

Section I
**Notice of Development of Proposed Rules
and Negotiated Rulemaking**

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Agricultural Water Policy

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
5M-16.001	Approved Best Management Practices
5M-16.002	Presumption of Compliance
5M-16.003	Notice of Intent to Implement BMPs
5M-16.004	Recordkeeping
5M-16.005	Previously submitted NOIs

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rules is to adopt by reference a revised version of the manual titled Water Quality/Quantity Best Management Practices for Florida Citrus (2012) (FDACS-P-01756). The new edition (2024) updates language to reflect statutory changes impacting the Best Management Practices program, provides more specific direction and expectation regarding the best management practices, and removes language not related to water quality or water conservation.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The subject areas of the proposed rules are water quality and water conservation best management practices for Florida citrus production, including enrollment in the program and implementation verification site visit requirements. Proposed rule revisions remove language that is duplicative with Rule Chapter 5M-1 and clarify the intent of BMP Program enrollment and checklist requirements.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 403.067(7)(c)2., (7)(d)2.c., 570.07(10), (23), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 403.067(7)(c)2., (7)(d)2.c., (7)(d)3., F.S.

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: Lisa Jensen at Lisa.Jensen@FDACS.gov, phone (863)578-1918, or online at <https://www.fdacs.gov/Divisions-Offices/Agricultural-Water-Policy/Rule-Development-Activities>

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
25-7.150	Natural Gas Facilities Relocation Cost Recovery Clause

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To create new rule for new statute 366.99, Florida Statutes, which was enacted during the 2024 Legislative session.

UNDOCKETED

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Procedure for recovery of certain costs via a Natural Gas Facilities Relocation Cost Recovery Clause.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 366.99(6), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 366.99, F.S.

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: Susan Sapoznikoff, Florida Public Service Commission, Office of the General Counsel, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850)413-6630, Susan.Sapoznikoff@psc.state.fl.us.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
68B-14.0036	Recreational Bag Limits: Snapper, Grouper, Hogfish, Black Sea Bass, Red Porgy, Amberjacks, Tilefish, Exception, Wholesale/Retail Purchase Exemption

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments for Atlantic gag grouper and black grouper in response to a recent gag grouper assessment, stakeholder input, and current and pending recreational management changes in Atlantic federal waters. The effect of this rule amendment is to provide additional conservation measures to help rebuild the gag grouper fishery, including applying the same regulations to black grouper because both species have been historically managed with the same regulations due to misidentification issues.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Subject areas to be addressed in the rule development notice may include establishing a recreational vessel limit and prohibiting for-hire captain and crew from retaining a bag limit for gag grouper and

black grouper in Florida’s Atlantic state waters, including all state waters of Monroe County.

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

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Jessica McCawley, Director, Division of Marine Fisheries Management, 620 S. Meridian St., Tallahassee, Florida 32399, and (850)487-0554.

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Section II Proposed Rules

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-1.0018 School Safety Requirements and Monitoring

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To set forth requirements relating to school safety and to define certain safety measures that schools are expected to meet. Amendments will address changes as a result of the need to make training available for parents and guardians on the proper use, and consequences for misuse, of FortifyFL, the mobile suspicious activity reporting tool.

SUMMARY: Office of Safe Schools will require districts to make available a training for parents and guardians of students on FortifyFL, including the consequences for making a threat or false report, prior to the start of each school year. Additional changes will require that the school safety specialist or designee provide the copy of the Florida School Safety Compliance Inspection Report to the school administrator, whether the principal or charter school administrator. The final change is an update to the name of one of the online Federal Emergency Management Agency Independent Study courses required for newly appointed school safety specialists.

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 changes are based on observations over the past year. This proposed rule is not expected to have any adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness or any other factors listed in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S., and will not require legislative ratification. Based on the nature of the change and prior experience, there is no increase in regulatory costs is anticipated as a result of the rule changes.

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: 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1001.11(9), 1001.212(10), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 943.082, 1001.11(9), 1001.212(10), 1006.07(2)(m), (3), 1006.13(3)(b), F.S.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: November 20, 2024, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Caribe Royal Orlando, 8101 World Center Drive, Caribbean 1 & 2, Orlando, FL 32821.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Julie Collins, Office of Safe Schools, Julie.Collins@fldoe.org.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-1.0018 School Safety Requirements and Monitoring

(1) through (4) No change.

(5) Monitoring by the Office of Safe Schools – Process.

(a) through (d) No change.

(e) Unannounced compliance visits by OSS.

1. No change.

2. Documentation. Within three (3) school days after an unannounced compliance visit, the Office will provide a copy of the completed Florida School Safety Compliance Inspection Report in FSSAT, including photographs or other evidence of noncompliance, to the school safety specialist, ~~the school principal or charter school administrator, as appropriate,~~ and the district school superintendent. The school safety specialist, or his or her designee, will provide a copy to the school principal or charter school administrator, as appropriate. Where the report documents noncompliance, it serves as providing notice of a suspected deficiency.

3. No change.

(f) through (j) No change.

(6) through (9) No change.

(10) FortifyFL.

(a) through (c) No change.

(d) Within the first five (5) days of each school year, each district school board must ensure that instruction on the use of FortifyFL is provided to students in accordance with Section 943.082(4)(b), F.S. Instruction on FortifyFL must be developmentally appropriate and must include the consequences of making a threat or false report involving school or school personnel’s property, school transportation, or a school-sponsored activity. Instruction concerning consequences must include disciplinary actions that may occur at school and possible criminal charges.

(e) Annually, each district school board must make available a training for parents and guardians on the use of FortifyFL prior to the start of each school year or at the time of a student’s enrollment if during the school year. This training must explain the potential consequences for anyone making a threat or false report concerning school or school personnel’s property, school transportation, or a school sponsored activity, including disciplinary actions that may occur at school and possible criminal charges. Information concerning criminal charges must include a summary of Sections 790.162, 790.163, 836.10 and 837.05, F.S., and the penalties for violating those statutes. School districts may develop procedures concerning how this training is disseminated.

(11) through (21) No change.

(22) School Safety Specialist Training.

(a) No change.

(b) Within thirty (30) calendar days of appointment, school safety specialists must complete the following online Federal Emergency Management Agency Independent Study courses: Preparedness Multi-Hazard Planning for Childcare Providers; Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS 100; Preparing for Mass Casualty Incidents: A Guide for Schools, Higher Education, and Houses of Worship; Multi-Hazard Emergency Planning for Schools; and Planning for the Needs of Children in Disasters. These courses can be found at <https://training.fema.gov/>. School safety specialists must maintain certificates of completion.

(c) No change.

(23) through (26) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(2)(n), 1006.07(4)(a) FS. Law Implemented 1001.11(9), 1001.212(4), (12), (14), (15), 1006.07(4)(a), (6), (7), (9), 1006.12(5), 1006.147, 1006.1493, 1008.386(3), 1012.584 FS. History—New 7-14-21, Amended 11-23-21, 6-14-22, 9-20-22, 11-22-22, 4-25-23, 9-26-23, 7-2-24.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Julie Collins, Office of Safe Schools

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Manny Diaz Jr., Commissioner of Education

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 25, 2024

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 4, 2024

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-1.099811 School Improvement State System of Support for Deficient and Failing Schools

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To incorporate legislative changes from House Bill 1285 (2024), Senate Bill 7002 (2024) and Senate Bill 7004 (2024), which amend sections 1008.33 and 1012.2315, Florida Statutes, and add requirements for school districts and charter school operators when the school districts select a charter turnaround option plan in the school improvement turnaround process.

SUMMARY: This rule adds requirements for a school district and charter school operator when a school district selects a charter turnaround option plan in the school improvement turnaround process. The rule defines inexperienced teachers and a teacher in need of improvement, and clarifies other requirements such as student enrollment, grade levels, rental or leasing fees, and administrative fees. Finally, amendments address a provision to allow the State Board to give a community partnership school additional time to implement a community school model while implementing a district-managed turnaround option.

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: : Based upon the nature of the changes, this proposed rule is not expected to have any adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness or any other factors listed in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S., and will not require legislative ratification. No increase in regulatory costs are anticipated as a result of this rule change.

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: 1001.02(2)(n), 1008.33, F.S.
LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1001.42(18)(a), 1008.33, 1008.345, 1012.2315, F.S.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: November 20, 2024, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Caribe Royal Orlando, 8101 World Center Drive, Caribbean 1 & 2, Orlando, FL 32821.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Carla Greene, Bureau of School Improvement, Department of Education, (850)245-0983 or email Carla.Greene@fldoe.org.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-1.099811 School Improvement State System of Support for Deficient and Failing Schools.

- (1) No change.
- (2) Definitions. The following definitions, listed alphabetically, shall be used in this rule and incorporated documents:
 - (a) “Below Effective” means a value-added model rating of Needs Improvement/Developing or Unsatisfactory.
 - (b) through (j) No change.
 - (k) “Educational emergency” exists in a school district if one or more of the schools in the district have a school grade of “D” or “F” pursuant to Section 1001.42(21), F.S. A district with SI schools shall negotiate special provisions of its contract with the appropriate bargaining unit to free schools from contract restrictions that limit the school’s ability to implement programs and strategies needed to improve student performance, a district school board is authorized to adopt salary incentives or other strategies that address the selection, placement, compensation, and expectations of instructional personnel notwithstanding collective bargaining requirements found in Chapter 447, and provide principals with the autonomy described in Section 1012.28(8), F.S.

(l) “Graduation rate” means the percentage of students who earned a standard diploma within four (4) years of their first full year of enrollment in ninth grade in the state as determined by Rule subsection 6A-1.09981(4), F.A.C., School and District Accountability.

- (m) No change.
- (n) “Inexperienced teachers” means a teacher who has been teaching for three years or less.
- (n) through (aa) renumbered to (o) through (bb) No change.
- (cc) “Teacher in need of improvement” means any instructional personnel with a VAM rating below Effective.
- (dd)(bb) No change.

~~(ee)~~ “Value-added model” or “VAM” means the individual student learning growth models based on the statewide standardized assessments authorized in Section 1012.34(7), F.S. Florida Statutes, and further described by Rule 6A-5.0411, F.A.C.

- ~~(ff)~~(dd) No change.
- (3) through (4) No change.
- (5) Support Strategies for SI schools.
 - (a) No change.
 - (b) The support and improvement strategies that must be considered by a district that has any SI school to improve student performance are to:
 - 1. through 2. No change.
 - ~~3. Staff the SI school so that the percentage of instructional personnel with a VAM rating that is below effective is less than the district average if the district has more than five (5) total schools and less than the state average, if the district has five (5) or fewer schools;~~
 - ~~3.4.~~ No change.
 - ~~4.5.~~ No change.
 - ~~5.6.~~ Ensure that K-12 intensive reading instruction is provided by teachers with a reading certificate, endorsement or micro-credential pursuant to Section s. 1011.62(8)(d)7., F.S.;
 - ~~6.7.~~ No change.
 - ~~7.8.~~ Ensure remedial and supplemental instructional resources are prioritized for K-3 students with a substantial deficiency in reading in accordance with the district’s K-12 Comprehensive Evidence-based Reading Plan and for K-5 students with a substantial deficiency in mathematics as provided in Rule 6A-6.0533, F.A.C.; and
 - ~~8.9.~~ No change.
 - (c) The support and improvement strategies that must be implemented by a district that has any SI school to improve student performance are to:
 - 1. through 7. No change.
 - 8. For any Tier 1 schools (except those identified for a graduation rate of sixty-seven percent (67%) or less) and schools implementing a DMT or EO option, ensure that the percentage of inexperienced teachers, instructional personnel in need of improvement and out-of-field instructional personnel assigned to the school is at least or at a minimum, not higher than the district average.
- (6) No change.
- (7) Turnaround Option Plan Types.
 - (a) No change.
 - (b) The four (4) Turnaround Option Plan types are:
 - 1. District-managed Turnaround Option Plan (DMT). DMT is the option through which the school district manages the two-year Turnaround Option Plan at the school.;
 - 2. Reassignment and Closure Turnaround Option Plan (RC). RC is the option through which the district closes the

school, reassigns students to a “C” or higher graded school(s), monitors the progress of those students and provides supports tailored to address student deficiencies.;

3. Charter School Turnaround Option Plan ~~(CH)~~. Charter School TOP CH is the option through which the district contracts with a charter school with a record of effectiveness to operate SI the school. Under this option, the school district temporarily continues to operate the school for the remainder of the school year after selecting the Charter School TOP and the following school year until the charter school operator assumes full operational control of the school.;~~and~~

4. No change.

(8) No change.

(9) District-managed Turnaround (DMT).

(a) DMT-Step One. The district must meet and document the requirements set forth in paragraph (8)(a) of this rule, and the following requirements on the form entitled, District-Managed Turnaround Option Plan–Step 1, TOP-1.

1. Agree to meet the following assurances:

a. through e. No change.

f. Ensure the principal ~~and~~ has a successful record in leading a turnaround school, and the qualifications to support the student population being served;

g. No change.

~~h. Ensure that the percentage of instructional personnel with a VAM rating that is below effective is less than the district average if the district has more than five (5) total schools. If the district has five (5) or fewer schools, ensure that the percentage of instructional personnel assigned to the school with a rating that is below effective, is less than that the state average;~~

~~h.i. Ensure that the instructional personnel who do not have a VAM rating and who do not show evidence of increasing student achievement are not rehired at the school;~~

~~i.j. Ensure that the percentage of inexperienced teachers temporarily certified instructional personnel, instructional personnel with a VAM rating that is below Effective in need of improvement or out-of-field instructional personnel assigned to the school is at least or at a minimum, not higher than the district average; and~~

~~j.k. Ensure that K-12 reading instruction is provided by teachers with a reading certificate, endorsement or micro-credential pursuant to Section ~~s~~ 1011.62(8)(d)7., F.S.;~~

2. through 4. No change.

(b) DMT – Step Two. The district must meet and document the following requirements on the form entitled District-Managed Turnaround Option Plan–Step 2, TOP-2.

1. through 14. No change.

15. Provide information demonstrating that the school meets the instructional staffing requirements set forth above in sub-subparagraph (9)(a)1.h.-j. of this rule.

(10) Reassignment/Closure (RC).

(a) RC-Step One. The district must meet and document the requirements set forth in paragraph (8)(a) of this rule and the following requirements on the form entitled, Turnaround Option Plan–Step 1, TOP-1, 3-Options:

1. No change.

2. Ensure that students from the closed school are not assigned to instructional personnel with VAM ratings or district evaluations that are below Effective;

3. No change.

4. Ensure that for the upcoming school year, instructional personnel from the closed school with VAM ratings that are below Effective are not reassigned to other SI schools within the district;

5. No change.

6. Ensure that, for the upcoming school year, instructional personnel from the closed school who are rated below Effective are not assigned to:

a. A high school or middle school student who was taught by a classroom teacher with a VAM rating that is below Effective for the previous school year in the same subject area.

b. An elementary school student who was taught by a classroom teacher with a VAM rating that is below Effective for the previous school year.

(b) RC-Step Two. The district must meet and document the following requirements on the form entitled, Turnaround Option Plan–Step 2, TOP-2, Reassignment/Closure.

1. No change.

2. Describe how the district will ensure that students from the closed school are not assigned to instructional personnel with VAM ratings or the district evaluations that are below Effective;

3. through 5. No change.

(11) Charter School TOP(CH).

(a) Charter School TOP CH-Step One. The district must meet and document the requirements set forth in paragraph (8)(a) of this rule, and the following requirements on the form entitled, Turnaround Option Plan–Step 1, TOP-1, 3-Options.

1. Ensure the district closes the school and reopens it as a charter or multiple charter schools.;

2. Ensure the district enters into a contract with a charter or multiple charters that have a record of turning around schools that are low-performing with students of similar demographics or a charter school with a record of high performance.;

3. Ensure that the charter school operator has a staffing plan to make certain instructional personnel with VAM ratings or district evaluations that are below Effective do not serve as instructional personnel at the school.;

~~and~~

4. No change.

5. Ensure the charter school operator provides enrollment preference to students who currently attend or who would have otherwise attended or been zoned for the school.

6. Ensure the charter school operator serves the existing grade levels served by the school at its current enrollment or higher.

7. Ensure the district continues to operate the school with the same level of resources after selecting the Charter School TOP and executes a standard charter school turnaround contract, a standard facility lease, and a mutual management agreement for planning and preparation purposes before the charter school operator assumes full operational control of the school.

(b) Charter School TOP ~~CH~~-Step Two. The district must meet and document the following requirements on the form entitled, Turnaround Option Plan-Step 2, TOP-2, Charter.

1. Describe how the district will ensure that the school will close and reopen it as a charter or multiple charters.;

2. Describe how the district will ensure it enters into a contract with a charter organization following established district policy and procedures.;

3. Describe how the district will ensure selection of a charter organization that has a record of turning around a school serving low-performing students who have similar demographics or a charter school with a record of high performance.;

4. Describe how the district will ensure that instructional personnel with VAM ratings or district evaluations that are below Effective are not staffed at the school for the upcoming school year.;

5. No change.

6. Describe how the district will ensure the charter school operator provides enrollment preference to students who currently attend or who would have otherwise attended or been zoned for the school. Include in the description how the district will consult and negotiate with the charter school every three years to determine the appropriate alignment of the attendance zone and ensure that students residing closest to the school are provided with an enrollment preference.

7. Describe how the district will ensure the charter school operator serves the existing grade levels served by the school at its current enrollment or higher or serves additional grade levels.

8. Describe how the district will ensure continued operation of the school with the same level of resources after selecting the Charter School TOP and outline a plan for collaborative efforts with the charter school to facilitate the transition and preparation toward complete operational control of the school.

(c) The district must include an updated DMT, TOP-2 form set forth in paragraph (9)(b) as an addendum to the Charter School-TOP-2 form for sustained operation of the school.

(d)~~(e)~~ The district shall submit to the Department for Cycle Two, Cycle Three and Cycle Four schools as described in

subsection (13) of this rule, a standard charter school turnaround ~~an executed~~ contract, a standard facility lease, and a mutual management agreement with the charter operator, as incorporated in Rule 6A-6.0786, F.A.C., no later than May 1, prior to the implementation of the Turnaround Option Plan.

(12) External Operator/Outside Entity (EO).

(a) EO-Step One. The district must meet and document the requirements set forth in paragraph (8)(a) of this rule, and the following requirements on the form entitled, Turnaround Option Plan-Step 1, TOP-1, 3-Options.

1. through 2. No change.

3. Ensure that the percentage of inexperienced teachers, instructional personnel with a VAM rating that is below Effective or out-of-field instructional personnel assigned to the school is at least or at a minimum, not higher than the district average; instructional personnel with VAM ratings or district evaluations that are below effective are not staffed at the school;

4. through 9. No change.

10. Ensure the district will submit to the Department a MOU required by Section 1001.42(21), F.S., that relieves the school from any contract restrictions that limit the ability to implement strategies to improve the school's low performance;

11. through 12. No change.

(b) EO-Step Two. The district must meet and document the following requirements on the form entitled, Turnaround Option Plan-Step 2, TOP-2.

1. through 5. No change.

6. Provide information demonstrating that the school meets the instructional staffing requirements set forth above in subparagraph (12)(a)3.-5. of this rule. Describe how the district will ensure that instructional personnel with VAM ratings that are below effective are not staffed at the school;

7. through 9. No change.

10. Describe how the instructional and intervention programs for reading are consistent with Section 1001.215(8), F.S.;

11. No change.

12. Describe how remedial and supplemental instruction resources are prioritized for K-3 students with a substantial deficiency in reading in accordance with the district's K-12 Comprehensive Evidence-Based Reading Plan provided under Rule 6A-6.053, F.A.C., and for K-5 students with a substantial deficiency in mathematics provided under Rule 6A-6.0533, F.A.C.;

13. through 15. No change.

(c) No change.

(13) Timeline. The deadlines the district must meet are set forth below.

(a) Tier 1 SI schools:

1. No change.

2. Instructional Staff Rosters are due August 1 ~~30~~; and

3. No change.

(b) Tier 2-SI schools:

1. For DMT, Charter School TOP CH and EO/Outside Entity schools, the SI-1 and SI-2 Checklist forms are due prior to the start of the school year and reviewed by the district at a minimum of three (3) times a year;

2. through 5. No change.

(c) Tier 3 SI schools:

1. For DMT, Charter School TOP CH and EO/Outside Entity schools, the SI-1 and SI-2 Checklist forms must be completed with the Regional School Improvement team prior to the start of the school year and reviewed by the district at a minimum of three (3) times a year;

2. Instructional Staff Rosters are due August 1, except for RC;

3. For DMT schools, MOU is due September 1;

4. TOP-1 is due November 1 of the school year prior to implementation;

5. TOP-2 and proposed contract with an EO/Outside Entity or Charter School TOP CH is due January 31 of the school year prior to implementation; and

6. Executed annual contract with an EO/Outside Entity is ~~or CH~~ due May 1, prior to the school year of implementation of the Turnaround Option Plan.

7. Annual standard charter school turnaround contract, standard facility lease, and mutual management agreement with a charter school operator is due May 1 of the school year in which the school district selects the Charter School TOP and must be executed no later than October 1 of the school year following the selection of the Charter School TOP.

8. The charter school operator must assume full control of the school by July 1 following the year the standard charter school turnaround contract for the Charter School TOP was executed.

(d) through (e) No change.

(14) State Board Approval of District Turnaround Option Plans.

(a) No change.

(b) Approval. The State Board shall approve a Turnaround Option Plan when a school district:

1. No change.

2. Demonstrates that it is more likely than not that the school will improve to a grade of at least a “C” during implementation of the two year Turnaround Option Plan or where a district has selected reassignment and closure (RC), demonstrates that the intervention and instruction to be provided to students from the closed school are sufficiently tailored and robust to improve deficiencies.

(15) through (17) No change.

(18) Community School Improvement Grant Extension

(a) In addition to an extension request under subsection (17), a district implementing a DMT may request additional time to implement the DMT option if the request is approved by the local school board and the following conditions are met:

1. The school has been awarded a community school improvement model grant under Section 1003.64, F.S.;

2. The district provides information explaining the terms of the grant, including services and supports aimed at improving student academic performance; and

3. The district agrees to terminate the extension of DMT and select another turnaround option set forth in subparagraph (7)(b)2.-4. of this rule upon notice from the Department of declining student performance.

(b) Relying upon the DMT plan, including amendments, the terms of the grant and any other information provided by the district, the State Board will grant the extension on an annual basis if the Board determines that the school district has demonstrated that it is more likely than not that the school is on track to improve to a grade of at least a “C” during the term of the grant.

~~(19)(18)~~ No change.

~~(20)(19)~~ Forms. The following forms are hereby incorporated by reference: Form SI-1, Checklist (District Form) (effective December 2024 ~~August 2023~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45722>); Form SI-2, Checklist (School Form) (effective December 2024 ~~August 2023~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45723>); Form PCV-1, Principal Change Verification (effective December 2024 ~~August 2023~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45724>); Form TOP-1, District-managed Turnaround Plan-Step 1 (effective December 2024 ~~August 2023~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45725>); Form TOP-2, District-managed Turnaround Plan-Step 2 (effective December 2024 ~~August 2023~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45726>); Form TOP-1, Turnaround Option Plan-Step 1, 3-Options (effective December 2024 ~~October 2019~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45727>); Form TOP-2, Turnaround Option Plan-Step 2, Reassignment/Closure (effective December 2024 ~~August 2023~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45728>); Form TOP-2, Turnaround Option Plan-Step 2, Charter (effective December 2024 ~~August 2023~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45729>); and Form TOP-2, Turnaround Option Plan-Step 2, External Operator/Outside Entity (effective December 2024 ~~August 2023~~)

(<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-45730>). All forms may be obtained by contacting the BSI,

Division of Public Schools, Department of Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(2)(n), 1008.33 FS. Law Implemented 1001.42(18)(a), 1008.33, 1008.345, 1012.2315 FS. History—New 8-11-10, Amended 8-6-13, 12-23-14, 8-21-18, 10-24-19, 2-21-23, 8-22-23.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Carla Greene, Bureau of School Improvement, Department of Education

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Manny Diaz Jr., Commissioner of Education

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 25, 2024

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: July 26, 2024

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: 6A-10.0245
RULE TITLE: Award of Postsecondary Credit or Career Education Clock Hours for Completion of the Workforce Internship Component of the Step into Success Pilot Program

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Establishing the Step Into Success Pilot Program for awarding postsecondary credit or career education clock hours to eligible, former foster youth participating in the workforce internship component of the Program.

SUMMARY: Establishes the procedure institutions must follow to assess the workforce internship component of the Step into Success Pilot Program to determine awarding of postsecondary credit or career education clock hours for eligible former foster youth participating in the workforce internship component of the Step into Success Pilot Program. The rule sets forth the responsibilities and rights of the institution and establishes the process and the required documentation for the petition for the award of credit.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: This proposed rule is not expected to have any adverse

impact on economic growth, business competitiveness or any other factors listed in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S., and will not require legislative ratification. No increase in regulatory costs are anticipated as a result of the rule changes. More specifically, deleting obsolete courses will have no effect.

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: 1001.02, 409.1455(9), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 409.1455, F.S.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: November 20, 2024, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Caribe Royale Orlando, 8101 World Center Drive, Caribbean 1 and 2, Orlando, FL 32821.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Mike Sfiropoulos, Associate Vice Chancellor, Academic and Student Affairs, Division of Florida Colleges, (850)245-9523 or email Mike.Sfiropoulos@fldoe.org.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-10.0245 Award of Postsecondary Credit or Career Education Clock Hours for Completion of the Workforce Internship Component of the Step into Success Pilot Program.

(1) Purpose. The purpose of this rule is to establish procedures for the award of postsecondary credit or career education clock hours for internship positions held by former foster youth who participated in the onsite workforce training internship component of the Step into Success Pilot Program pursuant to s. 409.1455, F.S. Florida College System institutions that currently have an established procedure for the assessment and award of postsecondary credit or career education clock hours for internships may adhere to their institutional policy in lieu of this procedure, provided that the institution's process results in, at a minimum, the same award of postsecondary college credit or career education clock hours to the student.

(2) Award of postsecondary credit. For purposes of this rule, the award of postsecondary college credit or career education clock hours for completion of the workforce internship component of the Step into Success Pilot Program shall herein be referred to as Credit for the Workforce Internship Component (CWIC). Institutions assessing petitions for the award of CWIC that are not using their own process must adhere to the following:

(a) Each institution is responsible for identifying appropriate subject matter experts to assess and rate petitions

for the award of CWIC and to recommend approval or disapproval based on the knowledge, skills, and expertise acquired in the internship training component aligned to the course learning outcomes of the course(s) being petitioned.

(b) For the award of postsecondary college credit, the institution being petitioned must offer courses in the Statewide Course Numbering System that align with the student's program of study and internship training. For the award of postsecondary clock hour credit, the internship training must align with a program in the Statewide Career and Technical Education Curriculum Frameworks.

(c) Each institution shall not require a fee for the assessment of CWIC.

(d) When CWIC credit is awarded, the credit must be awarded in the following rank order:

1. First, general education courses;
2. Second, program-specific courses; and
3. Third, elective courses.

(3) Student eligibility. To be eligible for consideration of CWIC, students must meet the requirements below:

(a) Complete the onsite workforce training internship component of the Step into Success Pilot Program.

(b) Be a degree or certificate seeking student of the institution from which CWIC is being petitioned.

(c) Meet all college and program admission requirements for the student's program of study in accordance with the institution from which CWIC is being petitioned.

(4) Required documentation. FCS institutions that are assessing a student's internship for the award of CWIC pursuant to the process established herein must determine if an award is warranted based on the incorporated forms described in this subsection. Each institution may establish submission deadlines for Form No. CWIC-02 and Form No. CWIC-03. Within thirty (30) days of Form No. CWIC-02 and Form No. CWIC-03 being received by the institution, Form No. CWIC-04 must be completed by the subject matter expert, provided that there are more than thirty (30) days remaining in the semester during which CWIC was petitioned.

(a) The CWIC Petition form, Form No. CWIC-01, establishes the process at the institution to initiate the petition for CWIC and to track the progress and outcome of the request.

(b) The CWIC Mentor Training Record, Form No. CWIC-02, establishes the process for the intern's assigned mentor, as described in s. 409.1455(7)(b), F.S., to document the training received in the workforce internship component.

(c) The CWIC Equivalency and Course Alignment form, Form No. CWIC-03, establishes the process for interns to provide evidence of the knowledge and skills acquired through participation in the workforce internship component and to demonstrate the alignment with the course learning outcomes of the course(s) being petitioned.

(d) The CWIC Internship Assessment Rubric, Form No. CWIC-04, establishes the process for subject matter experts to assess and rate the equivalency and alignment of the workforce internship component with the appropriate postsecondary course(s) and course description(s). An award is warranted if the student demonstrates mastery of the course learning outcomes, which is indicated by a minimum score of 14 for each course learning outcome (minimum score of 7 for each Item Score) and a minimum score of 70% for the total allowable points for the course learning outcomes as described in Form CWIC-04, CWIC Internship Assessment Rubric.

(e) Institutions may request from the participating organizations additional clarifying information to determine the award of CWIC.

(5) Reporting. Each institution that admits students who have completed the workforce internship component of the Step into Success Pilot Program and that have petitioned the award of CWIC must report by October 1 of each year in a format prescribed by the department the number of students who were enrolled during the prior academic year, the course credit by course prefix and number that was awarded to each student, the student's program of study and whether the student completed a degree program or earned a certificate.

(6) Incorporated documents. The following forms are hereby incorporated by reference and made part of this rule. Copies may be obtained from Division of Florida Colleges, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 1244, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399.

(a) Form No. CWIC-01, CWIC Petition, (DOS link), effective December 2024.

(b) Form No. CWIC-02, CWIC Mentor Training Record, (DOS link), effective December 2024.

(c) Form No. CWIC-03, CWIC Equivalency and Course Alignment, (DOS link), effective December 2024.

(d) Form No. CWIC-04, CWIC Internship Assessment Rubric, (DOS link), effective December 2024.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 409.1455(9), FS. Law Implemented 409.1455, FS. History—New

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Mike Sfiropoulos, Associate Vice Chancellor, Academic and Student Affairs

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Manny Diaz Jr., Commissioner of Education

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 28, 2024

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 1, 2024

Section III
Notice of Changes, Corrections and
Withdrawals

NONE

Section IV
Emergency Rules

NONE

Section V
Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule
Variance or Waiver

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

40E-4.091 Publications, Rules and Interagency Agreements
Incorporated by Reference

The South Florida Water Management District hereby gives notice: On October 25, 2024, the South Florida Water Management District denied Bimini Square, LLC’s (“Petitioner”) Petition for Variance filed on April 2, 2024 (Variance Application No. 240329-43097/Permit No. 36-110649-P, regarding Application No. 230718-39473/Permit No. 36-109871-P), located in Lee County, Florida. The Petition sought a variance from the requirement in Section 3.4 of the “Environmental Resource Permit Applicant’s Handbook Volume II: For Use Within the Geographic Limits of the South Florida Water Management District”, effective May 22, 2016, incorporated by reference in Rules 40E-4.091 and 62-330.010, F.A.C. (“A.H. Vol. II”), which requires building floors to be at or above the 100-year flood elevation. Petitioner sought approval to construct an 8,719 square feet commercial use portion of a mixed-use building with a finished floor elevation of +6.20 National Geodetic Vertical Datum, which is below the 100-year flood elevation. Petitioner demonstrated that the underlying purpose of Chapter 373, Fla. Stat., will be or has been achieved by other means. However, Petitioner failed to demonstrate that strict application of Section 3.4, A.H. Vol. II, has or will result in a substantial hardship to Petitioner. Notice of receipt of the Petition for Variance was published in the Florida Administrative Register, Vol. 50, No. 72 on April 11, 2024.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting:

Regulation Division during the normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays, at 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406; by telephone at (561)682-6911; by e-mail at epermits@sfwmd.gov; or, by accessing the District’s website (www.sfwmd.gov) using the Application/Permit Search on the ePermitting page.

Section VI
Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public
Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER
SERVICES

Division of Administration

The CRAFT Foundation, Inc., Board of Directors, Technical Working Group (TWG) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, November 7, 2024, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: 600 N. Broadway Avenue, Suite 101, Bartow, FL 33830 or join the meeting via Zoom at

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82205010224?pwd=b3k1iGDH1uZUIt7t49YNxESNYCu5A0.1>.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The CRAFT Technical Working Group (TWG) will conduct a meeting to discuss and execute matters of the TWG including, but not limited to, reviewing Cycle Six and ETT Round Three applications.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Steven Hall, Executive Director of CRAFT, at Steven@CRAFTFDN.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: A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Steven Hall, Executive Director of CRAFT, at Steven@CRAFTFDN.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Steven Hall, Executive Director of CRAFT, at Steven@CRAFTFDN.org.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER
SERVICES

Division of Agricultural Environmental Services

The Pest Control Enforcement Advisory Council (PCEAC) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: November 13, 2024, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

PLACE: UF-IFAS Plant Science Research and Education Unit, 2556 W. Highway 318, Citra, Florida 32113

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet, or smartphone.

Web Conference Information -
<https://meet.goto.com/923642141>

Dial in using your phone - (408)650-3123, Access Code 923-642-141

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To address the business of the Council.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Jerry Everton, Chief, Bureau of Licensing and Enforcement, (850)617-7997, Gerald.Everton@fdacs.gov.

For more information, you may contact: Mr. Jerry Everton, Chief, Bureau of Licensing and Enforcement, (850)617-7997, Gerald.Everton@fdacs.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Florida Forest Service

The Florida Forest Service, Friends of Florida State Forests Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, November 6, 2024, 10:00 a.m., EST

PLACE: Participation is virtual and can be accessed by registering at:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/637733679408279384>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: 1. Welcome and Introduction

2. Quorum Check
3. Approval of Minutes (Oct 4, 2023)
4. President's Report
5. Board Action Items
6. Audit Report and Budget Approval
7. New Business

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Bin Wan, State Recreation Coordinator Bin.Wan@FDACS.gov; (850)681-5870

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Division of Blind Services

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

DATE AND TIME: November 7, 2024, 8:30 a.m. until completion of business.

PLACE: Marriott Jacksonville Downtown, 245 Water Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202

Dial-in by phone: (850)583-5063, Conference ID: 728 883 62#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Quarterly Meeting of the Florida Rehabilitation Council for the Blind.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (850)245-9305 or email: DBSRehabCouncil@dbs.fldoe.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: Division of Blind Services, (850)245-0300. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: (850)245-9305 or email: DBSRehabCouncil@dbs.fldoe.org

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Division of Blind Services

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

DATE AND TIME: November 7, 2024, 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Marriott Jacksonville Downtown 245 Water Street Jacksonville, FL 32202

Dial-in by phone

(850)583-5063, Conference ID: 728 883 62#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Florida Rehabilitation Council for the Blind Public Forum

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

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Division of Blind Services (850)245-0300. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: (850)245-9305 or email DBSRehabCouncil@dbs.fldoe.org.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, November 13, 2024, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Embassy Suites Panama City Beach, 16006 Front Beach Road, Panama City Beach

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discuss on coordination of activities related to the update of the Florida Transportation Plan, and related activities. The meeting is open to the public and public comments will be received. The

meeting presentation will be posted on the project website prior to the meeting.

Project Web Site: <https://www.floridaftp.com/>

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Amanda Carpenter, (850)414-4821, Amanda.Carpenter@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: Paula San Gregorio at (850)414-4811 or at paula.sangregorio@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).

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

St. Johns River Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, November 12, 2024, 10:00 a.m., Governing Board meeting

PLACE: District Headquarters, 4049 Reid Street (Hwy 100 West), Palatka, FL 32177

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discussion and consideration of District business including regulatory and non-regulatory matters. Staff may recommend approval of external amendments which affect the adopted budget.

NOTE: One or more Governing Board members may attend and participate in the meeting by means of communications media technology.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention Heather Barnes, 4049 Reid Street, Palatka, FL 32177, or by phone at (386)329-4239, or by visiting the District's website at sjrwmd.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Civil Rights Coordinator at (386)329-4500. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

St. Johns River Water Management District

The Central Florida Water Initiative (CFWI) Regional Water Supply Plan (RWSP) Work Group announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, November 19, 2024, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: The meeting will be held via webinar and conducted through Zoom. Zoom is a free online meeting tool. Register for the meeting by going to the link below:

ZOOM REGISTRATION LINK: <https://sfwmd.link/48nZvI3>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The CFWI is a collaborative effort among government agencies formed to address water resource issues in the area known as the Central Florida Water Initiative Planning Area. Pursuant to section 373.709(1), Florida Statutes, the Steering Committee and Public Meeting is intended to communicate the draft results of the 2025 CFWI RWSP. Members of the public and stakeholders are invited to participate and provide public comment. Additional information about this effort may be found at <https://cfwiwater.com>. NOTE: One or more Governing Board members from each of the three districts named below may attend the meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: <https://cfwiwater.com/meetings/> within seven days of the meeting.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: St. Johns River Water Management District (SJRWMD), Callie Register, (321)473-1328. 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: Callie Register, Regional Water Supply Planning Coordinator, SJRWMD, P.O. Box 1429, Palatka, FL 32178-1429, (321)473-1328, cregister@sjrwmd.com; Kris Esterson, Lead Scientist, South Florida Water Management District, 7345 Greenbriar Pkwy, Orlando, FL 32819, (407)858-6100, ext. 3822, kesterso@sfwmd.gov; or Joseph Quinn, Water Supply Project Manager, Southwest Florida Water Management District, 2379 Broad Street, Brooksville, FL 34604-6899, (352)796-7211, joe.quinn@swfwmd.state.fl.us.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Florida Digital Service

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

DATE AND TIME: November 4, 2024, 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon, ET

PLACE: Virtual

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Cybersecurity Advisory Council Recover Work Group announces its agenda to include cybersecurity reports and recommendations. The public may participate by phone by dialing: United States (toll free) 1(305)224-1968; Phone Conference ID: 274 310 3408.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting:

https://www.dms.myflorida.com/other_programs/cybersecurity_advisory_council.

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: Candace.Wynn@digital.fl.gov or (850)766-0270. 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 MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Florida Digital Service

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

DATE AND TIME: November 4, 2024, 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m., ET

PLACE: Virtual

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Cybersecurity Advisory Council Protect Work Group announces its agenda to include cybersecurity reports and recommendations. The public may participate by phone by dialing: United States 1(305)224-1968; Meeting ID: 274 310 3408.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting:

https://www.dms.myflorida.com/other_programs/cybersecurity_advisory_council

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: Candace.Wynn@digital.fl.gov or (850)766-0270. 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 BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Professional Engineers

The Florida Engineers Management Corporation Nominating Committee announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: November 12, 2024, 1:00 p.m. or soon thereafter

PLACE: via video and/or telephone conference

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: nominate chair and vice chair for 2025 and any other business of the committee.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88295287445>

Meeting ID: 882 9528 7445

1(305)224-1968 US

1(301)715-8592 US (Washington DC)

Meeting ID: 882 9528 7445

Passcode: 8167530560

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Rebecca Sammons, rsammons@fbpe.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 10 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rebecca Sammons, rsammons@fbpe.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: Rebecca Sammons, rsammons@fbpe.org

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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

DATE AND TIME: November 7, 2024, 10:00 a.m., EST

PLACE: Withlacoochee Training Center, Main Classroom, 24059 Childs Rd. Brooksville, FL 34601

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a public meeting of interested stakeholders to discuss the Weeki Wachee Springs Basin Management Action Plan (BMAP). The BMAP is the means for implementation of the adopted Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL). The primary purpose of this meeting is to provide information on the upcoming BMAP updates, including topics on responsible entity requirements and BMAP update next steps.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Chandler Keenan at Chandler.B.Keenan@FloridaDEP.gov.

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, religion, sex, pregnancy, national origin, age, handicap, or marital status. Persons who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) or persons who require translation services (free of charge) are asked to contact DEP's Limited English Proficiency Coordinator at (850)245-2118 or LEP@FloridaDEP.gov at least forty-eight (48) hours before the meeting. If you have a hearing or speech impairment, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, (800)955-8771 (TDD) or (800)955-8770 (voice).

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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

DATE AND TIME: November 7, 2024, 1:30 p.m., EST

PLACE: Withlacoochee Training Center, Main Classroom, 24059 Childs Rd. Brooksville, FL 34601

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a public meeting of interested stakeholders to discuss the Crystal River/Kings Bay and the Homosassa and Chassahowitzka Spring Groups Basin Management Action Plans (BMAPs). The BMAP is the means for implementation of the adopted Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL). The primary purpose of this meeting is to provide information on the upcoming BMAP updates, including topics on responsible entity requirements and BMAP update next steps.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Chandler Keenan at Chandler.B.Keenan@FloridaDEP.gov.

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FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

DATE AND TIME: December 12, 2024, 1:30 p.m., Eastern Time

PLACE: Hyatt Regency Orlando International Airport, 9300 Jeff Fuqua Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32827. The workshop will also be available by webinar. The registration information for the webinar will be posted to the following website once available:

<https://www.floridahousing.org/programs/developers-multifamily-programs/competitive>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This workshop will begin the discussion regarding the Request for Applications Process for the 2025/2026 RFA cycle with the opportunity for the public to provide comments and suggestions.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Bryan A. Barber, (850)488-4197

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Treasury

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

69C-6.003 The Plan; Prescribed Forms

The Division of Treasury, Bureau of Deferred Compensation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: November 7, 2024, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Hermitage Centre, 1801 Hermitage Blvd., Room 440F, Tallahassee, Florida 32308

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a biannual meeting of the Chief Financial Officer's Treasury Deferred Compensation Advisory Council meeting pursuant to Section 112.215, Florida Statutes. The purpose of the meeting is to report on the status of the Deferred Compensation program, including, but not limited to, information on participant enrollment, amount of compensation deferred, total plan assets, product provider performance, and participant satisfaction with the program.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Rosemary Isham (850)413-3414

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Division of Workforce Services

The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: November 6, 2024, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301. Attendance by telephone is also available by calling (850)988-5144 and entering phone conference ID: 261 180 880#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Disposition of cases pending before the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission and Commission business. No public testimony or comment will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: the office of the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission at RAAC.Inquiries@commerce.fl.gov or by visiting <https://floridajobs.org/Reemployment-Assistance-Service-Center/reemployment-assistance-appeals-commission/about-the-reemployment-assistance-appeals-commission2/raac-notices>.

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 24 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: the Commission Clerk at (850)692-0180. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: the Commission Clerk at (850)692-0180.

FLORIDA GAMING CONTROL COMMISSION

The Florida Gaming Control Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, November 7, 2024, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Room 152 in the Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a meeting to discuss general business of the commission.

The public meeting agenda, related documents, and Florida Gaming Control Commission contact information are available by contacting Dixie Parker at dixie.parker@flgaming.gov or (850)880-3433.

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the commission 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.

If you want to make public comment at this meeting, please contact Dixie Parker no less than 24 hours before the start of the meeting at dixie.parker@flgaming.gov.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: dixie.parker@flgaming.gov.

MOFFITT CANCER CENTER & RESEARCH INSTITUTE

The Moffitt Cancer Center & Research Institute (CCRAB) announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: November 1, 2024, 3:00 pm

PLACE: <https://moffitt.zoom.us/j/97374550559>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: CCRAB Leadership Team Meeting to discuss CCRAB business

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Bobbie.McKee@Moffitt.org

FLORIDA WORKERS' COMPENSATION JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION, INC

The FWCJUA Joint Executive Compensation, Operations & Reinsurance Committees announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 3, 2024, 10:00 a.m. (ET)

PLACE: Contact Kathy Coyne at (941)378-7408 to participate.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Agenda topics shall include the 2025 Business Plan & Forecast; disaster recovery matters; 2025 reinsurance program; reinsurance program matters & activities, and executive compensation plan matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathy Coyne or at www.fwcjua.com.

CARPE DIEM COMMUNITY SOLUTIONS, INC.

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, November 13, 2024, 12:00 noon (CST)

PLACE: Online, www.nwflroads.com/calendar

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will hold a virtual project update to present information and gather feedback concerning the resurfacing improvements to U.S. 231 from U.S. 98 (15th Street) to County Road 2312 (Baldwin Road) in Bay County.

This virtual project update can be viewed beginning at 12:00 noon (CST) Wednesday, November 13, 2024, at www.nwflroads.com/calendar.

The intent of this project is to resurface all existing travel lanes, auxiliary lanes, medians, and paved shoulders.

Additional improvements include:

- Upgrading curb ramps, sidewalks, and pedestrian signals to meet current Americans with Disabilities Act standards.
- Adding intersection lighting at 23rd Street and Game Farm Road.

No additional right of way is required. Bids for construction are scheduled to occur early 2026.

Maps, drawings, and other information is available online beginning at

12:00 noon (CST) Wednesday, November 13, 2024, at www.nwflroads.com/calendar. Project materials may also be viewed by contacting the FDOT Project Manager at the below information.

FDOT representatives are available to discuss the proposed improvements, answer questions, and receive comments.

Persons wishing to submit written comments may contact Johnnie Kirkland, FDOT Project Manager, at (850)625-7047, or via email at jkirkland@moffattnichol.com, or by mail at 1141 E. Jackson Avenue, Chipley, FL 32428. The deadline to submit official comments related to this project update is Friday, December 13, 2024.

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

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

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: the FDOT Project Manager using the information above. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: The FDOT Project Manager using the information provided above. You may also contact Ian Satter, FDOT District Three Public Information Director, at (888)638-0250, ext. 1205 or via email at ian.satter@dot.state.fl.us.

Section VII

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