

Section I
Notice of Development of Proposed Rules
and Negotiated Rulemaking

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: **RULE TITLE:**
6A-1.09422 Coordinated Screening and Progress
Monitoring System and Statewide,
Standardized Assessment Program
Requirements

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To establish new concordant scores for the Grade 10 Florida Assessment of Student Thinking (FAST) English Language Arts (ELA) assessment and comparative scores for the Benchmark for Excellent Student Thinking (B.E.S.T.) Algebra 1 End-of-Course (EOC) assessment. Sections 1008.22(9) and (10), (F.S.), provide authority to the State Board of Education to adopt in rule passing scores that are concordant with the grade 10 ELA assessment and passing scores that are comparable to the Algebra 1 EOC assessment. The effect of this change will allow the Department of Education to update the concordant and comparative passing scores in rule, so they are aligned to the current statewide, standardized assessments required for graduating with a standard high school diploma.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Concordant and comparative scores

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1003.4282(3)(a), (b)1., 1003.433(3)(b), 1008.22(15), 1008.25(11), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1001.01, 1001.11, 1003.4282, 1003.433, 1008.22, 1008.25, 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: May 14, 2025, 4:00 p.m. ET, lasting until the conclusion of business

PLACE: <https://events.teams.microsoft.com/event/d76856f9-138e-4330-9d9d-1958cc1fac33@63bf107b-cb6f-4173-8c1c-1406bb5cb794>

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Vince Verges, Assistant Deputy Commissioner, Office of Assessment, 325 W. Gaines Street, Suite 501, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)245-0513.

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, Christian.Emerson@fldoe.org.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS NOT AVAILABLE.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

RULE NO.: **RULE TITLE:**
33-601.727 Visitor Conduct

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Rule amendment is necessary to clarify the age in which a child, of the inmate or the child of a visitor, may be held by the inmate.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Visitation Privileges
RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 944.09, F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 944.09, 944.23, 944.47, 944.8031, 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: Office of the General Counsel, Attn: FDC Rule Correspondence, 501 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, FDCRuleCorrespondence@fdc.myflorida.com. A copy of the preliminary draft may also be obtained using the following link: <http://www.dc.state.fl.us/legal/ch33/notices/index.html>

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling

RULE NO.: **RULE TITLE:**
64B4-2.0025 Qualified Supervisor Definitions and Duties

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes a rule amendment that updates the Qualified Supervisor Definitions and Duties and incorporates application DH-MQA 5049, Qualified Supervisor Statement Instructions and Form.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The rule addresses qualified supervisor definitions and duties.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 491.004(5), 491.005(1)(c), (3)(c), (4)(c) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 491.005(1)(c), (3)(c), (4)(c) 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: Ashleigh K. Irving, Executive Director, Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling, 4052 Bald Cypress Way Bin C-08, Tallahassee, FL 32399-3258, telephone: (850)488-0595, or by electronic mail: Ashleigh.Irving@flhealth.gov
 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 Acupuncture

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B1-3.010 Licensure by Endorsement

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Proposed changes to the form incorporated in the rule reflect new requirements for applicants for licensure to submit to background screening requirements, in accordance with s. 456.0135, Florida Statutes. Applicants are required to apply to the Department of Health on Form DH-MQA-5101, Mobile Opportunity by Interstate Licensure Endorsement (MOBILE) (Revised 3/25), which is incorporated by reference in the rule. The new background screening requirements will go into effect beginning July 1, 2025.

SUMMARY: Proposed changes to the form incorporated in the rule reflect new requirements for applicants for licensure to submit to background screening requirements, in accordance with s. 456.0135, Florida Statutes. Applicants are required to apply to the Department of Health on Form DH-MQA-5101, Mobile Opportunity by Interstate Licensure Endorsement (MOBILE) (Revised 3/25), which is incorporated by reference in the rule. The new background screening requirements will go into effect beginning July 1, 2025.

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: 456.0145(5), 457.104 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.0145(2), 457.105 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: Stephanie Webster, Executive Director, Board of Acupuncture, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C06, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257, Stephanie.Webster@flhealth.gov

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B1-3.010 Licensure by Endorsement.

The Board of Acupuncture shall license by endorsement applicants who:

- (1) Apply to the Department on form DH-MQA-5101, Mobile Opportunity by Interstate Licensure Endorsement (MOBILE) (Revised 3/25 ~~7/24~~), hereby incorporated by reference, which may be obtained from <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-47286>, or the Board of Acupuncture, Department of Health, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C-06, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3252 or at <http://floridasspeechaudiology.gov/resources/>; and

- (2) through (4) No Change.

Rulemaking Authority 456.0145(5), 457.104 FS. Law Implemented 456.0145(2), 457.105 FS. History—New 10-1-89, Amended 2-27-92, Formerly 21AA-3.010, 61F1-3.010, Amended 2-20-96, Formerly 59M-3.010, Amended 4-7-98, 2-22-01, 2-7-17, 8-9-18, 9-22-21, 8-20-23, 12-22-24, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Acupuncture

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

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: March 21, 2025

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT
PUBLISHED IN FAR: April 1, 2025

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Acupuncture

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
64B1-4.0011 Documentation Necessary for Licensure
Application

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Proposed changes to the form incorporated in the rule reflect new requirements for applicants for licensure to submit to background screening requirements, in accordance with s. 456.0135, Florida Statutes. Applicants are required to apply to the Department of Health on Form DH-MQA-1116, Application for Acupuncture License (Revised 3/25), which is incorporated by reference in rule 64B1-4.0011, F.A.C. The new background screening requirements will go into effect beginning July 1, 2025.

SUMMARY: Proposed changes to the form incorporated in the rule reflect new requirements for applicants for licensure to submit to background screening requirements, in accordance with s. 456.0135, Florida Statutes. Applicants are required to apply to the Department of Health on Form DH-MQA-1116, Application for Acupuncture License (Revised 3/25), which is incorporated by reference in rule 64B1-4.0011, F.A.C. The new background screening requirements will go into effect beginning July 1, 2025.

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: 456.013(1)(a), 456.048(1), 457.104 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.048, 456.013(1), 456.0635, 457.105 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: Stephanie Webster, Executive Director, Board of Acupuncture, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C06, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B1-4.0011 Documentation Necessary for Licensure Application.

A properly completed application shall be submitted on Department of Health Form, DH-MQA 1116, ~~3/2025~~ 9/2024, Application for Acupuncture License, adopted and incorporated herein by reference as this Board’s application and available on the web at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-47287>, or <https://floridaacupuncture.gov/resources/>. To complete the application, attach the appropriate fees and supporting documents and submit it to the address listed on the instructions.

Rulemaking Authority 456.013, 456.048, 457.104, 457.105 FS. Law Implemented 456.048, 456.013(1), 456.0635, 457.105 FS. History—New 2-18-98, Amended 10-11-04, 5-25-09, 8-5-10, 10-23-13, 2-8-17, 4-1-19, 9-30-19, 10-27-20, 8-30-23, 12-22-24, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Board of Acupuncture

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

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: March 21, 2025

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: April 1, 2025

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
64B16-27.410 Guidelines for Pharmacist Supervision of
More than One Registered Pharmacy
Technician

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes to repeal the rule due to updated text being placed in another rule.

SUMMARY: The rule will be repealed due to updated text being placed in another rule.

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: 465.005, 465.014, 465.017, 465.022 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 465.014, 465.022 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: Traci Zeh, Executive Director, Board of Pharmacy, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258 or by email at info@Floridaspharmacy.gov.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B16-27.410 Guidelines for Pharmacist Supervision of More than One Registered Pharmacy Technician.

Rulemaking Authority 465.005, 465.014, 465.017, 465.022 FS. Law Implemented 465.014, 465.022 FS. History—New 2-14-77, Amended 3-31-81, Formerly 21S-4.02, Amended 8-31-87, Formerly 21S-4.002, Amended 9-9-92, Formerly 21S-27.410, 61F10-27.410, Amended 1-30-96, Formerly 59X-27.410, Amended 2-23-98, 10-15-01, 1-1-10, 1-7-15, 7-6-15, 5-8-18, 1-16-19, 12-12-24, Repealed.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:

Board of Pharmacy

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

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: February 20, 2025

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Pharmacy

RULE NO.: 64B16-27.4001 **RULE TITLE:**

Delegation to and Supervision of Pharmacy Technicians; Responsibility of Supervising Pharmacist

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to update the delegations of tasks; and provides guidelines for supervision of technicians.

SUMMARY: The guidelines for supervision of technicians and delegations of tasks will be updated.

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: 465.005, 465.014(1), 465.0155(1), 465.022 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 465.014 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: Traci Zeh, Executive Director, Board of Pharmacy, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258 or by email at info@Floridaspharmacy.gov.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B16-27.4001 Delegation to and Supervision of Pharmacy Technicians; Responsibility of Supervising Pharmacist.

(1) Delegation: A pharmacist shall not delegate more tasks than he or she can personally supervise and ensure compliance with this rule. A pharmacist may delegate ~~those~~ non-discretionary ~~delegable~~ tasks ~~enumerated in Rule 64B16-27.420, F.A.C.~~, to the following ~~types of pharmacy technicians~~:

- (a) through (b) No change.
- (2) No change.

(3) Technician Supervision Guidelines

The determination to utilize more than one technician shall be made by the supervising pharmacist, in consultation with the Prescription Department Manager or Consultant Pharmacist of Record, based on the guidelines as outlined within this section. No person, permittee, or licensee shall interfere with the exercise of the supervising pharmacist's independent professional judgment in determining whether to utilize more than one technician, which may be based on the following guidelines:

- (a) The necessity to support the dispensing or service volume;
- (b) The necessity to provide technical support for the clinical services provided;
- (c) The level of education, training and experience of the technicians;
- (d) Other support personnel including additional pharmacists and pharmacy interns;
- (e) The level of education, training, and experience of the supervising pharmacist.
- (f) The level of centralized or alternative support such as, but not limited to, remote processing, centralized filling or phone support;
- (g) The level of automation or other technology within the pharmacy;
- (h) The level of supervision necessary based on the tasks being performed;
- (i) Aspects of patient care that require a pharmacist's or technician's attention;

(j) The type of medications or other services being offered;

(k) Security measures employed.

Rulemaking Authority 465.005, 465.014(1), 465.0155(1), 465.022FS. Law Implemented 465.014 FS. History—New 12-31-14, Amended 12-17-18, 11-3-20, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Board of Pharmacy

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

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: February 20, 2025

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: March 31, 2025

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Podiatric Medicine

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B18-24.001 Initial Certification for Podiatric X-Ray Assistants

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes a rule amendment intended to update the language and clarify the application process for licensure to conform with the new and amended statutes.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule amendment updates the language and clarifies the application for initial certification for podiatric x-ray assistants.

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: 461.005, 461.0135 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.013, 456.013(2), 456.025(1), 456.0635, 461.003(2), 461.0135 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: Ashleigh Irving, Executive Director, Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258, at (850)245-4292, or by email: Ashleigh.Irving@flhealth.gov.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B18-24.001 Initial Certification for Podiatric X-Ray Assistants.

(1) No Change.

(2) An applicant for licensure by endorsement pursuant to section 456.0145(2), F.S., shall submit as part of his or her application DH-MQA-5101 (eff. 1/2025), Mobile Opportunity by Interstate Licensure Endorsement (MOBILE), which is incorporated herein by reference and which may be obtained from <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref->, the Board office, or at the Board’s website <https://floridaspodiatricmedicine.gov/>. Applicants for licensure shall meet and comply with all requirements in Section 456.0145(2), F.S.

(2) through (3) renumbered (3) through (4) No Change.

Rulemaking Authority 456.0145(5), 461.005, 461.0135 FS. Law Implemented 456.013, 456.013(2), 456.0145, 456.025(1), 456.0635, 461.003(2), 461.0135 FS. History—New 2-16-00, Amended 8-31-08, 12-25-11, 11-21-12, 11-23-16, 2-7-18, 4-18-21, 11-23-22, 8-27-24,_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Podiatric Medicine
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Podiatric Medicine
DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: January 31, 2025
DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: March 31, 2025

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 HEALTH

Board of Dentistry

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B5-14.003 Training, Education, Certification, and Requirements for Issuance of Permits

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 11, 2025, the Board of Dentistry, received a petition for variance or waiver filed by Lee Silverstein, DDS, MS, MBA, FACS, FICD, regarding paragraph 64B5-14.003(2)(b), F.A.C, which sets for the requirements to be qualified for a Moderate Sedation Permit. Petitioner seeks to have the Board waive or grant a variance to the requirements set forth in (2)(b) and accept his training, licensure and experience in lieu of the requirements described and grant his Moderate Sedation Permit. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Dentistry within 14 days of publication of this notice.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Traci Zeh, Executive Director, Board of Dentistry/MQA, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C04, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258; Traci.Zeh@flhealth.gov

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Physical Therapy Practice

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B17-3.002 Licensure Examination and Passing Score; Laws and Rules Examination; Additional Requirements After Third Failure

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 10, 2025, the Board of Physical Therapy Practice, received a petition for

variance submitted by Paul Underwood. Petitioner is seeking a permanent variance of subsection 64B17-3.002(1), F.A.C., which states, an applicant for licensure by examination who has previously taken the NPTE examination must have obtained a passing score on the NPTE examination within the five (5) years immediately prior to the filing of the application for licensure.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Allen Hall, Executive Director, Board of Physical Therapy Practice, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3253, Allen.Hall@flhealth.gov.

Section VI Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Historical Resources

The Division of Historical Resources announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 22, 2025, 1:30 p.m. to conclusion.

PLACE: R.A. Gray Building, 500 S. Bronough St., Tallahassee, FL 32399, and via Zoom: <https://dos-myflorida.zoom.us/j/87503479696>

Meeting ID: 875 0347 9696 / Passcode: 880698

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
Meeting of the Friends of Florida History, Inc., Citizen Support Organization

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Melissa Brock at (850)245-6449 or melissa.brock@dos.fl.gov.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Melissa Brock at (850)245-6449 or melissa.brock@dos.fl.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If 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: Melissa Brock at (850)245-6449 or melissa.brock@dos.fl.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Consumer Services

The Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: April 30 – May 2, 2025:

April 30, 2025, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., Rules Committee

April 30, 2025, 2:00 p.m., Probable Cause Panel. The Probable Cause Panel meeting is closed to the public except for portions, if any, which deal with disciplinary cases that have already become public.

May 1, 2025, 8:30 a.m., Committee Meetings and General Business Session

May 2, 2025, 8:30 a.m. Complete General Business Session.

PLACE: Embassy Suites by Hilton, 950 South Ocean Drive, Deerfield Beach, Florida 33441

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers Committee Meetings and General Business Meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Christopher Green, Executive Director, Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers, 2005 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-6500, (850)410-3773. One week prior to the meeting date, the agenda will also be available online at: <https://www.fdacs.gov/News-Events/Event-Calendar>.

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: Christopher Green at (850)410-3773. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

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

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 22, 2025, 2:00 p.m. via

Microsoft Teams (UPDATED DATE AND TIME)
 PLACE: Microsoft Teams Meeting (Please contact Megan Neel at MeganNeel@fdle.state.fl.us for the link)
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The State Immigration Enforcement Council, an advisory council as defined in s. 20.03, is created within the State Board of Immigration Enforcement for the purpose of advising the board. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Megan Neel at MeganNeel@fdle.state.fl.us
 Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Megan Neel at MeganNeel@fdle.state.fl.us. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
 Property Tax Oversight Program
 The DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: May 13, 2025, 10:00 a.m.
 PLACE: Brevard County Government Center, 2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Building C, 3rd Floor, Viera, Florida, and via webinar. Anyone wishing to participate in this public meeting via webinar must register at <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/377736566596320345>.
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This public meeting will receive public comment on draft updates to the Florida Real Property Appraisal Guidelines (Guidelines) in accordance with ss. 195.062 and 195.032, F.S. The draft Guidelines update statutory citations and case law; consolidate related topics into fewer sections; remove repetitive and obsolete language; and reformat the Guidelines for clarity. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mike Cotton, Property Tax Oversight Program, telephone (850)617-8870, or email: DORPTO@floridarevenue.com, or by visiting the Department's Open Government webpage at <https://floridarevenue.com/opengovt/Pages/meetings.aspx>. 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: Mike Cotton at (850)617-8870. 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: Mike Cotton, Property Tax Oversight Program, telephone (850)617-8870, or email: DORPTO@floridarevenue.com.

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS
 South Florida Regional Planning Council
 The South Florida Regional Planning Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: Thursday, April 24, 2025, 10:30 a.m.
 PLACE: 1 Oakwood Boulevard, Suite 250, Hollywood, FL 33020
 Join Zoom Meeting,
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83209397527?pwd=EbG6hxvkhpfLm5wBkC8tYiO8oh2rI1.1>
 Meeting ID: 832 0939 7527, Passcode: 804966
 Find your local number:
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/keAHb63UZS>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:
 Monthly Board Meeting – Executive Committee
 A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Administration at the South Florida Regional Planning Council, 1 Oakwood Boulevard, Suite 250, Hollywood, Florida 33020; (954)924-3653; or sfadmin@sfrpc.com
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WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS
 South Florida Water Management District
 The South Florida Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: Friday, April 25, 2025, 11:00 a.m.
 Big Cypress Basin Board Meeting

PLACE: Collier County Board of County Commissioners Chambers, 3299 Tamiami Trail East, 3rd Floor, Naples, FL 34112

Members of the public may participate and provide public comment in-person or via Zoom, a media technology free for the public to use.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a public meeting of the Big Cypress Basin Board to discuss and consider activities impacting the Big Cypress Basin of the South Florida Water Management District. The public and stakeholders will have an opportunity to view and comment on the meeting by attending in person or utilizing the following link: <https://sfwmd.link/4fGsvxb>. The link will go live at approximately 11:00 a.m. on April 25, 2025.

The Big Cypress Basin Board may take official action at the meeting on any item appearing on the agenda and on any item that is added to the agenda as a result of a change to the agenda approved by the presiding officer of the meeting pursuant to Section 120.525, Florida Statutes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Lisa Koehler at lkoehler@sfwmd.gov. The agenda will be posted to the District's website www.SFWMD.gov/meetings, seven days prior to the meeting.

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

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For more information, you may contact: Lisa Koehler at lkoehler@sfwmd.gov

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Accountancy

The Florida Board of Accountancy Educational Advisory Committee announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 20, 2025, 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Teleconference

Dial-In-Number: 1(888)585-9008

Conference Room Number: 624-410-563

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Educational Advisory Committee meets to consider items relating to the education requirements.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Karan Lee, Florida Board of Accountancy, 240 NW 76th Drive, Suite A, Gainesville, Florida 32607

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

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For more information, you may contact: Karan Lee

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

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

DATE AND TIME: April 17, 2025, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: 21500 Gibraltar Drive, Port Charlotte, FL

TEAMS: 292 418 991

Passcode: vP3mu92A

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Charlotte County Alliance Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: janet.schreyer@myflfamilies.com

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68B-2.006 Restricted Species Endorsement

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: April 29, 2025, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (ET)

PLACE: St. Johns River State College, Building V, 2990 College Drive, St. Augustine FL 32084

If you have questions regarding this workshop, please contact the Division of Marine Fisheries Management at (850)487-0554 for more information.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) is holding an in-person public workshop to gather input on regulation and management of commercial and recreational oyster harvest in Florida, and specifically in Apalachicola Bay. FWC is seeking input on licensing requirements for fishery participants, bag limits, seasons, tolerances for undersized attached and unattached oysters, enforcement of undersized oysters in a certified oyster house, modifying how harvest units are measured. Staff will provide a presentation on oyster management. Public feedback gathered during this workshop will be considered when developing rule recommendations for the Commission.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jessica McCawley, 620 South Meridian St., Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)487-0554.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The ADA Coordinator, at (850)488-6411. 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: Jessica McCawley, 620 South Meridian St., Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)487-0554.

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Marine Fisheries

RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:

- 68B-27.013 Definitions
- 68B-27.014 Statewide Bag Limits on Oyster Harvesting
- 68B-27.015 Oyster Size Limit
- 68B-27.016 Oyster Harvest Monitoring
- 68B-27.017 Apalachicola Bay Oyster Harvesting Restrictions
- 68B-27.0175 West Bay (Bay County) Oyster Harvesting Restrictions
- 68B-27.018 Statewide Harvesting Restrictions
- 68B-27.019 Seasons
- 68B-27.020 Applicability to Oysters on Leased Parcels

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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: April 23, 2025, 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.

PASCO-PINELLAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING

The Area Agency on Aging of Pasco-Pinellas, Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, April 21, 2025, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Internal Services Building, Multipurpose Room #129, 7536 State Street, New Port Richey, FL 34654

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Items related to Area Agency on Aging of Pasco-Pinellas, Inc. business and Board of Directors oversight.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Nora Fitzpatrick, (727)570-9696, ext. 233

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For more information, you may contact: Nora Fitzpatrick, (727)570-9696, ext. 233

QUINCY-GADSDEN AIRPORT AUTHORITY

The Quincy-Gadsden Airport Authority announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, April 21, 2025, 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: Quincy Municipal Airport Terminal Conference Room, 1300 Airport Drive, Quincy, FL

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To hold a Board Workshop on admin and maintenance sub-contracts at 5:00 p.m. and then to hold the regular monthly meeting of the Quincy-Gadsden Airport Authority at 5:30 p.m. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Janice Watson, QGAA, PO Box 1905, Quincy, FL 32353, quincyairport@tds.net, (850)643-7752

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FLORIDA WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE GUARANTY ASSOC., INC.

The FWCIGA Board of Directors' announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: April 30, 2025, 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Orlando, FL & Conference Call

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Board will meet to discuss the general business of the Association. The agenda will include but not limited to: Minutes, Receiver's Report, Financial, Claims and Committee Reports.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Susan Ferguson, (850)386-9200

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For more information, you may contact: Susan Ferguson, (850)0386-9200

ARDURRA GROUP, INC.

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), Florida's Turnpike Enterprise (Enterprise) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Virtual/Online and Phone-In: April 21, 2025, 6:00 p.m. (Options 1 and 2)

In-Person: April 22, 2025, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. (Option 3)

PLACE: Option 1: Virtual/Online via a computer, tablet, or smartphone

Option 2: By telephone in listen-only mode. Call 1(415)930-5321 and enter audio access code 161-413-255

Option 3: In-Person at the Tom Fellows Community Center, 207 North Boulevard West, Davenport, FL 33837.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Financial Project Identification Number 451419-1

Project Description: Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study for Central Polk Parkway East from US 17/92 to Poinciana Connector in Polk County

The study will evaluate alternatives for a new tolled, limited-access highway from US 17/92, south of Power Line Road extension, to the future Poinciana Connector (SR 538). Access points will be evaluated at US 17/92, the future Poinciana Connector (SR 538) and another location to be determined. This meeting will give interested persons an opportunity to review

the project alternatives being considered, ask questions, and provide comments concerning the conceptual design and potential social, economic, and environmental effects of the proposed improvements.

Visit the project website, www.CentralPolkParkwayEast.com to register to attend the Alternatives Public Information Meeting virtually. Please note that registration works best in Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge, Safari, or Firefox web browsers. Once registered, you will receive a confirmation email that includes instructions on how to join the meeting virtually. Registration is not required for in-person attendance. Displays that show the study area will be available along with informational videos. All meeting materials that will be on display at the in-person meeting will be posted to the project website on the day of the virtual meeting.

For assistance registering for the Alternatives Public Information Meeting, or for additional information, please contact Jazlyn Heywood, P.E., Project Manager, at (407)264-3298 or by email at Jazlyn.Heywood@dot.state.fl.us. Persons wishing to submit questions or comments may do so at the meeting or may contact the Project Manager. While comments and questions will be accepted at any time, we ask that those in connection with these public information meetings be submitted by May 2, 2025.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jazlyn Heywood, P.E., Project Manager. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least seven (7) days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Jazlyn Heywood, P.E., Project Manager. If any person requires translation services (free of charge), please also advise the Project Manager at least seven (7) days before the meeting. 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: Jazlyn Heywood, P.E., Project Manager at (407)264-3298 or by email at Jazlyn.Heywood@dot.state.fl.us

INFINITE SOURCE COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, LLC

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

DATES AND TIMES: The Public Hearing will be held virtually and in-person on separate days. The virtual meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 22, 2025, 5:30 p.m. The in-person meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 23, 2025, 5:00 p.m. A formal Presentation will begin at 6:00 p.m. Questions and comments may be submitted during the

comment period after the formal presentation. All comments must be submitted by Wednesday, May 7, 2025. All questions, comments or statements postmarked on or before Wednesday, May 7, 2025 will become part of the Public Hearing record. The same information will be presented at both the virtual and the in-person for the Public Hearing, so attending both is not necessary.

PLACE: Participants are requested to register in advance for the virtual experience. To register for the Public Hearing, please use the following link <https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/2457298983106713944>. For the in-person experience please see meeting address location below.

To join by phone, please dial +1(562)247-8422, Access Code, 341-934-266. If using a mobile device, the free “GoToWebinar” application is required to attend. Please allow adequate log-in time to view the presentation in its entirety. Questions and comments may be submitted via the virtual chat feature during the Open House of the virtual Public Hearing. For the in-person meeting, doors will open at 5:00 p.m. for all attendees. Staff will be available to answer questions and to provide assistance.

Indian River State College, Chastain Campus
2400 SE Salerno Road, Stuart, Florida 34997

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will hold a virtual and in-person Public Hearing to present information and gather feedback from the public concerning the Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study for Cove Road from State Road (SR) 76/Kanner Highway to SR-5/US-1. The project identification number is 441700-1-22-02. The proposed project improvements along Cove Road from SR 76 to US 1 include roadway widening from two to four travel lanes, a bicycle and pedestrian shared-use path, and intersection reconfigurations. The project will enhance the community by accommodating planned development growth, improve safety by incorporating street lighting and several roundabout intersections, and facilitate access to the regional highway network with decreased evacuation and emergency response times.

All exhibits presented at the Public Hearing can be viewed electronically on the project website www.CoveRoadStudy.com.

The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable federal environmental laws for this project, are being, or have been, carried out by FDOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. § 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated May 26, 2022, and executed by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and FDOT.

If you would like to review the project documents prior to the Public Hearing, they will be available to the public beginning

on April 1, 2025, at the Robert Morgade Library located at 5851 SE Community Drive, Stuart, Florida 34997 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Wednesday: 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The documents are also available on the project website. The documents will remain on display through May 7, 2025.

Community feedback is at the core of all we do. FDOT works with the public to balance their community vision with the community's transportation needs. This is routine on all our projects to ensure Florida's infrastructure is safe, resilient, and efficient for many years into the future.

Notices are being sent to all property owners and tenants located within at least 300 feet on either side of the proposed alignment and to other public officials, regulatory agencies, organizations, and individuals that have expressed interest in the project.

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

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Vanita Saini, P.E., FDOT Project Manager, FDOT, 3400 West Commercial Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, (954)777-4468, toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, ext. 4468 or by email at vanita.saini@dot.state.fl.us or visit the project website at www.CoveRoadStudy.com.

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For more information, you may contact: Questions and comments may be submitted prior to the meeting by e-mailing the Project Manager. Persons wishing to submit written statements or any other information, in place of or in addition to oral statements at the In-Person Public Hearing or on the project website, may do so at the In-Person Hearing or by sending them to Vanita Saini, P.E., FDOT Project Manager.

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). All exhibits presented at the Public Hearing can be viewed electronically on the project website www.CoveRoadStudy.com.

For more information, and to obtain a copy of the agenda and the newsletter you may contact Ms. Vanita Saini, P.E., FDOT

Project Manager, FDOT, 3400 West Commercial Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, (954)777-4468, toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, ext. 4468 or by email at vanita.saini@dot.state.fl.us or visit the project website at www.CoveRoadStudy.com.

PATEL, GREENE AND ASSOCIATES, PLLC

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

DATES AND TIMES: [In-person] Tuesday, April 22, 2025, 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

[Virtual] Thursday, April 24, 2025, 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: [In-person] LaBelle Civic Center, 481 W Hickpochee Ave., LaBelle, FL 33935

[Virtual] Register via Microsoft Teams here: <https://bit.ly/3DONJeR>

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This design project seeks to improve the safety and operations of SR 80 through LaBelle. The roadway modifications include intersection reconfigurations, the addition of raised medians to the existing two-way left-turn lanes, and a new traffic signal at the intersection of Dr. Martin Luther King Blvd. Additional project elements include addressing any needed structural or drainage deficiencies. All project elements are anticipated to occur within the existing public right-of-way. The project team will share a presentation compiling the recommended design solutions developed in collaboration with the community. For your convenience, the FDOT is providing multiple options for participation in the public meeting. Attendees will be able to view project exhibits, ask questions, and review the updated design with members of the project team. If you have questions or comments regarding the project,

please share them with us during the live in-person meeting, during the live virtual meeting or through the project website (<https://www.swflroads.com/project/447878-1>). Meeting materials will be available for review on the project website on April 15, 2025.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: FDOT Project Manager, David Agacinski, by mail at 10041 Daniels Parkway, Fort Myers, FL 33913-7785, by phone at (239)225-1924 or by email at David.Agacinski@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: Cynthia Sykes, District One Title VI Coordinator at (863)519-2287, or email at Cynthia.Sykes@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).

Section VII
Notice of Petitions and Dispositions
Regarding Declaratory Statements

NONE

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 EDUCATION

University of Florida

UF-702 Utility Infrastructure Upgrades Professional Consultant

NOTICE TO PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS:

The University of Florida Board of Trustees announces that Professional Services in the discipline of Engineering will be required for the project listed below:

Project: UF-702, Utility Infrastructure Upgrades (University of Florida, main campus – Gainesville)

This project is proposed to address safety, deferred maintenance, capacity, and reliability issues for utility infrastructure serving the core of campus adjacent to current projects at the Ben Hill Griffin Stadium, the Hamilton Center, and the Disability Resource Center.

A study has been conducted to analyze and inform the selected design team concerning recommendations for improvements to the steam, chilled water, electrical, sanitary sewer, storm sewer, potable water, and reclaimed water distribution, and to the telecommunications infrastructure. These aging systems must be upgraded to support the new projects coming online in the near future, ensuring long-term performance and sustainability for the campus community. Construction must be coordinated with adjacent projects. The results of the study will be shared with the shortlisted design teams.

The estimated construction budget is approximately \$120,000,000, including, but not limited to, all work described above, all excavation, demolition & prep, roadway connection for circulation to adjacent roads, sidewalks, and connections to distributed utilities. The project will be delivered using the Construction Manager At-Risk method.

The selected firm will provide design, construction documents and construction administration services for the referenced project. Plans and specifications for University of Florida projects are subject to reuse.

Blanket design professional liability insurance will be required from the mechanical, electrical, plumbing, fire protection, structural, and civil engineering consultants for this project and will be provided as a part of Basic Services. The selected applicant will also be required to provide insurance coverage for General Liability, Automotive Liability, and Workers' Compensation.

Applicants will be evaluated on the basis of their past performance, experience, personnel, design ability, references, workload, and responses to questions posed both in the shortlist and interview phases. The Selection Committee may reject all proposals and stop the selection process at any time.

At the time of application, the applicant and its landscape architectural and engineering consultants must possess current design licenses from the appropriate governing board and be properly registered to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, it must be chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida.

Applicants desiring to apply for consideration shall submit a qualifications package only after thoroughly reviewing the project-specific PQS forms, PQS Instructions, Project Fact Sheet, UF Design and Commissioning Services Guide, UF Design and Construction Standards, standard University of Florida Owner-Professional agreement, and other project and

process information. For more information on this project and the Professional submittal and selection process, see the project-specific page of the Planning Design & Construction website: <https://facilities.ufl.edu/projects/selection-notice/>
 As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, an applicant may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected professional must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$15,000.00 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list. Incomplete proposals will be disqualified. Submittal materials will not be returned.

Additional information to assist the applicant in preparing a complete proposal – including the project-specific PQS forms, instructions, Project Fact Sheet, facilities program, UF Design and Commissioning Services Guide, UF Design and Construction Standards, standard University of Florida Owner-Professional agreement, and other project and process information – can be found on the Planning Design & Construction website.

Finalists may be provided with supplemental interview requirements and criteria as needed.

Provide the number of copies prescribed in the Project Fact Sheet. Submittals must be received in the Planning Design & Construction office by 3:00 PM local time, on Wednesday, May 14, 2025. Facsimile (FAX) submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
 Division of Recreation and Parks
 Invitation to Bid BDC49-24/25 Topsail – Facilities Redevelopment
 NOTICE OF INVITATION TO BID: The Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Design and Construction, is soliciting formal, competitive, sealed bids from contractors for bid number BDC49-24/25, Topsail – Facilities Redevelopment. More info @ <https://tinyurl.com/ffszx2b3>

DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE
 "RFP 10891- Public Meeting"
 The Department is seeking a twenty-four (24)-bed moderate-risk residential program for males appropriate for residential placement, between the ages of thirteen (13) and eighteen (18) and who need Substance Abuse Treatment Overlay Services (SAOS) and Mental Health Overlay Services (MHOS).

Program services are to include innovations in delinquency programming and treatment services, as described in Attachment A, Services Sought, Attachment A-1, Health and Nursing Services, the Substance Abuse Treatment Overlay Services Attachment, and the Mental Health Overlay Services Attachment. The Department shall allow for the flexibility of beds, based on the Department’s needs for treatment services. The program shall be in a Department-owned building located at 3090 Powerline Road, Pompano Beach, Florida 33069 in DJJ’s South Region. All public meetings for this RFP are advertised on the Vendor Information Portal at: <https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/search/bids>

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., Tuesday, April 8, 2025, and 3:00 p.m., Monday, April 14, 2025.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
5E-14.1025	4/9/2025	4/29/2025
5E-14.105	4/9/2025	4/29/2025
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60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****
65C-9.004	3/31/2022	**/**/****

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
Office of the Secretary
Florida State Clearinghouse

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

VILLAGE OF ESTERO

Notice of Receipt of Unsolicited Proposal - Development of Village Center Hub

PUBLIC NOTICE

VILLAGE OF ESTERO, FLORIDA

Notice of Receipt of Unsolicited Proposal

Development of Village Center Hub

Located at 9000 Williams Road Estero, FL 33928

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Village of Estero, a municipal corporation of the State of Florida, has received an unsolicited proposal for a qualifying public-private partnership

project pursuant to Section 255.065, Florida Statutes, for a sports and recreation use being contemplated as part of its Village Center Hub (“Project”).

The Village will accept additional proposals for this Project by the close date and time indicated in the solicitation details. Proposals must be submitted online through the IonWave system: <https://estero.ionwave.net/>. For more information about the Project, visit IonWave. All factual questions must be submitted in the Q & A tab on IonWave, and answers will be published weekly.

Pursuant to Florida Statutes § 119.071(1)(b)(2), sealed proposals will be exempt from disclosure under the Florida Public Records Act until such time as the agency provides notice of an intended decision or until 30 days after opening the bids, proposals, or final replies, whichever is earlier.

Any proposal received after closing date will not be opened or considered. Responsibility for submitting timely proposals rests solely with parties submitting proposals. The Village will not be responsible for any delays caused by system or internet problems. There is no fee associated with this application process.

As the Village evaluates Proposals, it will consider the factors set forth in Section 255.065, Florida Statutes. The Village reserves the right to reject any or all proposals as provided under Section 255.065, Florida Statutes, and to negotiate and award an interim agreement and/or comprehensive agreement with the proposer whose proposal best serves the interests of the Village. Nothing contained in this notice is intended to be an obligation or binding agreement by the Village regarding the Project.

All proposals received in response to this Notice will become the property of the Village of Estero and will not be returned. All proposals and related information received will be subject to the applicable provisions of Section 255.065, Florida Statutes, and the Florida Public Records Law.

Section XIII
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DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

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