On 3/23/2022, the Florida Office of Financial Regulation (Consumer Finance) received a Petition for Declaratory Statement from Currencies Direct Spain, EDE, SL “CDS”). Petitioner is a foreign affiliate of Currencies Direct, Inc. (“CDI”), a licensed funds transmitter in the state of Florida. The petition seeks a declaratory statement from the Office on whether the proposed activity (CDS has customers located in

Spain and Europe who have permanently moved to a foreign country from Florida. However, some of these customers still have bank accounts located in Florida. CDS believes that some of the customers would request CDS to collect the funds from the customers' Florida accounts and thereafter deliver the funds to the customers' new accounts in the foreign country where CDS is licensed and regulated. CDS has no office or location in Florida and does not advertise its services in any way in Florida. CDS would like to collect the funds from the customers Florida accounts through a bank account CDS would obtain in the United States but not located in Florida) requires licensure under Chapter 560, Florida Statutes. Except for good cause shown, motions for leave to intervene must be filed within 21 days after publication of this notice.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement 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. Please refer all comments to: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.gov.

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

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

NONE

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

NONE

**Section IX
Notice of Petitions and Dispositions
Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges**

NONE

**Section X
Announcements and Objection Reports of
the Joint Administrative Procedures
Committee**

NONE

**Section XI
Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and
Purchasing**

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Notice of Upcoming Public Meetings for E1U97

In accordance with 120.525 F.S., the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) announces public meetings associated with the subject procurement, to which all persons are invited.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
Selection of intended awardee for Project E1U97

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: This project provides the design-build of SR 789 from Longboat Club Rd to SR 64 Manatee and Sarasota Counties. The successful bidder will be responsible for the implementation of this project from concept to completion of construction.

For complete advertisement information including the agenda for all public meetings and any schedule updates please refer to the Procurement Internet site: <https://pdaexternal.fdot.gov/Pub/AdvertisementPublic/AdDetail/01/12365/D-B/C/C>.

METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS

Lee County Metropolitan Planning Organization
**LEE COUNTY MPO GENERAL PLANNING
CONSULTANT REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

“ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR GENERAL PLANNING
CONSULTANT SERVICES”
LEE COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING
ORGANIZATION
LEGAL NOTICE

Proposals for this service must be received by the Lee County Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), via e-mail at cbarraco@leempo.com, hand delivery at 815 Nicholas Parkway E., Cape Coral, Florida 33990, or via mail at P. O. Box 150045, Cape Coral FL 33915, by 3:00 p.m. (local time), Thursday, April 21, 2022. Lee County MPO reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

RFP # MPO 2022-GP1

SCOPE OF SERVICES: The Lee County MPO is soliciting responses to this request for proposal, which is issued for the purpose of selecting one or more consulting firms to be retained under a two-year contract, with a one-year renewal option. The firms shall be responsible for knowledge of the compliance with all relevant local, state, and federal laws and regulations, and shall be capable of providing some or all of the types of transportation planning and engineering services described in the scope of services. The general planning work may include, but not be limited to, financial resource forecasting and revenue projections, public involvement, corridor and small area studies, goods movement studies, traffic engineering studies, ITS needs assessment, project cost estimation, land use modeling, GIS assistance, long range transportation planning and modeling, transit authority formation studies, and other miscellaneous studies as directed. Proposals must specify which of the services identified in the scope of services the firm or team is proposing to provide.

This scope of services was written by the Lee County MPO to be used on tasks provided by the MPOs in FDOT District One (Collier, Charlotte, Heartland, Sarasota/Manatee or Polk MPOs) and Lee Tran. The Scope of Services can be found here: [Scope of Services](#)

INVITATION TO PROPOSE: The MPO hereby solicits proposals for selection as on-call consultant for planning services to the Lee County MPO to meet the needs of the transportation planning program.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTION/ HOW TO APPLY: A Request for Proposals document may be obtained by contacting, in writing, Ms. Calandra Barraco, Lee MPO Designee, 815 Nicholas Parkway E., Cape Coral, Florida 33990, phone: (239)330-2243 or by email: cbarraco@leempo.com. The RFP Packet can also be found here: [RFP Packet](#). Materials will be sent by regular mail to the requester within two business days. Materials will be sent FedEx or Certified Mail if requested, at the expense of the requestor. All requests for clarification or additional information on the RFP must be submitted in writing to the same e-mail address above by no later than 3:00 p.m. April 7, 2022. Proposals must then be received by the Lee County MPO, 815 Nicholas Parkway E., Cape Coral, Florida 33990, by 3:00 p.m. (local time), Thursday, April 21, 2022.

This public notice was posted in the lobby of the offices of the Lee County MPO, 815 Nicholas Parkway E., Cape Coral, Florida 33915, on Thursday March 24, 2022. The Lee County MPO does not discriminate based on age, race, color, sex, religion, national origin, disability or family status. Qualified minority-owned, women-owned or disadvantaged business enterprises are encouraged to apply.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Division of Building Construction

Engineering Services for Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing Continuing Contracts

STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

DIVISION OF REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT FOR CONTINUING CONTRACT ENGINEERING SERVICES

FOR MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL, AND PLUMBING SERVICES

March 24, 2022

The Department of Management Services, Division of Real Estate Development and Management, announces that professional services are required for the project listed below.

RFQ NUMBER: RFQ-REDM21/22-02

PROJECT NUMBER: N/A

PROJECT NAME: Engineering Services for Mechanical, Electrical, and Plumbing Continuing Contracts

PROJECT LOCATION: Northwest, Northeast, Central, and South Florida Regions

Please visit the Department’s website: http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs_www.main_menu and click on “Search Advertisements” – “Division of Real Estate Development and Management” Look for “Opportunities for Design and Construction Firms” and click on link.

Section XII
Miscellaneous

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Index of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State Pursuant to subparagraph 120.55(1)(b)6. – 7., F.S., the below list of rules were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State between 3:00 p.m., Friday, March 18, 2022 and 3:00 p.m., Thursday, March 24, 2022.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
40D-8.041	3/18/2022	4/7/2022
59A-11.019	3/18/2022	4/7/2022

61G4-15.0021	3/24/2022	4/13/2022
61G4-15.006	3/24/2022	4/13/2022
64B6-2.003	3/22/2022	4/11/2022
64B7-26.004	3/22/2022	4/11/2022
64B9-3.014	3/21/2022	4/10/2022
64B13-4.006	3/24/2022	4/13/2022
64B13-15.0065	3/24/2022	4/13/2022
64B13-18.002	3/24/2022	4/13/2022
68A-1.004	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-9.004	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-12.001	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-12.003	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-12.004	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-12.010	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-13.001	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-13.003	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-13.004	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-15.004	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-15.006	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-15.061	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-15.062	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-15.063	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-15.064	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-15.065	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-17.004	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68A-17.005	3/18/2022	7/1/2022
68B-41.002	3/18/2022	4/7/2022
68B-41.004	3/18/2022	4/7/2022
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
5K-4.020	12/10/2021	**/**/*****
5K-4.035	12/10/2021	**/**/*****
5K-4.045	12/10/2021	**/**/*****
60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/*****
60P-1.003	12/8/2021	**/**/*****
60P2.002	11/5/2019	**/**/*****
60P-2.003	11/5/2019	**/**/*****
62-600.405	11/16/2021	**/**/*****
62-600.705	11/16/2021	**/**/*****

62-600.720	11/16/2021	**/**/*****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/*****
69L-7.020	10/22/2021	**/**/*****

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Health Facility and Agency Licensing

Assisted Living Facility

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-36.012 Food Service Standards

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency’s 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 48, No. 53 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 17, 2022. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Health Facility and Agency Licensing

Assisted Living Facility

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-36.021 Extended Congregate Care Services

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency’s 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 48, No. 53 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 17, 2022. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Health Facility and Agency Licensing

Nurse Registries Standards and Licensing

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-18.0145 Nurse Registry Excellence Program

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency’s 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No.57 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
Health Facility and Agency Licensing
Hospice Procedures

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-38.007 Program Reporting Requirements

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency's 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No.57 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
Health Facility and Agency Licensing
Health Care Licensing Procedures

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-35.310 Emergency Planning, Training and Response.

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency's 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No.57 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
Health Facility and Agency Licensing
Minimum Standards for Home Health Agencies

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-8.0248 Excellence in Home Health

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency's 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No.57 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
Health Facility and Agency Licensing
Health Care Licensing Procedures

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-35.115 Patient Safety Surveys

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency's 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 46, No. 208 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on October 23, 2020. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
Health Facility and Agency Licensing
Assisted Living Facility

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-36.025 Emergency Environmental Control for Assisted Living Facilities

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency's 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No. 57 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
Health Facility and Agency Licensing
Assisted Living Facility

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-36.019 Emergency Management

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency's 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No. 57 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
Health Facility and Agency Licensing
Adult Day Care

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-16.107 Participant and Program Data, Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency's 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No. 57 of the Florida

Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
 Health Facility and Agency Licensing
 Minimum Standards For Home Health Agencies
 RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
 59A-8.0095 Personnel

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency’s 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No.57 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
 Health Facility and Agency Licensing
 Health Care Licensing Procedures
 RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
 59A-35.060 Licensure Application Process.

In accordance with Section 120.74, F.S. the Agency for Health Care Administration is filing this Notice of Extension for publishing a Notice of Proposed Rule as identified in the Agency’s 2021 Regulatory Plan. The Notice of Rule Development was published in Vol. 47, No. 57 of the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) on March 24, 2021. The Agency needs additional time to further develop and solicit public comment on the rules associated with this rulemaking effort.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
 Medicaid
 Florida’s Statewide Transition Plan for Implementing the Home and Community-Based Settings Rule Requirements
 The Agency for Health Care Administration (Agency) is submitting its Statewide Transition Plan in compliance with the Home and Community-Based (HCB) Settings Rule CMS 2249-F to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS). The Statewide Transition Plan includes the following information related to the State’s implementation activities: implementation plan, systemic assessment crosswalk, residential and non-residential assessment tools, residential and non-residential HCBS setting characteristics trends, and the list of presumptively institutional settings. The public process used to solicit public input on Florida’s final Statewide Transition Plan

is described in this notice.

Description of the Final Statewide Transition Plan

The HCB Settings Rule requires public notice and a 30-day public comment period to solicit meaningful public input for consideration in the development of the transition plan prior to submission to CMS. The Agency is providing public notice on the Statewide Transition Plan to solicit meaningful public input from recipients, providers, and all stakeholders prior to submission of the transition plan to CMS. The Agency will post the transition plan on its website for public comment beginning March 25, 2022, and ending April 24, 2022. The draft Statewide Transition Plan can be viewed on the Agency’s website at the following link:

https://ahca.myflorida.com/medicaid/hcbs_waivers/Statewide_Transition.shtml.

Individuals can access a non-electronic hard copy of the Statewide Transition Plan at their local area office. To obtain a list of the area offices, individuals may contact a Medicaid representative at 1(877)254-1055 or Telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) at 1(866)466-4970. Information for local area offices can also be found on the Agency website at https://ahca.myflorida.com/MCHQ/Field_Ops/Field_Office_Info.shtml. In addition, the State will send notice to the LTC plans and waiver support coordinators who will distribute the public notice to share the information with their members.

The Statewide Transition Plan is designed to ensure individuals receiving home and community-based services are integrated in, and have access to, supports in the community, including opportunities to seek employment, work in competitive integrated settings, engage in community life, control personal resources and maintain the rights of privacy, dignity, respect and freedom. The Statewide Transition Plan describes how the State will assess, determine compliance, remediate, and monitor the HCB settings to ensure continued compliance with the requirements. This transition plan outlines the State’s process with time frames that will be used to ensure compliance with the HCB Settings Rule.

When submitting written comments by postal service or email, please have “Statewide Transition Plan” contained in the subject line.

· Submit email comments to FLMedicaidWaivers@ahca.myflorida.com.

· Submit comments by mail to Agency for Health Care Administration, Bureau of Medicaid Policy, 2727 Mahan Drive, MS 20, Tallahassee, Florida 32308.

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