Section I
Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares and Mobile Homes

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
61B-22.005 Reserves

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed rulemaking amends Rule 61B-22.005 to clarify language about adjustments to annual reserve funding amount and language about changes between pooled and straight-line reserve accounting, particularly in (1)(b), (2), (3)(a), (3)(c), (3)(d), and (3)(e).

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: 61B-22.005 outlines reserves required by statute, including the formula for calculating reserves, timely funding, restrictions on use, and requirements to waive reserves.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 718.112(2)(g), 718.112(2)(f), 718.501(1)(g) FS

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 718.112(2)(f), 718.112(2)(g), 718.501, 718.618 FS.

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: Friday, December 4, 2026, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: CTMH Conference Room, B509, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399

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: Madison Presley, Manager I, Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares and Mobile Homes, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2212, (850)717-1415, madison.presley@myfloridalicense.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Madison Presley, Manager I, Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares and Mobile Homes, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2212, (850)717-1415, madison.presley@myfloridalicense.com.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

61B-22.005 Reserves.

(1) Reserves required by statute. Reserves required by Sections 718.112(2)(f) and (g), F.S., for capital expenditures and deferred maintenance must be included in the association's budget.

(a) For a residential condominium that is not required to complete a structural integrity reserve study ("SIRS") pursuant to Section 718.112(2)(g), Florida Statutes, the association shall determine whether the deferred maintenance expense or replacement cost of an item exceeds the minimum reserve threshold published by the Division on its website for each respective calendar year. In accordance with Section 718.112(2)(f), Florida Statutes, the Department shall adjust the threshold yearly based on inflation. The association shall consider each line-item ~~asset~~ of the association separately.

(b) For a residential condominium required to perform a SIRS, the SIRS must identify the items that must be reserved for in accordance with Section 718.112(2)(g), Florida Statutes. Reserves must also be funded for items required by Section 718.112(2)(f), F.S., in accordance with paragraph (1)(a) of this rule.

(2) Commingling operating and reserve funds. Associations that collect operating and reserve assessments as a single payment shall not be deemed to have commingled such funds provided the reserve portion of the payment is transferred to a separate reserve account, or accounts, within 30 calendar days from the date such funds were deposited with the exception for investment purposes. Associations may commingle operating and reserve funds for investment purposes only.

(3) Calculating reserves required by statute. Funding formulas for reserves required by Section 718.112(2)(f), F.S., shall be based on either a straight-line accounting method or a pooled reserve accounting method, containing an analysis of each of the required items ~~line item assets~~.

(a) For a residential condominium that is not required to complete a SIRS, reserves for deferred maintenance and capital expenditures required under Section 718.112(2)(f), Florida Statutes, must be calculated using a formula that allocates the total estimated deferred maintenance expense or replacement cost of a line item ~~asset~~ or group of items ~~assets~~ evenly over the line item ~~asset~~ or group of items ~~assets~~ remaining useful life on an annual basis. The annual reserve funding amount may be adjusted from year to year to reflect inflation, deflation, or other changes in the estimated deferred maintenance expense or

replacement cost of the line item asset or group of assets. Any adjustment must continue to allocate the estimated cost over the remaining useful life of the line item asset or group of assets without disproportionately shifting reserve funding to earlier or later years. The association shall annually evaluate whether the total deferred maintenance expense or replacement cost of each line item requires adjustment for maintenance or replacement purposes. The association must maintain funding that keeps the reserve balance above zero, unless properly waived or reduced in accordance with Section 718.112(2) F.S and this rule.

(b) No change.

(c) Straight-line Method: If the association maintains separate reserve accounts for each of the required line items ~~assets~~, the amount of the current year contribution to each reserve account shall be the sum of the following two calculations:

1. No change.

2. ~~The total estimated deferred maintenance expense or estimated replacement cost of the reserve asset less the estimated balance of the reserve account as of the beginning of the period for which the budget will be in effect. The remainder, if greater than zero, shall be divided by the estimated remaining useful life of the asset.~~ The required annual funding amount formula is the estimated total replacement cost or deferred maintenance expense of the item ~~asset~~, minus the current reserve balance, divided by the remaining useful life of the item ~~asset~~.

(d) Pooled Method: If the association maintains a pooled account of two or more of the required reserve items ~~assets~~, the amount of the contribution to the pooled reserve account as disclosed on the proposed budget shall be not less than that required to ensure that the balance on hand at the beginning of the period for which the budget will go into effect plus the projected annual cash inflows over the remaining estimated useful lives of the group ~~all~~ of ~~the~~ items ~~assets~~ that make up the reserve pool are equal to or greater than the projected annual cash outflows over the remaining estimated useful lives of the group ~~all~~ of items ~~the assets~~ that make up the reserve pool, based on the current reserve analysis. The projected annual cash inflows may include estimated earnings from investment of principal. The reserve funding formula shall not include any type of balloon payments or other financing arrangements that results in a one-time payment that exceeds the standard payment amounts found on the reserve schedule, at any point of the assessment replacement term or period. In addition, pooled reserve funding schedules may not be structured in a manner that defers reserve contributions for the purpose of reducing current assessments or in a way to increase current contributions to offset or reduce future assessments. Rates of change in funding over the course of the reserve schedule may be increased or decreased to account for inflation or deflation but shall not exceed either the annual inflation or deflation amount at the time of the SIRS or the average inflation or deflation amount over a ten year period, according to the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers or final demand for individual commodities according to the Producer Price Index, whichever is greater and more appropriate for the situation.

(e) An association may change the method of accounting for statutory reserves between straight-line and pooled accounting without a vote of the unit owners, provided that such change does not alter the original authorized purpose, the total reserve ~~the required level of~~ funding balances, or the restricted use of reserve funds.

1. The intent of this paragraph is solely to clarify when a change between pooled and straight-line reserve accounting constitutes a change in accounting method not requiring a vote of the unit owners, as opposed to a change to reserve funding levels, balances, purposes, or permitted uses which would require a vote of the unit owners. Without a vote of the unit owners, an association may transfer, reclassify, or reallocate reserve balances for required reserve items from one or more reserve accounts that are maintained under the straight-line method into a single reserve account to be maintained under the pooled method. ~~An association may change the reserve accounting method in a manner that requires the reclassification or redistribution of reserve balances between reserve components without a vote of the unit owners~~ only if:

a. No change.

b. The total balance of reserves is not reduced and the resulting line item ~~asset~~ or group of items ~~assets~~ reserve balances are clearly disclosed in the association's financial reports and adopted budget;

c. and d. No change.

2. A vote of the unit owners is required if the criteria from subparagraph (3)(e)1. of this rule is not met. ~~a change in the reserve accounting method results in any of the following:~~

~~a. The reduction or elimination of reserve funding for any reserve component;~~

~~b. The use of reserve funds for any purpose not originally approved by the unit owners; or~~

~~c. The transfer or reallocation of reserve funds in a manner that constitutes a waiver, reduction, or repurposing of reserves under Section 718.112(2)(f), Florida Statutes.~~

3. No change.

(4) through (6) No change.

(7) Restrictions on use and waiver.

(a) Restrictions on use and waiver by residential associations.

1. A residential condominium that is not required to complete a SIRS pursuant to Section 718.112(2)(g), Florida Statutes, may waive or reduce reserves pursuant to Section

718.112(2)(f), Florida Statutes. Any vote to waive or reduce reserve ~~reserves~~ components for any item ~~assets~~ not included in Section 718.112(2)(g), Florida Statutes, shall not be effective for more than one annual budget. Pursuant to Section 718.112(2)(f), Florida Statutes, the members of a unit-owner controlled association may, by a majority vote of the total voting interests at a duly noticed and properly held meeting of the association, determine to provide no reserves or less than fully funded reserves for reserve components that are not listed in Section 718.112(2) (g), Florida Statutes.

2. and 3. No change.

(b) and (c). No change.

(8) Alternative Funding Method (AFM). An alternative funding method can only be used by a multicondominium association. An AFM must be submitted to the Division at least sixty (60) days before the meeting at which the annual budget is to be adopted and must demonstrate that it reasonably ensures the association will fully satisfy its reserve funding obligations in accordance with Sections 718.112(2)(f) and (g), Florida Statutes. The proposed AFM must be submitted to the Division through the association's online account required by Section 718.501(3), Florida Statutes.

(a) The proposed AFM submission must include the following

1. If an accountant~~, certified financial planner,~~ or a person certified as a reserve specialist or professional reserve analyst by the Community Associations Institute or the Association of Professional Reserve Analysts or any other person or entity prepared, reviewed, certified, or approved the proposed alternative funding method, the association must identify the person or entity and provide any documentation supporting the conclusion that the proposed AFM is reasonably expected to fully satisfy the association's reserve funding obligations, as required by Sections 718.112(2)(f) and (g), Florida Statutes, through the allocation of funds in the annual operating budget.

2. No change.

(b) through (d). No change.

(9) through (11). No Change.

Rulemaking Authority 718.112(2)(g), 718.112(2)(f), 718.501(1)(g) FS. Law Implemented 718.112(2)(f), 718.112(2)(g), 718.501, 718.618 FS. History–New 7-11-93, Formerly 7D-22.005, Amended 12-20-95, 1-19-97, 12-18-01, 12-23-02, 10-4-26,____.

Section II
Proposed Rules

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

East Central Florida Regional Planning Council

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
29F-1.102	Purpose
29F-1.105	Council
29F-1.108	Officers, Term of Office and Duties
29F-1.109	Vacancies
29F-1.110	Removal from Office
29F-1.111	Committees
29F-1.112	Staff
29F-1.114	Dissolution

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose is to repeal a Council governance provision that is better maintained in Council bylaws, interlocal governance documents, and internal procedures, rather than in the Florida Administrative Code. The effect will be removal of Rule 29F-1.105 from Chapter 29F-1 of the Florida Administrative Code, while continuing to comply with applicable Florida law.

SUMMARY: The Council proposes to repeal Rules 29F-1.102, 29F-1.105, 29F-1.108, 29F-1.109, 29F-1.110, 29F-1.111, 29F-1.112, and 29F-1.114, F.A.C. These rules address the Council's purpose, composition, meetings, notice, quorum, voting, alternates, officers and duties, vacancies, removal from office, committees, staff duties, and dissolution-related fund distribution.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this rule 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 Council has completed for the Governor's Office of Fiscal Accountability and Regulatory Reform (OFARR) the "Is a SERC Required?" form and prepared a summary of the proposed rule repeal, both of which are available upon request. Based on the completed "Is a SERC Required?" form, the summary, and the analysis performed by Council staff in preparing those documents, the proposed repeal is not expected to require legislative ratification pursuant to subsection 120.541(3), F.S.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 186.505, F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 186.505, F.S.

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: Tara McCue; tmccue@ecfrpc.org; (407)245-0300 ext. 327.

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

29F-1.102 Purpose.
Rulemaking Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-22-99, Repealed _____.

29F-1.105 Council.
Rulemaking Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-14-99, Repealed _____.

29F-1.108 Officers, Term of Office and Duties.
Rulemaking Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-22-99, Amended 10-23-13, 11-7-18, Repealed ____.

29F-1.109 Vacancies.
Rulemaking Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-22-99, Repealed _____.

29F-1.110 Removal from Office.
Rulemaking Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-22-99, Repealed _____.

29F-1.111 Committees.
Rulemaking Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-22-99, Repealed _____.

29F-1.112 Staff.
Rulemaking Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-22-99, Repealed _____.

29F-1.114 Dissolution.
Rulemaking Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 186.505 FS. History–New 9-22-99, Repealed _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Tara McCue, Executive Director
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Craig Curry, Chairman
DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: February 25, 2026

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

East Central Florida Regional Planning Council

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
29F-2.101	General
29F-2.102	Meetings, Hearings and Workshops
29F-2.103	Scheduling Meetings
29F-2.104	Conducting Meetings
29F-2.105	Rule and Policy Making Proceeding

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose is to repeal meeting procedure and internal governance provisions that are better maintained in Council bylaws or internal procedures. The effect will be removal of these provisions from Chapter 29F-2, Florida Administrative Code, while continuing to comply with applicable Florida law governing open meetings, public participation, and administrative procedure.
SUMMARY: The Council proposes to repeal Rules 29F-2.101 through 29F-2.105. These rules address general introductory language for Chapter 29F-2, meetings, hearings and workshops, scheduling and noticing meetings, conducting meetings, minutes, and rule and policy making proceedings.
SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:
The Agency has determined that this rule 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 Agency has determined that the proposed repeals are not expected to require legislative ratification pursuant to Section 120.541(3), F.S. This determination is based on the nature and scope of the repeals, which remove Council governance and procedural provisions without establishing fees, new regulatory programs, or new compliance requirements. The repeals are not expected to produce adverse economic impacts or increased regulatory costs exceeding the statutory thresholds.
Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days after publication of this notice.
RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 186.505 F.S.
LAW IMPLEMENTED: 120.54, 120.54(5), 186.505 F.S.
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: Tara McCue, Executive Director, East Central Florida Regional Planning Council, 455 N. Garland Avenue, Suite 414, Orlando, Florida 32801, tmccue@ecfrpc.org, (407)245-0300.

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

29F-2.101 General.
Specific Authority 120.54(5), 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 120.54(5), 186.505 FS. History–New 11-24-99, Repealed .

29F-2.102 Meetings, Hearings and Workshops.
Specific Authority 120.54(5), 185.505 FS. Law Implemented 120.54(5), 186.505 FS. History–New 11-24-99, Repealed .

29F-2.103 Scheduling Meetings.
Specific Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 120.54, 186.505 FS. History–New 11-24-99, Repealed .

29F-2.104 Conducting Meetings.
Specific Authority 186.505 FS. Law Implemented 120.54, 186.505 FS. History–New 11-24-99, Repealed .

29F-2.105 Rule and Policy Making Proceeding.
Specific Authority 120.54(5), 185.505 FS. Law Implemented 120.54, 186.505 FS. History–New 11-24-99, Repealed .

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Tara McCue, Executive Director
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Craig Curry, Chairman
DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: February 25, 2026

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Northwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
40A-1.203 Permit Application Procedure
PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The overall purpose is to amend rules to clarify a timeline and add a space between two words.
SUMMARY: The proposed rule includes amending rules for General and Procedural Rules to comply with established statutes and rules and make amendments as referenced in this notice's purpose and effect.
SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:
The Agency has determined that this rule 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: Upon review of the proposed changes to the rule, the District has determined that the amendments will not exceed any one of the economic analysis criteria in a SERC as set forth in Section 120.541(2)(a), F.S.
Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days after publication of this notice.
RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 373.044, 373.113, F.S.
LAW IMPLEMENTED: 120.60, F.S
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: Selina Potter, Northwest Florida Water Management District, 152 Water Management Drive, Havana, FL 32333, selina.potter@nwfwater.com, (850)539-5999.

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

40A-1.203 Permit Application Procedure.

(1) through (3) No change.

(4) Unless otherwise specified in rule, within ~~Within~~ 30 days after receipt of an application, the District shall notify the applicant if the application is incomplete and request the additional information required to make the application complete. The applicant shall have 90 days after the District mails a timely request for additional information to submit that information to the District. If an applicant requires more than 90 days in which to complete an application, the applicant may notify the District in writing of the circumstances and for good cause shown, the application shall be held in active status for one additional period of up to 90 days. Unless both the applicant and the District agree to further extensions, any application which has not been completed by the applicant within the given time period following a request for additional information by the District shall be recommended for denial at the next regularly scheduled Board meeting. For the purpose of this paragraph, good cause shall mean unforeseen circumstances outside of the control of the applicant. Denial of an application for lack of completeness is without prejudice to the applicant's right to file a new application on the same subject matter within 180 days without payment of an additional application fee.

(5) If additional information submitted to the District incorporates or results in material changes in the proposed activity for which the applicant seeks a permit, the application will be considered to have been amended and the proposal contained in the original application will be deemed withdrawn. Unless otherwise specified in rule, the ~~The~~ District shall have 60 days from the date of receipt of the additional information in which to approve or deny the amended application and such application shall be subject to review for completeness under subsection (4), above.

(6) through (9) No change.

(10) The Board may approve, reject or modify the proposed agency action, which shall constitute ~~shallconstitute~~ final agency action, except in those instances when a valid petition for administrative hearing has been timely filed. In such instances, if the dispute is not resolved at the Board meeting to the satisfaction of the petitioner, the Board shall defer final consideration of the matter pending the completion of the administrative hearing and the submission of a recommended order and exceptions to that order.

(11) through (12) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113 FS. Law Implemented 120.60 FS. History–New 10-1-84, Amended 1-5-86, 7-1-98, 3-2-00, 8-6-13, 4-15-14, 4-7-15,_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Selina Potter

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Governing Board, Northwest Florida Water Management District

DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: September 9, 2026

DATE NOTICE OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 26, 2026

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Northwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

40A-6.201 Permit Processing Fee

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The overall purpose is to amend a rule to clarify the application fee.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule includes amending rules for Works of the District permitting to comply with established statutes and rules and make amendments as referenced in this notice's purpose and effect.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this rule 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: Upon review of the proposed changes to the rule, the District has determined that the amendments will not exceed any one of the economic analysis criteria in a SERC as set forth in Section 120.541(2)(a), F.S.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 373.044, 373.113, F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 373.085(1), 373.109, F.S.

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: Selina Potter, Northwest Florida Water Management District, 152 Water Management Drive, Havana, FL 32333, selina.potter@nwfwater.com, (850)539-5999.

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

40A-6.201 Permit Processing Fee.

The processing fee for a Works of the District application is ~~will be determined by the actual costs of processing the application, with a minimum cost of~~ $250 for an individual permit.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113 FS. Law Implemented 373.085(1), 373.109 FS. History–New 4-14-80, Formerly 16G-6.10, Amended 8-1-89, 1-1-90, 4-17-18,_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Selina Potter

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Governing Board, Northwest Florida Water Management District

DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: September 9, 2026

DATE NOTICE OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 26, 2026

Section III
Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

20-3.006 Florida Processors' Statistics Report

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 217, November 6, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The following information is substantively changed to read as follows:

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this rule 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 relief upon and described herein: The Department used a checklist to conduct an economic analysis and determine if there is an adverse impact or regulatory costs associated with this rule that exceeds the economic criteria in section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. Based upon this analysis, the Department has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification.
Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days after publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
20-3.009 Inventory Verification Report
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 217, November 6, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The following information is substantively changed to read as follows:
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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 relief upon and described herein: The Department used a checklist to conduct an economic analysis and determine if there is an adverse impact or regulatory costs associated with this rule that exceeds the economic criteria in section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. Based upon this analysis, the Department has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification.
Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days after publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
20-7.005 Fees and Other Related Costs
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 217, November 6, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The following information is substantively changed to read as follows:
SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:
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Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days after publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
20-10.005 Shipment and Sale of Florida Experimental Packs of Concentrated Orange Juice Other Than Frozen or Canned
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 217, November 6, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The following information is substantively changed to read as follows:

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this rule 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 relief upon and described herein: The Department used a checklist to conduct an economic analysis and determine if there is an adverse impact or regulatory costs associated with this rule that exceeds the economic criteria in section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. Based upon this analysis, the Department has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification.

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

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Northwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
40A-1.1003	Variance and Emergency Variance or Authorization Procedures
40A-1.1010	Point of Entry Into Proceedings
40A-1.2025	Fees
40A-1.205	Suspension, Revocation, Cancellation and Modification of District Permits
40A-1.600	Lobbyist Registration Procedures

NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following technical change has been made to the above rule:

40A-1.1003 Variance and Emergency Variance or Authorization Procedures.

(1) Petitions for variances from District rules, including but not limited to Rules 40A-3.451, 40A-6.451, ~~40A-21.275~~ and 40A-44.451, F.A.C., that require immediate action and which comply with the variance petition requirements of Chapter 28-104, F.A.C., shall be temporarily acted upon by the Executive Director or his designee. Petitions acted upon by the Executive Director or his designee shall be presented to the Governing Board for concurrence, rejection or modification.

(2) through (3) no change.

Rulemaking Authority ~~120.54(5),~~ 373.044, ~~373.085(1), 373.246, 373.308, 373.309,~~ 373.113, 373.171 FS. Law Implemented 120.54(5), 373.175, 373.246, 373.308, 373.309, 373.313, 373.316, 373.326, 373.342, 373.413, 373.416, 373.426, 373.439, 373.084, 373.085 FS. History–New 7-1-98, Amended 3-2-00, Technical Change 11-20-26.

40A-1.1010 Point of Entry Into Proceedings.

(1) through (4) no change.

Rulemaking Authority ~~120.54(5),~~ 373.044, 373.113, 373.171 FS. Law Implemented 120.54(5), 120.569, 373.084, 373.085, 373.216, 373.308, 373.309, 373.116, 373.119, 373.219, 373.323, 373.406(6), 373.413, 373.416, 373.418, 373.426, 373.427 FS. History–New 7-1-98, Amended 3-2-00, Technical Change 11-20-26.

40A-1.2025 Fees.

(1) No change.

(2) Any portion of the fees enumerated in any District rule in excess of $100 shall be waived for any:

(a) through (c) no change.

(d) Third party under contract with an entity specified in paragraph (a), (b) or (c) where the project for which the fee reduction or waiver is sought serves a public purpose.

The waiver shall be granted upon receipt of a certification from such county or municipality of hardship in accordance with the provisions of Section 218.075, F.S. The Governing Body of the municipality or county requesting the fee waiver shall provide certification in the form of a written statement from the Florida Department of Revenue or using Form 165, effective April 15, 2014 ~~4-15-14~~ (http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03904), which is hereby incorporated by reference and can be obtained from the District's website (www.nwfwater.com ~~www.nwfwmd.state.fl.us~~) or from District offices. Any such certification shall be presumed to be valid for the entire fiscal year of the municipality or county during which certification is made unless the certification clearly indicates a duration to the contrary.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113 FS. Law Implemented 218.075, 373.109 FS. History–New 5-7-95, Amended 3-2-00, 4-15-14, Technical Change 11-20-26.

40A-1.205 Suspension, Revocation, Cancellation and Modification of District Permits.

(1) through (9) no change.

(10) District staff is authorized to administratively cancel a permit when the permittee or permittee's authorized agent surrenders the consumptive use permit to the District, thereby relinquishing the right to conduct any activities under the permit. The permittee surrending an individual water use permit granted under Chapter 40A-2, F.A.C., shall ensure that all

ground water wells have been either properly capped or plugged and abandoned according to subsection 40A-3.521(2), F.A.C., and that all surface water withdrawal points have been dismantled. Prior to an administrative cancellation, District staff shall perform a site visit to confirm these requirements have been met. Permit cancellation shall be requested using Water Use Permit Cancellation Form, Form No. 162, effective April 15, 2014 ~~4-15-14~~ (http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03996), hereby incorporated by reference~~,~~ and which can be obtained from the District's website (www.nwfwater.com ~~www.nwfwmd.state.fl.us~~) or from District offices.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113 FS. Law Implemented 373.243, 373.246, 373.429, 373.439 FS. History–New 10-1-84, Amended 8-6-13, 4-15-14, Technical Change 11-20-26.

40A-1.600 Lobbyist Registration Procedures.

(1) through (6) no change.

(7) The Lobbyist Registration Form, form number 183 (http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-05111), effective date March 2015 ~~4/15, available at http://nwfwater.com/contact-us/open-government/lobbyist-registration/~~ and the Lobbyist Registration Cancellation Form, form number 184 (http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-05112), effective date March 2015 ~~4/15, available at http://nwfwater.com/contact-us/open-government/lobbyist-registration/~~ are hereby incorporated by reference and may be obtained without cost from the District Clerk either at Northwest Florida Water Management District, 81 Water Management Drive, Havana, FL 32333, or by submitting a request to agency.clerk@nwfwater.com. These forms may also be downloaded from the District's website at: www.nwfwater.com ~~http://nwfwater.com/contact-us/open-government/~~.

Rulemaking Authority 112.3261(8) FS. Law Implemented 112.3261 FS. History–New 4-7-15, Technical Change 11-20-26.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Northwest Florida Water Management District

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
40A-6.011	Policy and Purpose
40A-6.101	Content of Application
40A-6.301	Conditions for Issuance of Permits
40A-6.901	Forms and Instructions

NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following technical change has been made to the above rule:

40A-6.011 Policy and Purpose.

(1) The rules of this chapter are published to provide protection for the works of the District by establishing procedures to be followed by those who find it necessary to connect to, withdraw water from, discharge water into, place construction within or across, or to otherwise make use of the works of the District. Section 373.085, F.S., ~~State law~~ prohibits such work unless approved by the Governing Board of the District.

(2) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.171 FS. Law Implemented 373.084, 373.085, 373.086, 373.087, 373.103, 373.139 FS. History–New 4-14-80, Formerly 16G-6.01, Amended 10-29-80, 3-2-00, 8-6-13, Technical Change 11-20-26.

40A-6.101 Content of Application.

(1) All permit applications under this chapter shall be filed with the Governing Board on NWFWMD Form No. 67 "Northwest Florida Water Management District Works of the District Permit Application" (effective August 1, 2013), which is hereby incorporated by reference. Copies of the form may be obtained from http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/Reference.asp?No=Ref-02970 or the District's website www.nwfwater.com ~~www.nwfwmd.state.fl.us~~. All applications shall be signed by the owner, lessee, or their authorized agent, of the land included in or adjacent to that portion of the works of the District involved in the proposal or by the owner, lessee, or their authorized agent, of the land served if the proposal is a drainage or withdrawal.

(2) through (3) no change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.171, 373.418 FS. Law Implemented 373.084, 373.085(1), 373.413, 373.416, 373.426 FS. History–New 4-14-80, Amended 2-1-82, 8-6-13, Technical Change 11-20-26.

40A-6.301 Conditions for Issuance of Permits.

(1) through (4) no change.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, ~~373.103(4),~~ 373.113, 373.171, 373.418 FS. Law Implemented 373.084, 373.103(4), 373.085, 373.413, 373.416, 373.426 FS. History–New 4-14-80, Amended 2-1-82, Formerly 16G-6.30, Amended 4-17-18, Technical Change 11-20-26.

40A-6.901 Forms and Instructions.

Application for a permit under provisions of this chapter shall be submitted on NWFWMD Form No. 67, which may be obtained from the Northwest Florida Water Management District, 152 Water Management Drive, Havana, FL 32333-9700, (850)539-5999, which is hereby incorporated by reference. Copies can also be obtained at http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/Reference.asp?No=Ref-02970, or the District's website www.nwfwater.com ~~www.nwfwmd.state.fl.us~~.

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.171, 373.418 FS. Law Implemented 373.084, 373.085, 373.413, 373.416, 373.426 FS. History–New 4-14-80, Amended 2-1-82, 8-6-13, Technical Change 11-20-26.

DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS

Office of Public and Professional Guardians

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
58M-2.001	Professional Guardian Registration and Credit Investigation
58M-2.002	Credit History Screening
58M-2.003	Professional Guardian Coursework and Competency Examination
58M-2.004	Annual Renewal of Professional Guardian Registration
58M-2.007	Electronic Fingerprint Criminal History Record Check
58M-2.010	Complaint Investigation and Procedures
58M-2.011	Disciplinary Action and Guidelines

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 169, August 31, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

58M-2.001 Professional Guardian Registration

(1) All Professional Guardians, as defined in section 744.102(17), F.S., must register with the Department of Elder Affairs' Office of Public and Professional Guardians (OPPG), and must renew that registration on an annual basis. A new applicant for initial registration must complete the Professional Guardian Registration Application online ~~using an online form, which is available on the OPPG website~~ at https://elderaffairs.org/programs-services/office-of-public-professional-guardians-oppg/. Once the application ~~form~~ is completed and signed, the applicant may submit the application ~~form~~ as instructed on the website, deliver or mail the document to Florida Department of Elder Affairs, 4040 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, or email the document to OPPGregistration@elderaffairs.org.

The applicant must provide and attest to the following information to register as a professional guardian:

(a) No change

(b) Credit and criminal history documentation:

1. Proof of Level 2 ~~II~~ fingerprinting/background screening report pursuant to section 435.04, F.S.; ~~and~~

2. Credit report; and

3. FICO credit score.

(c) through (d) No change

(e) State competency examination documentation:

1. Date of examination; and

~~2. Examination score; and~~

2.~~3.~~ No change.

(f) through (h) No change.

(2) Documentation submitted with the initial registration must be current and dated no more than six (6) months prior to submission. Incomplete applications or those submitted without signatures or with outdated documentation will be considered deficient and will not be accepted. Signatures must be of the person(s) required to register as a professional guardian, or a corporate officer with authority if the applicant is a corporate guardian. Corporate status does not relieve employees of a corporate guardian from the requirements of individual registration and criminal and credit reporting.

(3) through (8) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 744.2002(6), 744.3135(5)(b) FS. Law Implemented 744.102(17), 744.2002, 744.2003, 744.3135 FS. History–New 5-4-03, Amended 12-12-05, 3-17-08, 3-1-17, ___.

58M-2.002 Credit History Screening

(1) Credit History Review: Each professional guardian has a fiduciary obligation to the ward and is required to submit to OPPG a credit report at the time of initial registration, and again every two (2) years after the initial registration when renewing that registration. The OPPG will review the total credit history information to determine if the new or renewing applicant has acted in a fiscally responsible manner when managing personal and business finances and property interests. The determination shall be made by applying the definitions in subsection (2) and the factors listed in subsection (3).

(2) Definitions of terms as used in this Rule Chapter:

(a) "Adverse Credit Information" or "Adverse Credit History" for purposes of registration as a professional guardian or employee of a professional guardian includes~~, but is not limited, to~~ the following items, which shall be evaluated in light of the factors in subsection (3):

1. Personal bankruptcy ~~Bankruptcy~~ appearing on the individual's credit report.

2. Organizational bankruptcy ~~Bankruptcy~~ appearing on a credit report in which the individual was an officer, registered agent, or spouse of an officer, a guarantor, or was in a position of organizational control at the time of the bankruptcy filing.

3. through 5. No change.

6. Unpaid court-ordered restitution, fines, or loans, including student loans.

(b) through (e) No change.

(3) through (5) No change

~~(6) A professional guardian may be disciplined for selecting or delegating responsibilities to persons, employees, or contractors that the professional guardian knows, or has reason to know, are not qualified by training, experience, or licensure to perform or provide the particular services assigned.~~

(6)~~(7)~~ No change.

Rulemaking Authority 744.2002(6), 744.3135(5)(b) FS. Law Implemented 744.102(17), 744.2002, 744.2003, 744.3135 FS. History–New_____.

58M-2.003 Professional Guardian Coursework and Competency Examination.

(1) All instruction and training for professional guardians required pursuant to section ~~s.~~ 744.2003(3), F.S., must be approved by the Office of Public and Professional Guardians (OPPG) in order to receive credit toward either the initial 40-hour course or the continuing education course requirements. Information about approved coursework or approved trainers may be obtained online from the OPPG website at https://elderaffairs.org/. OPPG will grant ~~may allow~~ credit for ~~certain~~ courses and training in related fields~~, but~~ only when the course syllabus and training provider have been submitted to and approved by OPPG before the applicant attends the course ~~if OPPG has been provided the opportunity to review and approve the course syllabus and training provider prior to attendance~~.

(2) Completion of the initial 40-hour professional guardian instruction and training course is mandatory for all applicants to be eligible to take the competency examination, unless otherwise exempted by statute.

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) Any applicant who completes the initial 40-hour course and successfully completes the examination, but does not register with OPPG within one year following completion of the examination ~~course~~, must retake and complete the initial 40-hour course and retake the competency examination, even if employed by a professional guardian during that period.

(d) No change.

(3)~~(4)~~ Mandatory continuing education unit (CEU) credits must be reported every two (2) years following completion of the initial 40-hour course. If the initial course was completed in an odd-numbered year, the mandatory CEU credits must be completed and reported on or before December 31 of the subsequent odd-numbered year. Those who completed the initial course in an even-numbered year will be responsible for completing and reporting the mandatory CEU credits by the conclusion of the subsequent even-numbered year. The reporting cycle is based upon on the year the 40-hour ~~CEU~~ course was completed, not the date of the examination or registration.

(4)~~(5)~~ No change

(5)~~(6)~~ Professional guardians whose OPPG registration has been suspended for failure to complete required CEUs and whose registration remains suspended for that reason more than 180 days but less than one year from the reporting deadline, must submit the following to OPPG to be returned to active status:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) Documentation of the completion of the required Continuing Education Unit (CEU) hours for the applicable reporting period. Prior to reinstatement, all delinquent CEU requirements must be completed. The delinquent CEU credits cannot be applied to the requirements in the current cycle.

(6)~~(7)~~ No change.

(7)~~(8)~~ Professional guardians will be able to register for approved courses through the OPPG-recommended online exchange. Professional guardians who have completed coursework through the online exchange will also be able to access transcripts through the exchange. For previously approved courses not included in the exchange, official transcripts must be provided to OPPG to receive ~~tommmceive~~ appropriate credit.

Rulemaking Authority 744.2003 FS. Law Implemented 744.102(17), 744.2003, 744.3135 FS. History–New 12-12-05, Amended 3-17-08, .

58M-2.004 Annual Renewal of Professional Guardian Registration.

(1) Each professional guardian must submit a renewal application to OPPG annually to maintain registration. The professional guardian's registration will expire at midnight, one year from the date of the original registration. The OPPG will provide a registration reminder at least 60 days prior to the professional guardian's registration expiration. The renewal applicant must complete the Professional Guardian Renewal Application online ~~using an online form, which is available on the OPPG website~~ at https://elderaffairs.org/programs-services/office-of-public-professional-guardians-oppg/. Once the renewal application ~~form~~ is completed and signed, the applicant may submit the application ~~form~~ as instructed on the website, deliver or mail the document to Florida Department of Elder Affairs, 4040 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, or email the document to OPPGregistration@elderaffairs.org. The renewal applicant must provide the following information to renew the registration as a professional guardian:

(a) through (d) No change.

(e) Renewal Registration fee: Proof of payment of a non-refundable renewal registration fee of $35. ~~Fees may be paid through the online OPPG payment link or by personal or corporate check.~~

(f) through (g) No change.

(2) through (8) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 744.2002(6), 744.3135(5)(b) FS. Law Implemented 744.102(17), 744.2002, 744.2003, 744.20041, 744.2112(4), 744.3135 FS. History–New .

58M-2.007 Electronic Fingerprint Criminal History Record Check.

(1) Professional Guardians and all employees of professional guardians must complete a Level 2 background screening conducted by a background screening ~~an OPPG-approved~~ vendor and are encouraged to use electronic fingerprinting methods. A list of ~~OPPG approved~~ vendors and

instructions are available on the OPPG website at https://elderaffairs.org/programs-services/office-of-public-professional-guardians-oppg/.

(2) through (6) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 744.3135(3) FS. Law Implemented 744.3135 FS. History–New 3-17-08, Amended_____.

58M-2.010 Complaint and Investigation Procedures.

(1) Filing Complaints. Anyone may file a complaint against a professional guardian at any time using any method of communication. Complainants may file online through the OPPG website at https://elderaffairs.org/programs-services/office-of-public-professional-guardians-oppg/; by mail to the Florida Department of Elder Affairs, 4040 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399 (Attn: OPPG); by email to OPPGcomplaint@elderaffairs.org; or by telephone during regular business hours at (850)414-2381.

(a) Complaints, the identities of complainants, and all information related to the complaint and investigation are confidential and exempt from public disclosure until the investigation is completed or ceases to be active, as defined in section 744.2111(1), F.S.

(b) No change.

(2) through (4) No change.

(5) Administrative Complaint.

(a) If there is legally sufficient evidence, as defined in section 744.2004(1)(a), F.S., that the standards of practice were violated, the Department will issue an administrative complaint to the professional guardian which shall identify the specific violation(s), the proposed discipline, and the proposed fine amount. The Department shall include with the administrative complaint instructions for requesting a hearing and, at the discretion of the Department, a draft settlement agreement. If offered, the professional guardian may enter into a settlement agreement regarding the proposed violation(s) at any time.

(b) through (e) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 744.2001(7)(c), 744.2004(6) FS. Law Implemented 744.2001, 744.2004 FS History–New____.

58M-2.011 Disciplinary Action and Guidelines.

(1) No change.

(2) The OPPG enforcement authority is limited to administrative actions related to applications and registrations of professional guardians and does not extend to criminal or judicial enforcement. The OPPG may, however, take administrative action against an application or registration when a judicial order or criminal disposition provides evidence of one or more grounds for discipline listed in section 744.20041(1), F.S ~~based upon judicial orders or criminal actions~~. This subsection does not create any additional grounds for discipline beyond those enumerated in statute. The OPPG may post on its public profile website any judicial orders of suspension or other public record information related to criminal conduct or disqualifying offenses.

(3) Definition of terms used in this rule:

(a) through (c) No change.

(d) "Suspension" is a disciplinary action that temporarily deactivates the registration of a professional guardian. The professional guardian's suspended status will be reported to the applicable ~~guardian is prohibited from accepting new~~ court with jurisdiction over appointments ~~during the period of suspension~~. A disciplinary suspension will be published on the OPPG public profile website.

(e) No change.

(4) through (5) No change.

(6) A professional guardian shall be subject to discipline for delegating responsibilities to persons, employees, or contractors that the professional guardian knows or should have known were not qualified by training, experience, or licensure to perform or provide the services delegated.

(7)~~(6)~~ No change.

Rulemaking Authority 744.20041 FS. Law Implemented 744.20041 FS. History–New 3-23-17, Amended_____.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Children's Medical Services

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
64C-7.002	Collection Procedures for Newborn Screening

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice is hereby given that the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 51 No. 148, July 31, 2025, issue of the Florida Administrative Register has been withdrawn.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Vital Statistics

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
64V-1.0061	Death and Fetal Death Registration

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice is hereby given that the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 52 No. 24, February 5, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register has been withdrawn.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69K-5.002	Application for Preneed License
69K-5.0021	Application for Preneed License Branch Office License
69K-5.0022	Applications for Transfer of a Preneed License
69K-5.003	Application for Preneed Sales Agent License and Appointment

69K-5.0035	Termination of Appointment of a Preneed Sales Agent
69K-5.004	Procedures for Licensing a New Cemetery
69K-5.006	Procedure for Licensing Transferred Cemeteries
69K-5.007	Conversion Procedures
69K-5.013	Procedure for Report of Identification for an Exempt Cemetery

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 149, August 3, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-5.002 Application for Preneed Licensure.

(1) To apply for a preneed license, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Preneed Licensure, Form DFS-PNL-1, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-19847. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) through (c) No change.

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(e) No change.

(2) through (6) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.453 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.452, 497.453 FS. History–New 4-25-94, Amended 2-7-95, 12-12-00, 6-26-02, Formerly 3F-5.002, Amended 12-24-18,___.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-PNL-1, Application for Preneed Licensure:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language.

Page 2, Section 1.E: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1718.

Page 3, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.

Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.

Page 4, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.

Page 5, Section 9.E.: Amended to replace "ally" with "all."

Page 5, Section 9.I.: Amended to add the rule incorporating Form DFS-HistS.

Page 6, Section 9.J.: Amended to add the rules incorporating Form DFS-F-32, Form DFS-PNL-R2A, and Form DFS-PNL-R2B.

Page 6, Section 9.K: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers, and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1705.

Page 6, Section 9.L: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1787.

69K-5.0021 Application for Preneed Branch Office Licensure.

(1) A preneed licensee that is part of a common business enterprise and elects to operate under a different name as a branch office shall apply for preneed branch office licensure. To apply for a preneed branch office license, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Preneed Branch Office Licensure, Form DFS-PNLB, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19848. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00.

(2) through (6) No change.

(7) To renew a preneed branch office license, the licensee must submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Preneed Branch Office Licensure Renewal, Form DFS-PNLBR, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-19849. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(d) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.161, 497.453 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.146, 497.453 FS. History–New 6-5-97, Amended 12-12-00, 9-18-01, Formerly 3F-5.0021, Amended 12-24-18,_____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-PNLB, Application for Preneed Branch Office Licensure:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-PNLBR, Application for Preneed Branch Office Licensure Renewal:
Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language.

69K-5.0022 Applications for Transfer of a Preneed License.

(1) When an entity holding a preneed license changes ownership, it shall cease operating under the predecessor's preneed license. To continue operating, the successor owner must apply for a preneed license as outlined in Rule 69K-5.002, F.A.C. The successor owner may apply to transfer the predecessor's preneed license to its new preneed license and obtain a temporary preneed license to operate until the new preneed license is issued. To be eligible to transfer a preneed license, the successor owner must apply for a transfer within 30 days of the change in ownership by submitting to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Transfer of a Preneed License, Form DFS-PNLT1, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-19859. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) through (d) No change.

(e) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00.

(2) through (7) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 197.161, 497.453 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.453 FS. History–New 5-13-97, Amended 6-26-02, Formerly 3F-5.0022, Amended 12-24-18,____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-PNLT1, Application for Transfer of a Preneed License:
Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from application fees language.
Page 2, Section 1.E: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1718.
Page 3, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.
Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.
Page 4, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.
Page 5, Section 9.C: Amended to add the rule incorporating Form DFS-HistS.
Page 5, Section 9.D: Amended to add the rules incorporating Form DFS-F-32, Form DFS-PNL-R2A, and Form DFS-PNL-R2B.
Page 5, Section 9.E.: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers, and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1705.
Page 5, Section 9.F.: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1787.

69K-5.003 Application for Preneed Sales Agent Licensure and Appointment.

(1) To apply for preneed sales agent licensure and appointment using the Department's online licensing system an applicant must be registered and must login through the eAppoint portal located at https://iportal.fldfs.com/FCCS_eAPPOINT/, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Preneed Sales Agent Licensure and Initial Appointment - eAppoint, Form DFS-PNS-3 ~~DFS-PNS-1~~, effective 10/26 ~~07/26~~, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-20426 ~~https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-19860. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein~~;

(b) No change;

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(d) No change.

(2) To apply for preneed sales agent licensure and appointment using the paper application form, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Preneed Sales Agent Licensure and Initial Appointment, Form DFS-PNS-1, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-19860. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) A non-refundable licensure and initial appointment fee of $250.00;

(c) An unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) Fingerprints pursuant to Rule 69K-1.002, F.A.C.; and

(e) A paper processing fee of $25.00.

(2) through (10) renumbered as (3) through (11) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161, 497.466 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.466 FS. History–New 4-25-94, Formerly 3F-5.003, Amended 6-22-09, 3-1-16,____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-PNS-1, Application for Preneed Sales Agent Licensure and Initial Appointment:
Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from application fees language.
Page 2, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.
Page 3, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.
Page 3, Section 8: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704.
Page 3, Section 8: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1787.

69K-5.0035 Termination of Appointment of a Preneed Sales Agent.

Within 30 days of a termination of a licensed preneed sales agent, the preneed licensee shall give written notice to the Department. The notice may be submitted in writing, electronically, or via facsimile ~~facimile~~, and shall contain:

(1) through (3) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103 FS. Law Implemented 497.466 FS. History–New 5-29-94, Formerly 3F-5.0035, Amended 1-12-04,___.

69K-5.004 Application and Renewal Procedures for Licensure of a New Cemetery.

(1) To apply for a cemetery license, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application to Organize a New Cemetery Company, Form DFS-CEMN, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at http://www.MyFloridacfo.com/Division/FuneralCemetery/ or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-19838. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) through (d) No change.

(e) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(f) through (g) No change.

(2) To renew a cemetery license, the licensee must be registered and must login through the FACS-DICE system located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit a renewal application and fees through the FACS-DICE system between October 31 and December 31 of each year as follows:

(a) The Application for Cemetery Licensure Renewal, Form DFS-N1-1702, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19843;

(b) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(c) through (d) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161, 497.263 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.263, 497.265 FS. History–New 9-29-75, Amended 6-21-77, 6-21-78, 11-2-78, 1-27-81, Formerly 3D-30.15, Amended 10-23-91, Formerly 3D-30.015, Amended 12-8-98, 6-26-02, Formerly 3F-5.004, Amended 1-12-04, 3-1-16,___.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-CEMN, Application to Organize a New Cemetery Company:
Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from application fees language.
Page 2, Section 1.E: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1718.
Page 3, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.
Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.
Page 4, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.
Page 4, Section 9.6.: Amended to add the rule incorporating Form DFS-F-32.
Page 5, Section 9.8.: Amended to add the rule incorporating Form DFS-HistS.
Page 5, Section 9.11.: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers, and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1705.
Page 5, Section 9.12.: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1787.

69K-5.006 Procedure for Licensing Transferred Cemeteries.

(1) A person, a group of persons, or a corporation proposing to purchase or acquire control of an existing cemetery company, either by purchasing the outstanding capital stock of any cemetery company or the interest of the owner or owners, thereby changing the control of said cemetery company, shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Authority to Acquire Control of an Existing Cemetery Company, Form DFS-F-35, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at http://www.MyFloridacfo.com/Division/FuneralCemetery/ or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-19841;

(b) through (c) No change.

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(e) through (g) No change.

(2) through (4) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161, 497.264 FS. History–New 9-29-75, Amended 11-2-78, 1-27-81, Formerly 3D-30.17, Amended 10-23-91, Formerly 3D-30.017, Amended 9-18-01, 6-26-02, Formerly 3F-5.006, Amended 1-12-04, 3-1-16, ___.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-F-35, Application for Authority to Acquire Control of an Existing Cemetery Company:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language. Added "non-refundable" to licensure fee.

Page 2, Section 1.E.: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1718.

Page 3, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.

Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.

Page 4, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.

Page 5, Section 9.A.: Amended to add the rule incorporating Form DFS-F-32.

Page 5, Section 9.C.: Amended to add the rule incorporating Form DFS-HistS.

Page 5, Section 9.F.: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers, and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1705.

Page 6, Section 9.G.: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1787.

69K-5.007 Conversion Procedures.

(1) When a municipal, church owned, fraternal, community, or non-profit association cemetery converts to a cemetery company, as defined in Section 497.005, F.S., the cemetery shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) through (g) No change.

(2) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.10, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.263, 497.265 FS. History–New 9-29-75, Amended 1-27-81, Formerly 3D-30.19, Amended 10-23-91, Formerly 3D-30.019, Amended 6-26-02, Formerly 3F-5.007, Amended 3-1-16, 11-7-22, ___.

69K-5.013 Report of Identification for an Exempt Cemetery and Renewal Procedure.

(1) Each cemetery registering as an exempt cemetery pursuant to Sections 497.260 and 497.287, F.S., shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Report of Identification for an Exempt Cemetery, Form DFS-EC-1, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at http://www.MyFloridacfo.com/Division/FuneralCemetery/ or https://www.flrules.org/gateway//reference.asp?No=Ref-19839. The report must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) A ~~non-refundable~~ registration fee of $25.00; and

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00.

(2) No change.

(3) To renew an exempt cemetery, the licensee must be registered and must login through the FACS-DICE system located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit a renewal application and fees through the FACS-DICE system between July 1 and September 30 of every fifth year, which includes:

(a) The Report of Identification for an Exempt Cemetery Renewal, Form DFS-N1-1703, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=ref-19844;

(b) A ~~non-refundable~~ renewal fee of $25.00; and

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00.

(4) through (5) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161, 497.287 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.260, 497.287 FS. History–New 3-3-97, Formerly 3D-30.110, 69K-100.110, Amended 12-24-18, ___.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-EC-1, Report of Identification for an Exempt Cemetery:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1703, Report of Identification for an Exempt Cemetery Renewal:

Page 2, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 14, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 28, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69K-7.010	Reporting Requirements for Preneed Licensees Utilizing a Surety Bond in Lieu of

Maintaining a Trust Fund
69K-7.013 Procedures for Filing a Claim through the Department
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 149, August 3, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-7.010 Reporting Requirements for Preneed Licensees Utilizing a Surety Bond in Lieu of Maintaining a Trust Fund.

(1) A preneed licensee which chooses to utilize a surety bond in lieu of maintaining a trust shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) No change.

(b) The Application to Use a Surety Bond, Form DFS-C-1, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19861; and

(c) No change.

(2) The report shall be submitted in the following manner:

(a) The report must be signed by the preneed licensee's chief financial officer ~~or authorized representative~~;

(b) No change.

(3) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.462 FS. Law Implemented 497.462 FS. History–New 3-20-91, Formerly 3D-30.038, Amended 10-25-95, 5-27-98, Formerly 3F-7.010, Amended 9-9-18,____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-C-1, Application to Use a Surety Bond:

Page 2, Section 1: Language corrected to read: Care and Maintenance Trust Fund, Annual Trustee Report, Form DFS-N1-2178.

Page 2, Section 3: Language corrected to read: Original Surety Bond or the Surety Bond, Form DFS-C-2.

69K-7.013 Procedures for Filing a Claim through the Department

A buyer of preneed merchandise or services who does not receive such services or merchandise due to the economic failure, closing, or bankruptcy of the preneed licensee which has submitted a surety bond to the Department in lieu of utilizing a preneed trust fund may file a claim by submitting to the Department the Surety Bond Claim Form, Form DFS-C-3, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19863. The name and address of the surety company will be provided by the Department.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.462 FS. Law Implemented 497.462 FS. History–New 3-20-91, Formerly 3D-30.040, Amended 6-21-01, Formerly 3F-7.013, Amended 10-6-19,____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-C-3, the Surety Bond Claim Form:

Section 1. CLAIMANT INFORMATION is amended by replacing "Descendant" with "Decedent."

Section 2. CLAIM INFORMATION is amended by replacing "Descendant's" with "Decedent's."

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

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RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
69K-10.002 Disbursement from the Preneed Funeral Contract Consumer Protection Trust Fund
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 149, August 3, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-10.002 Disbursement from the Preneed Funeral Contract Consumer Protection Trust Fund.

All restitution to be paid from the Preneed Funeral Contract Consumer Protection Trust Fund shall be subject to review and approval of the Board. Amounts disbursed from the Preneed Funeral Contract Consumer Protection Trust Fund shall be determined in accordance with the following criteria:

(1) No change.

(2) Requests for restitution shall be submitted to the Department as follows:

(a) An at-need provider who has provided deathcare goods or services for a decedent who was a beneficiary under a preneed contract shall submit the following:

1. The Preneed Claim – Form A , Form DFS-TFD-1A, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19867; and

2. No change.

(b) A surviving spouse, family member, or legal representative of a decedent who was a beneficiary under a preneed contract shall submit the Preneed Claim – Form B, Form DFS-TFD-1B, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or

https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19868; or

(c) A purchaser of a preneed contract seeking a refund shall submit the Preneed Claim – Form C, Form DFS-TFD-1C, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19869.

(3) through (9) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.456 FS. Law Implemented 497.456 FS. History–New 5-23-94, Amended 12-4-95, 10-18-99, 6-21-01, Formerly 3F-10.002, Amended 3-7-16,____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-TFD-1A, the Preneed Claim – Form A:

Page 5, Section 8: Corrected signature language to read: Pursuant to Sections 92.525 and 497.456, F.S., under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing claim form and that the facts stated in it are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-TFD-1B, the Preneed Claim – Form B:

Page 5, Section 8: Corrected signature language to read: Pursuant to Sections 92.525 and 497.456, F.S., under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing claim form and that the facts stated in it are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-TFD-1C, the Preneed Claim – Form C:

Page 4, Section 7: Corrected signature language to read: Pursuant to Sections 92.525 and 497.456, F.S., under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing claim form and that the facts stated in it are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
69K-12.002	Procedure for Licensing a Monument Establishment

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 149, August 3, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-12.002 Monument Establishment Licensure, Renewal, and Change in Location.

(1) To apply for a monument establishment license, an applicant shall apply to the Department by submitting the following:

(a) The Application for Monument Establishment Licensure, Form DFS-C-MON1, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19870. The application must be signed no more than thirty (30) days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein; and

(b) An ~~A non-refundable~~ application fee of $450 which shall be the fee for the biennial licensing period beginning October 1 of each odd numbered year or any part thereof.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-12.011, F.A.C.; and

(e) No change.

(2) through (6) No change.

(7) To renew a monument establishment license, the licensee must be registered and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit a renewal application and fees through the FACS-DICE system between July 1 and September 30 of each odd-numbered year as follows:

(a) The Application for Monument Establishment Builder Licensure Renewal, Form DFS-N1-1772A, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19873. In addition to any other fees established, the fees to renew a Monument Establishment Builder license are:

1. A ~~non-refundable~~ renewal fee of $250.00;

2. An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

3. An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-12.011, F.A.C.; and

4. No change.

(b) The Application for Monument Establishment Retailer Licensure Renewal, Form DFS-N1-1772B, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19874. In addition to any other fees established, the fees to

renew a Monument Establishment Retailer license are:

1. A ~~non-refundable~~ renewal fee of $250.00;

2. An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

3. An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-12.011, F.A.C.; and

4. No change.

(8) To apply for a monument establishment sales agent license, an applicant shall apply to the Department by submitting the following:

(a) The Application for Monument Establishment Sales Agent Licensure, Form DFS-N1-1762, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19871;

(b) An ~~A non-refundable~~ application fee of $50.00;

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(d) No change.

(9) To renew a monument establishment sales agent license, the licensee must be registered and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit a renewal application and fees through the FACS-DICE system between July 1 and September 30 of each odd-numbered year as follows:

(a) The Application for Monument Establishment Sales Agent Licensure Renewal, Form DFS-N1-1763, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19872;~~. In addition to any other fees established, the fees to renew a Monument Establishment Builder license are:~~

(b)~~1.~~ A ~~non-refundable~~ renewal fee of $50.00 ~~$5.00~~;

(c)~~2.~~ An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

3. renumbered (d) No change.

(10) Change of Location. To report a change of location of the monument establishment, the monument establishment representative shall submit the following:

(a) A Notice of Change in Location of Monument Establishment, Form DFS-N1-1776, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery/ or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19875 and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) A ~~non-refundable~~ new license card fee of $25.00; and

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-12.011, F.A.C.

(11) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.141, 497.161, 497.550, 497.551, 497.553, 120.60, FS. Law Implemented 497.140, 497.141, 497.161, 497.550, 497.551, 497.553, 120.60 FS. History–New 3-3-97, Formerly 3D-30.050, 69K-100.050, Amended 10-5-09, ___.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-C-MON1, Application for Monument Establishment Licensure:

Page 1: Removed "non-refundable" from required fees language. Added "non-refundable" to licensure fees listed.

Page 2, Section 1E: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1718.

Page 3, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.

Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.

Page 4, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.

Page 5, Section 9.7.: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers, and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704, and Form DFS-N1-1705.

Page 5, Section 9.8.: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1787.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1772A, Application for Monument Establishment Builder Licensure Renewal:

Page 2, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 14, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 26, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1772B, Application for Monument Establishment Retailer Licensure Renewal:

Page 2, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 14, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 28, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1762, Application for Monument Establishment Sales Agent Licensure:
Page 1: Corrected to remove "nonrefundable" from required fee language.
Page 2, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.
Page 2, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.
Page 3, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.
Page 3, Section 9: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers, and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1787.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1763, Application for Monument Establishment Sales Agent Licensure Renewal:
Page 2, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.
Page 12, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.
Page 25, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1776, Notice of Change in Location of Monument Establishment:
Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fee language.

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RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69K-17.0025	Active Status License
69K-17.0026	Inactive Status License
69K-17.0041	Continuing Education Provider Requirements

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 149, August 3, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-17.0025 Funeral Director, Embalmer, and Funeral Director and Embalmer Active Status Licensure Renewal.

(1) through (2) No change.

(3) To renew an embalmer license in active status, the licensee must register and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit the required proof of continuing education, renewal application, and fees through the FACS-DICE system between July 1 and August 31 of each odd-numbered year, including:

(a) No change.

(b) The Application for Embalmer Licensure Renewal, Form DFS-N1-1779, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference, and available on the Department's website at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19880;

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ active status fee set forth in Rule 69K-17.003, F.A.C.;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(e) No change.

(4) To renew a funeral director license in active status, the licensee must register and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit the required proof of continuing education, renewal application, and fees through the FACS-DICE system between July 1 and August 31 of each odd-numbered year, including:

(a) No change.

(b) The Application for Funeral Director Licensure Renewal, Form DFS-N1-1781, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference, and available on the Department's website at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19881;

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ active status fee set forth in Rule 69K-17.003, F.A.C.;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(e) No change.

(5) To renew a funeral director and embalmer license in active status, the licensee must register and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit the required proof of continuing education, renewal application, and fees through the FACS-DICE system between July 1 and August 31 of each odd-numbered year, including:

(a) No change.

(b) The Application for Funeral Director and Embalmer Licensure Renewal, Form DFS-N1-1782, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference, and available on the Department's website at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp or https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19882;

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ active status fee set forth in Rule 69K-17.003, F.A.C.;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(e) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161, 497.365, 497.378 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.365, 467.378 FS. History–New 1-2-95, Formerly 61G8-17.0025, Amended_____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1779, Application for Embalmer Licensure Renewal:

Page 2, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 14, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 27, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1781, Application for Funeral Director Licensure Renewal:

Page 2, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 15, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 28, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1782, Application for Funeral Director and Embalmer Licensure Renewal:

Page 2, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 14, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

Page 28, Information for Successful Processing of Your Application Section: Removed subsection 2. Non-refundable Fees.

69K-17.0026 Inactive Status License.

(1) A licensee may elect at the time of licensure renewal to place the license into inactive status by submitting to the Department the following:

(a) No change.

(b) An ~~A non-refundable~~ inactive status fee set forth in Rule 69K-17.010, F.A.C; and

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00.

(2) An inactive status licensee may change to active status at any time by submitting to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Reactivation, Form DFS-N1-1725, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or https://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19876;

(b) through (d) No change.

(e) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(f) The ~~non-refundable~~ reactivation fee set forth in Rule 69K-17.011, F.A.C.; and

(g) No change.

(3) A licensee whose license has been in inactive status for more than two (2) consecutive biennial licensure cycles shall be required to appear before the Board before the license can be reactivated into active status. The Board at the time of the appearance shall impose upon the licensee reasonable conditions, described in this Rule Chapter, which ~~that~~ are necessary to ensure ~~insure~~ the licensee can practice with the care and skill sufficient to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the public.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.146, 497.161, 497.365, 497.379 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.146, 497.365, 497.379 FS. History–New 1-2-95, Amended 11-11-99, Formerly 61G8-17.0026, Amended_____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1725, Application for Reactivation:

Page 2, Section 5: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers, and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1705.

69K-17.0041 Continuing Education Provider Requirements.

(1) No change.

(2) To apply for continuing education provider status, an applicant must register and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. An applicant must submit to the Department the following:

(a) No change.

(b) An ~~A non-refundable~~ application fee set forth in Rule 69K-17.003, F.A.C.; and

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00.

(3) through (10) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.147, 497.161 FS. Law Implemented 497.147 FS. History–New 4-10-94, Amended 1-25-95, 3-14-95, 7-25-95, 9-25-95, 6-24-01, 12-24-01, Formerly 61G8-17.004, Amended_____.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
69K-21.001 Licensure Procedure; Consequences of Operating Prior to Licensure
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 150, August 4, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-21.001 Funeral Establishment Licensure, Renewal, and Change in Location.

(1) No change.

(2) To apply for a funeral establishment license, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Funeral Establishment Licensure, Form DFS-N1-1748, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19900. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-21.004, F.A.C.; and

(e) No change.

(3) No change.

(4) To renew a funeral establishment license, the licensee must register and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit a renewal application and fees through the FACS-DICE system between August 1 to November 30 of each even-numbered year, including:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-21.004, F.A.C.; and

(e) No change.

(5) To report a change of location of the funeral establishment, the funeral establishment owner shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Notice of Change in Location of Funeral Establishment, Form DFS-N1-2001, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery/ or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19902 and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) A ~~non-refundable~~ new license fee of $25.00; and

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-21.004, F.A.C.

(6) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.149, 497.161, 497.380 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.149, 497.161, 497.380 FS. History–New 2-13-80, Amended 3-26-84, Formerly 21J-21.01, Amended 10-21-91, Formerly 21J-21.001, Amended 2-17-00, Formerly 61G8-21.001, Amended 3-1-20,_____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1748, Application for Funeral Establishment Licensure:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language. Added "nonrefundable" to licensure fees listed.

Page 2, Section 1E: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1718.

Page 3, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.

Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.

Page 4, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.

Page 6, Section 9. (6e): Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1743.

Page 6, Section 9. (11): Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers, and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1705.

Page 6, Section 9. (12): Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1787.

Page 6, Section 9. (15): Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1751.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-2001, Notice of Change in Location of Funeral Establishment:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
69K-22.001 Application for Licensure; Consequences of Operating Prior to Licensure
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 151, August 5, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-22.001 Cinerator Facility Licensure, Renewal, and Change in Location.

(1) No change.

(2) To apply for a cinerator facility license, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Cinerator Facility Licensure, Form DFS-N1-1750, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19903. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-22.003, F.A.C.; and

(e) No change.

(3) No change.

(4) To renew a cinerator facility license, the licensee must register and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit a renewal application and fees through the FACS-DICE system between September 1 and November 30 of every even-numbered year, including:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-22.003, F.A.C.; and

(e) No change.

(5) To report a change of location of the cinerator facility, the cinerator facility operator shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Notice of Change in Location of Cinerator Facility, Form DFS-N1-2002, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery/ or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19906 and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) A ~~non-refundable~~ new license fee of $25.00; and

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ inspection fee set forth in Rule 69K-22.003, F.A.C.

(6) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.149, 497.161, 497.606 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.140, 497.141, 497.149, 497.606 FS. History–New 2-13-80, Formerly 21J-22.01, Amended 5-19-92, Formerly 21J-22.001, Amended 10-29-97, 2-17-00, 6-14-00, Formerly 61G8-22.001, Amended .

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1750, Application for Cinerator Facility Licensure:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language. Added "nonrefundable" to licensure fees listed.

Page 2, Section 1E: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1718.

Page 3, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.

Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.

Page 4, Section 7: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.

Page 5, Section 9. 13.: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1753.

Page 6, Section 9. 15.: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1705.

Page 6, Section 9. 16.: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1787.

Page 6, Section 9. 17.: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating r Form DFS-N1-1770.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-2002, Notice of Change in Location of Cinerator Facility:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69K-23.003	Renewal of Direct Disposer Licenses
69K-23.004	Direct Disposal Establishments

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 150, August 4, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-23.003 Direct Disposer Licensure and Renewal.

(1) To apply for direct disposer licensure, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Direct Disposer Licensure, Form DFS-N1-1744, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19907. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(d) No change.

(2) To renew a direct disposer license, the licensee must register and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit a renewal application and fees through the FACS-DICE system between June 1 and August 30 of every odd-numbered year, including:

(a) through (b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00; and

(d) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161, 497.602, 497.603 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.161, 497.602, 497.603 FS. History–New 9-28-11, Amended____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1744, Application for Direct Disposer Licensure:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" and "application" from required fees language.

Page 3, Section 7: Corrected to add the form number and incorporated rule for Form DFS-N1-1717.

Page 3, Section 8: Corrected to add the form number and incorporated rule for Form DFS-N1-1715.

Page 3, Section 9: Corrected to add the form number and incorporated rule for Form DFS-N1-1716.

Page 4, Section 11.b.: Corrected to add the correct form title, form number, and incorporated rule for Form DFS-N1-1704.

Page 4, Section 11.c.: Corrected to add the correct form title, form number, and incorporated rule for Form DFS-N1-1787.

69K-23.004 Direct Disposal Establishment Licensure, Renewal, and Change in Location.

(1) No change.

(2) To apply for direct disposal establishment licensure, an applicant shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Direct Disposal Establishment Licensure, Form DFS-N1-1757, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19908. The application must be completed and signed within 30 days prior to receipt by the Department and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) No change.

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee of $225.00; and

(e) No change.

(3) through (7) No change.

(8) To renew a direct disposal establishment license, the licensee must register and login through the FACS-DICE system, located at https://facs.fldfs.com/public/pb_index.asp. The licensee must submit a renewal application and fees through the FACS-DICE system between June 1 and August 30 of every odd-numbered year, including:

(a) No change.

(b) An A ~~non-refundable~~ renewal fee of $400.00;

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ unlicensed activity fee of $5.00;

(d) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee of $225.00; and

(e) No change.

(9) To report a change of location of a direct disposal establishment, the direct disposer in charge or funeral director in charge shall submit to the Department the following:

(a) The Notice of Change in Location of Direct Disposal Establishment, Form DFS-N1-2003, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery/ or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19911 and submitted in accordance with the instructions therein;

(b) A ~~non-refundable~~ new license fee of $25.00; and

(c) An ~~A non-refundable~~ annual inspection fee of $225.00.

(10) through (11) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.149, 497.161, 497.604 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.103, 497.140, 497.141, 497.142, 497.146, 497.149, 497.161, 497.604 FS. History–New 2-13-80, Amended 11-8-82, 8-16-83, Formerly 21J-23.04, Amended 6-5-90, Formerly 21J-23.004, Amended 4-10-94, 9-17-97, 1-4-98, 2-16-98, 5-17-98, 2-17-00, 6-14-00, 11-20-00, Formerly 61G8-23.004, Amended 5-19-09,____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1757, Application for Direct Disposal Establishment Licensure:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language. Added "nonrefundable" to licensure fees listed.

Page 2, Section 1E: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1718.

Page 3, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.

Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.

Page 4, Section 7: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.

Page 6, Section 9.h.: Amended to add the correct form titles, form numbers and rules incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704 and Form DFS-N1-1705.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-2003, Notice of Change in Location of Direct Disposal Establishment:

Page 1: Removed "nonrefundable" from required fees language.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
69K-24.022	Inspection Criteria for Removal Services
69K-24.032	Inspection Criteria for Refrigeration Services
69K-24.041	Requirements for Inspections of Centralized Embalming Facilities
69K-24.042	Inspection Criteria for Centralized Embalming Facilities

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with section 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 52 No. 114, June 12, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-24.022 Inspection Criteria for Removal Services.

Each removal service shall be inspected prior to licensure and shall meet the following criteria:

(1) through (2) No change.

(3) Maintain the premises in a clean and sanitary condition. "Clean and sanitary" means maintaining deathcare facilities, preparation areas, refrigeration, equipment, and transportation vehicles in a state free from dirt, dust, blood stains, bodily fluids, vermin, garbage, soiled linens, and hazardous chemical residue. All equipment shall be cleaned and treated with hospital-grade chemical disinfectants after handling each human body. Floors must be free of stains and spillage. Rooms shall be ventilated to prevent condensation, mold growth, and noxious odors. All waste materials shall be disposed at the end of each day according to local restrictions.

(4) through (5) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.149, 497.385 FS. Law Implemented 497.149, 497.385 FS. History–New 5-21-95, Amended 9-18-95, Formerly 61G8-24.022, Amended___.

69K-24.032 Inspection Criteria for Refrigeration Services.

Each refrigeration service shall be inspected prior to licensure and shall meet the following criteria:

(1) through (2) No change.

(3) Maintain the premises in a clean and sanitary condition. "Clean and sanitary" means maintaining deathcare facilities, preparation areas, refrigeration, equipment, and transportation vehicles in a state free from dirt, dust, blood stains, bodily fluids, vermin, garbage, soiled linens, and hazardous chemical residue. All equipment shall be cleansed and treated with hospital-grade chemical disinfectants after handling each human body. Floors must be free of stains and spillage. Rooms shall be ventilated to prevent condensation, mold growth, and noxious odors. All waste materials shall be disposed at the end of each day according to local restrictions.

(4) through (5) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.149, 497.385 FS. Law Implemented 497.149, 497.385 FS. History–New 5-21-95, Formerly 61G8-24.032, Amended___.

69K-24.041 Requirements for Inspections of Centralized Embalming Facilities.

(1) through (2) No change.

(3) The Department shall inspect centralized embalming facilities on the basis of the following:

(a) No change.

(b) A preparation room equipped as follows:

1. through 4. No change.

5. A hand sink with hot and cold water, a service sink, and a floor drain or sanitary drain, which is for the removal of body fluids and connected to a central sewage system or septic tank. The floor drain may be replaced by an alternative method of removal of body fluids which meets ~~meet~~ the sanitation requirements of Rule 69K-21.003, F.A.C.;

6. through 7. No change.

(4) through (6) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.149, 497.385 FS. Law Implemented 497.149, 497.385 FS. History–New 7-14-99, Formerly 61G8-24.041, Amended___.

69K-24.042 Inspection Criteria for Centralized Embalming Facilities.

Each centralized embalming facility shall be inspected prior to licensure and shall meet the following criteria:

(1) through (2) No change.

(3) Maintain the premises in a clean and sanitary condition. "Clean and sanitary" means maintaining deathcare facilities, preparation areas, refrigeration, equipment, and transportation vehicles in a state free from dirt, dust, blood stains, bodily fluids, vermin, garbage, soiled linens, and hazardous chemical residue. All equipment shall be cleansed and treated with hospital-grade chemical disinfectants after handling each human body. Floors must be free of stains and spillage. Rooms shall be ventilated to prevent condensation, mold growth, and noxious odors. All waste materials shall be disposed at the end of each day according to local restrictions.

(4) through (5) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.149, 497.385 FS. Law Implemented 497.149, 497.385 FS. History–New 5-26-99, Amended 1-30-02, Formerly 61G8-24.042, Amended___.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
69K-25.004	Limited License for Retired Professionals During Times of Critical Need

NOTICE OF CORRECTION

Notice is hereby given that the following correction has been made to the proposed rule in Vol. 52 No. 150, August 4, 2026, issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

69K-25.004 Limited Licensure for Retired Professionals During Times of Critical Need.

(1) No change.

(2) Each person desiring to obtain a limited license as a retired funeral director, embalmer, or funeral director and embalmer shall apply by submitting to the Department the following:

(a) The Application for Retired Professionals, Form DFS-N1-1746, effective 07/26, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available on the Department's website at https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/funeralcemetery or http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-19912. The application must be submitted in accordance with the instructions therein; and

(b) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 497.103, 497.141, 497.142, 497.143, 497.146 FS. Law Implemented 120.60, 497.141, 497.142, 497.143, 497.146 FS. History–New 6-2-09, Amended_____.

The following changes were made to Form DFS-N1-1746, Application for Retired Professionals:

Page 2, Section 4: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1717.

Page 2, Section 5: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1715.

Page 3, Section 6: Amended to add the form number and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1716.

Page 3, Section 8: Amended to add the correct form title, form number, and rule incorporating Form DFS-N1-1704.

Section IV
Emergency Rules

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Vessel Registration and Boating Safety

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

68DER26-1 Emergency Idle Speed No Wake Restriction to Vessels – St. Johns River

SPECIFIC FACTS AND REASONS FOR FINDING AN IMMEDIATE DANGER TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, OR WELFARE: Recent rains have resulted in flooded conditions along the St. Johns River north and west of Lake Monroe creating an immediate danger to vessel navigation for vessels transiting the area. Objects previously well above the water surface and objects previously on dry land are expected to become wholly or partially submerged, creating hazards to navigation. Operation of vessels at speeds in excess of Idle Speed on the waters of the St. Johns River between Highbanks Boat Ramp Flood Zone and Lake Monroe Flood Zone presents an immediate danger to vessels and their occupants and to persons in or near the river. An emergency rule reducing vessel operation speeds is necessary to protect the safety and welfare of the public in the vicinity of the St. Johns River north and west of Lake Monroe.

REASONS FOR CONCLUDING THAT THE PROCEDURE USED IS FAIR UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES: The Commission takes only the action necessary to protect the safety of the public in the narrowly tailored area of the State where specific flooding danger has been identified due to a severe weather event causing multi-day heavy rainfall and flash flooding. There is general concurrence from Volusia County Department of Emergency Services, Seminole County Office of Emergency Management, the Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission's Northeast region, and the FWC Boating and Waterways Section, that enactment of an Idle Speed No Wake boating restricted area in the St. Johns River between Highbanks Boat Ramp Flood Zone and Lake Monroe Flood Zone is essential for the protection of public safety. The emergency rule will be forwarded to the United States Coast Guard Seventh District for publication in their weekly Local Notice to Mariners. The boating public will be notified by publication in the local notice, by marine VHF radio broadcast of the Coast Guard's local notice, by personal contact from law enforcement officers, and by regulatory markers posted within the current and emergency flood zones. The boating restrictions established by this rule shall be active and enforceable only until the threat to public safety has subsided as evidenced by reduced flooding in the affected area. Information and current water level measurements may be viewed at https://water.noaa.gov/gauges/snff1#hg=official. Because the water levels on the St. Johns River are in constant flux, varying in response to wind directions, wind speed, and accumulated rainfall, the danger to life and property is such that normal rulemaking procedures would not adequately protect the public from the anticipated harm. The procedures used in this emergency rulemaking action are therefore fair under the circumstances.

SUMMARY: This action establishes: An Idle Speed No Wake boating restricted area on the waters of Lake Monroe and on the St. Johns River from Highbanks Boat Ramp Flood Zone to Lake Monroe Flood Zone.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE EMERGENCY RULE IS: Major Thomas VanTrees at Thomas.VanTrees@myfwc.com or (850)488-5600.

THE TEXT OF THE EMERGENCY RULE IS:

68DER26-1 Emergency Idle Speed No Wake Restriction to Vessels – St. Johns River.

(1) For the purpose of protecting public safety during flood conditions, an Idle Speed No Wake boating restricted area is established on the waters of the St. Johns River, specifically, shoreline to shoreline of the waters between the southern boundary of the Highbanks Boat Ramp Flood Zone and the northern boundary of the Lake Monroe Flood Zone.

(2) As provided in Section 327.70, F.S., this emergency rule shall be enforced by the Division of Law Enforcement of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission and its officers, the sheriffs of Volusia and Seminole Counties through which these waters flow and their respective deputies, and any other duly constituted law enforcement officers.

(3) Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this emergency rule shall be guilty of a non-criminal infraction, punishable as provided in Section 327.73, F.S.

(4) This emergency rule takes effect immediately upon being filed with the Department of State and will continue in effect for 90 days or fewer if the Executive Director of the Agency finds that the flooding conditions have sufficiently abated so that the restrictions are no longer justified.

Rulemaking Authority 327.04, 327.46 FS. Law Implemented 327.46 FS. History–New 11-19-26.

THIS RULE TAKES EFFECT UPON BEING FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE UNLESS A LATER DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THE RULE.
EFFECTIVE DATE: November 19, 2026

NOTE: The full text of Emergency Rules that are currently in effect can be viewed by going to https://flrules.org/Notice/emergencyRules.asp.

Section V
Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule Variance or Waiver

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
Division of Hotels and Restaurants
RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
61C-4.010 Sanitation and Safety Requirements
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR VARIANCE OR WAIVER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 19, 2026, the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, received a petition for a An Emergency Variance from El Sazon De Casa Lonchera LLC. located in Palm Bay.

Subparagraph 3-305.11(A)(2), 2017 FDA Food Code, Section 3-305.14, 2017 FDA Food Code, Section 6-202.15, 2017 FDA Food Code, Section 6-202.16, 2017 FDA Food Code, subsection 61C-4.010(1), Florida Administrative Code, and subsection 61C-4.010(6), Florida Administrative Code. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement for proper handling and dispensing of food. They are requesting to dispense bulk time/temperature control for safety foods from an open-air mobile food dispensing vehicle.

The Division of Hotels and Restaurants will accept comments concerning the Petition for 5 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received before 5:00 p.m.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting: Daisy.Aleman@myfloridalicense.com, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1011.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
Division of Hotels and Restaurants
RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
61C-1.004 General Sanitation and Safety Requirements
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR VARIANCE OR WAIVER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 19, 2026, the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, received a petition for an Emergency Variance from Crazy Bowl Acai USA LLC located in Orlando.

Paragraph 61C-1.004(1)(a), Florida Administrative Code and Section 5-203.13, 2017 FDA Food Code. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement that at least one service sink is provided for the cleaning of mops or similar cleaning tools and the disposal of mop water. They are requesting to share the mop sink located within an adjacent business under a different ownership.

The Division of Hotels and Restaurants will accept comments concerning the Petition for 5 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received before 5:00 p.m.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting: Daisy.Aleman@myfloridalicense.com, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1011.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Board of Massage Therapy
RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:
64B7-32.002 Proof of Graduation
64B7-32.003 Minimum Requirements for Board Approved Massage Therapy Schools
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR VARIANCE OR WAIVER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 18, 2026, the Board of Massage Therapy, received a petition for a variance and waiver from Ru Wang.

The Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of paragraph 64B7-32.002(2)(e), F.A.C., which identifies the campus of facility by address where classroom hours were completed and paragraph 64B7-32.003(1)(c), F.A.C., which requires Offer a course of study that includes, all required hours in each subject area listed below. All hours must be completed at a rate of no more than 6 hours per day and no more than 30 hours per calendar week. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Massage Therapy, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C06, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257, within 14 days of publication of this notice.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting: Brittany Auclair, Executive Director, Board of Massage Therapy, at the above listed address, (850)245-4162, or by electronic mail – brittany.auclair@flhealth.gov

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B9-3.002 Qualifications for Examination

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR VARIANCE OR WAIVER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 09, 2026, the Board of Nursing, received a petition for a variance or waiver from Nikovia Chanel Smith.

Petitioner is requesting a variance or waiver from Rule 64B9-3.002, F.A.C., which states in part, for an applicant writing the examination for practical nurses on the basis of practical nursing education equivalency, a completed Practical Nurse Equivalence (PNEQ) Application Letter or an official certified transcript which sets forth graduation from an approved professional program is required.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting: Laura Jensen, Executive Director, Board of Nursing, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C02, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3252; MQA.Nursing@flhealth.gov. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Nursing within 14 days of publication of this notice.

Section VI
Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

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.

DATE AND TIME: December 8, 2026, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Microsoft Teams Meeting

Join:

https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2733270025240784?p=TMFJAduh8c0Vud5i1I

Meeting ID: 273 327 002 524 078 4

Passcode: ba6ZU6FC

Dial in by phone

+1(850)391-8548,,507601228# United States, Tallahassee

Find a local number

Phone conference ID: 507 601 228#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Application Review Committee will meet to review applications submitted for licensure. The Board will then convene to vote on the Application Review Committee's recommendations.

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, PSM@fdacs.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: Christopher Green at PSM@fdacs.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: Christopher Green, Executive Director, Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers, 2005 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-6500, PSM@fdacs.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Division of Blind Services

The Division of Blind Services/Bureau of Business Enterprise announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 1, 2026, 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Via Microsoft Teams meeting

Join:

https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2568161087264734?p=KXk5HSQ0rDNcjdRH93

Meeting ID: 256 816 108 726 473 4

Passcode: N3g65KX2

Dial in by phone

+1(850)583-5063, 690085250# United States, Tallahassee

Phone conference ID: 690 085 250#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discussion of selection process.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mary Ellen Harding, maryellen.harding@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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Mary Ellen Harding, maryellen.harding@dbs.fldoe.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).

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For more information, you may contact: Mary Ellen Harding, maryellen.harding@dbs.fldoe.org

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REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

Northeast Florida Regional Planning Council

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

DATE AND TIME: December 3, 2026, 10:00 a.m. Executive Committee.

PLACE: 40 East Adams Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Regular Meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (904)279-0880.

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: (904)279-0880. 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).

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, December 3, 2026, 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Tallahassee, FL 32308

Virtual Option: State Consumer Health Information and Policy (SCHIP) Advisory Council

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a meeting of the State Consumer Health Information and Policy Advisory Council to which all interested parties are invited. The purpose is to conduct a meeting of key health care stakeholders to discuss issues relating to implementing Florida Statutes mandating transparency in health care through public reporting of health care data.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Crystal Ritter, Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Bldg. 3, Mail Stop #16, Tallahassee, FL 32308-5403. The agenda will also be posted at: 2026 Meeting Dates and Information | Florida Agency for Health Care Administration seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

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: Crystal Ritter, Florida Center for Health Information and Policy Analysis at Crystal.Ritter@ahca.myflorida.com or (850)412-3763.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Health Facility and Agency Licensing

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

DATE AND TIME: December 7, 2026, 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

PLACE: Marriott Orlando Downtown, 400 West Livingston Street, 2nd Floor, Ascension Salon C, Orlando, FL 32801

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a meeting of the Governor’s Panel on Excellence in Long-Term Care to which all interested parties are invited. The Panel will be meeting to review applications received for consideration for the Gold Seal Award and vote on recommendations to the Governor. Other business as needed may also be discussed.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jacquie Williams, Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop 33, Tallahassee, FL 32308, email: LTCStaff@ahca.myflorida.com.

For more information, you may contact: Jacquie Williams, Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop 33, Tallahassee, FL 32308, email: LTCStaff@ahca.myflorida.com.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation

The Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 11, 2026, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Via-Zoom or Telephone. To attend the meeting by telephone toll-free, please call (888)475-4499 US or (855)703-8985 Canada and enter meeting ID (429)115-1196 and pass code 412913 when prompted. Or to join the meeting via-Zoom please access the following link:

https://zoom.us/j/4291151196?pwd=YlJNUWd3VjhwakxVERXdzhjM3NGQT09

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Board will address official business of the Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation which will include, among other matters, a review of mobile homeowner applications for compensation and/or abandonment due to a change in use of the land comprising of the mobile home park, and such other businesses as may come before the Board. A schedule of future meetings will be determined.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Fran Gilbert at (888)320-0322 or fran@fmhrc.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 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Fran Gilbert at (888)320-0322 or fran@fmhrc.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).

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For more information, you may contact: Fran Gilbert at (888)320-0322 or fran@fmhrc.org.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:

64-4.225MMTC Marijuana Delivery Devices

64-4.226MMTC Harvest Failures and Wholesale Transfers

64-4.227MMTC Advertising and Marketing

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

DATE AND TIME: December 17, 2026, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon, unless concluded earlier.

PLACE: Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way #182, Tallahassee, FL 32399.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This rule hearing will consider the department's proposed rules to establish an approval process and standards related to marijuana delivery devices; to establish an approval process and standards related to harvest failures and wholesale purchases of marijuana; and to implement standards for advertising and marketing by medical marijuana treatment centers.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: https://knowthefactsmmj.com/public-meetings/ or Meredith Hayes at OMMURules@FLHealth.gov or at (850)245-4657, or at 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin M-01 Tallahassee, FL 32399. A copy of the agenda will be available no later than one week prior to the hearing.

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: Meredith Hayes at OMMURules@FLHealth.gov or at (850)245-4657. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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

The Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 4, 2026, 10:00 a.m., EST

PLACE: Please join the meeting from your computer, tablet or phone using Microsoft TEAMS https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2452047533709239?p=JJ32pcNMgiHLWu3k3k

or by phone (850)792-1375 using Access Code: 925 548 475#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Probable Cause Panel meeting in which reconsiderations will be heard.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Trenia Gage, Program Operations Administrator by phone at (850)558-9599, by email at Trenia.gage@flhealth.gov, or by visiting https://floridasmentalhealthprofessions.gov/meeting-information/upcoming-meetings/.

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: Trenia Gage, Program Operations Administrator by phone at (850)558-9599, by email at Trenia.gage@flhealth.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: Trenia Gage, Program Operations Administrator by phone at (850)558-9599, by email at Trenia.gage@flhealth.gov

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

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

DATE AND TIME: CANCELED Friday, November 20, 2026, 1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time

PLACE: CANCELED Florida Department of Revenue, 2450 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Building 2, Room 1250, Tallahassee, Florida 32311

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: UPDATE: The Florida PALM Executive Steering Committee meeting has been CANCELED.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: N/A

SOUTH FLORIDA COMMUNITY CARE NETWORK

The South Florida Community Care Network, LLC d/b/a Community Care Plan announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 17, 2026, 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Memorial Healthcare System, 3111 Stirling Road, Hollywood, Florida 33312 in the 3111 Executive Conference Room.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Members will meet to discuss general matters.

Interested persons may submit written comments or other documentation regarding the Member Meeting to: Attn: Legal Department, South Florida Community Care Network, LLC d/b/a Community Care Plan, 1643 Harrison Parkway, Suite H-200, Sunrise, Florida 33323, Email: public.comments@ccpcares.org.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Migdalia Soto-Roba at mroba@ccpcares.org or (954)622-3227.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Victoria Tuffy at vtuffy@ccpcares.org or (954)622-3232. 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: Justin Marshall, Esq., Senior Vice President and Chief Legal Officer, South Florida Community Care Network, LLC d/b/a Community Care Plan, at jmarshall@ccpcares.org or (954)622-3402.

KIMLEY-HORN AND ASSOCIATES, INC.

The Osceola County Transportation & Transit Department announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Tuesday, December 1, 2026, 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m., VIRTUALLY; Thursday, December 3, 2026, 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., IN PERSON

PLACES: IN-PERSON: St. Cloud Community Center (3101 17th Street, St. Cloud, FL 34769); VIRTUALLY on GoToWebinar

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Osceola County is holding a virtual Public Meeting on Tuesday, December 1, 2026, from 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m., and an in-person meeting on Thursday, December 3, 2026, from 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., regarding the Proposed Turnpike Mainline/SR 91 and Waterlin Boulevard Interchange Project Development & Environment (PD&E) Study.

The purpose of this PD&E is to evaluate and provide a new local access connection to accommodate existing and future transportation demand, enhance safety and connectivity between the Turnpike and the planned local roadway network, and improve travel time reliability. This project will also provide additional access to the Turnpike for emergency responders and evacuation operations for surrounding communities. The public meeting is being held to present information and receive community feedback.

The County is offering multiple ways to participate in the meeting. All participants will receive the same information regardless of which option they choose.

• Virtual Meeting (Online) Option: Interested persons may participate in a Virtual Public Meeting on Tuesday, December 1, 2026, from a computer, tablet, or mobile device via GoToWebinar at https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5424339919178773854 (case sensitive). The meeting will run from 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. and will include the same presentation offered at the in-person open house. Attendees in the virtual meeting will have an opportunity to download project displays and provide comments or ask questions.

• Phone-In Option (Listen Only): Persons may also call into the Virtual Public Meeting by dialing (866)901-6455 and entering the passcode 405-552-036 when prompted. Persons choosing this option are encouraged to provide comments or ask questions after the virtual meeting by contacting Osceola County Project Manager Jennifer Stults.

• In-Person Option: The community is invited to attend the Public Meeting at the St. Cloud Community Center, 3101 17th Street, St. Cloud, FL, 34769 on Thursday, December 3, 2026. Attendees will have an opportunity to come anytime between 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. to view a looping presentation and project displays, speak with project team members, and provide comments.

If you are unable to attend the open house or participate online, you may contact the Osceola County Project Manager, Jennifer Stults, directly at the phone number listed below.

The County is seeking feedback from nearby property owners, business owners, interested persons, organizations, and the general public about this project and the proposed improvements.

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

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Brenda Hernandez, Osceola County Title VI Coordinator, at (407)742-1208 or Brendai.Hernandez@osceola.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: Osceola County Project Manager, Jennifer Stults, by phone at (407)742-7813, by email at Jennifer.Stults@osceola.org, or U.S. mail at Osceola County Transportation & Transit Department, 1 Courthouse Square, Suite 2100, Kissimmee, FL 34741. Information about this project is also available online at https://one.osceola.org/waterlinblvdinterchange. We encourage you to participate in the Proposed Turnpike Mainline/SR 91 and Waterlin Boulevard Interchange PD&E Study Public Meeting.

CARPE DIEM COMMUNITY SOLUTIONS, INC.

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, December 10, 2026, 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. (CST), 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. (EST)

PLACES: Virtual: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7644062578915420768

In-Person:

FDOT District Three Headquarters, Design Conference Room, 1074 Highway 90, Chipley, FL 32428

FDOT District Three Milton Operations, Conference Room A, 6025 Old Bagdad Highway, Milton, FL 32583

FDOT District Three Midway Operations, Conference Room, 17 Commerce Boulevard, Midway, FL 32343

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) invites you to attend a hybrid public hearing regarding the Tentative Five-Year Work Program for fiscal years 2028 through 2032, on Thursday, December 10, 2026, 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. (CST), 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. (EST).

The purpose of the tentative work program is to provide direction on where and when to build transportation system improvements. The program is used to forecast funds needed for improvements across all modes of transportation such as roadway, bicycle, pedestrian, freight, trails, transit, aviation, and seaports.

This tentative work program provides proposed transportation projects for the 16 counties in FDOT District Three, which include: Bay, Calhoun, Escambia, Franklin, Gadsden, Gulf, Holmes, Jackson, Jefferson, Leon, Liberty, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Wakulla, Walton, and Washington.

This hearing is being held to present information and receive community feedback.

The Department is offering multiple ways for the community to participate in the hearing. All participants, regardless of the platform they choose, will be presented with the same information.

Virtual Option:

Interested persons may join from a computer, tablet, or mobile device at www.fdot.gov/wpph/district3. Pre-registration is required for the virtual format.

Please register by visiting: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7644062578915420768

In-Person Options:

Participants may attend the hearing in-person at one of three in-person locations. In-person participants are asked to register to attend one of the three in-person locations at: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7644062578915420768

• FDOT District Three Headquarters, Design Conference Room, 1074 Highway 90, Chipley

• FDOT District Three Milton Operations, Conference Room A, 6025 Old Bagdad Highway, Milton

• FDOT District Three Midway Operations, Conference Room, 17 Commerce Boulevard, Midway

If you have any questions or issues registering, please contact Carla Hodges, FDOT District Three Program Management Administrator, toll-free at (888)638-0250 ext. 1213 or via email at carla.hodges@dot.state.fl.us.

This hearing is being held pursuant to paragraph 339.135(4)(c), Florida Statutes, as amended, to give interested persons an opportunity to express their views concerning the FDOT District Three Tentative Five-Year Work Program. The hearing will begin at 1:00 p.m. (CST), 2:00 p.m. (EST). with a presentation explaining the FDOT's work program process followed by a presentation highlighting projects planned in the Fiscal Year 2028-2032 District Three Tentative Work Program for Bay, Calhoun, Escambia, Franklin, Gadsden, Gulf, Holmes, Jackson, Jefferson, Leon, Liberty, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Wakulla, Walton, and Washington counties. A public comment period will follow the presentation and the hearing will adjourn at the conclusion of the public comments.

Additional information and documents are available and can be viewed by visiting: www.fdot.gov/wpph/district3

FDOT representatives will be available to discuss the work program, answer questions, and receive comments. Persons wishing to submit written comments may do so at the hearing or by emailing Carla Hodges, FDOT District Three Program Management Administrator, at d3-phcomments@dot.state.fl.us, or by mailing written comments to Mr. Tim Smith, P.E., District Secretary, FDOT District Three, 1074 Highway 90, Chipley, FL 32428. Comments can also be made through the website at www.fdot.gov/wpph/district3. All comments provided, or postmarked, on or before Sunday, December 20, 2026, will become part of the official record.

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 District Program Management Administrator at the information provided 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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The FDOT District Program Management Administrator at the information provided 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: 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
Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Finance

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR DECLARATORY STATEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Office of Financial Regulation has received the petition for declaratory statement from Ocean Coast Mortgage LLC filed on November 11, 2026.

The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Chapter 494, Florida Statutes, as it applies to the petitioner.

The petition seeks a declaratory statement from the Office on whether Petitioner's proposed fee structure complies with Chapter 494, Florida Statutes. Petitioner is a mortgage broker. It does not make, fund, underwrite, or service loans. It arranges loans with third-party wholesale lenders, principally non-qualified-mortgage ("non-QM") and DSCR(debt-service-coverage-ratio) lenders and investors, such as licensed mortgage lenders and other institutional investors. Except for good cause shown, motions for leave to intervene must be filed within 21 days after publication of this notice.

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

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

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

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

NONE

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

NONE

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

NONE

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

NONE

Section XI
Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing

NONE

Section XII
Miscellaneous

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Index of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State Pursuant to subparagraphs 120.55(1)(b)7. – 8., F.S., the below list of rules were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State between 3:00 p.m., Friday, November 13, 2026, and 3:00 p.m., Thursday, November 19, 2026.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
1S-2.009	11/17/2026	12/7/2026
1S-2.0091	11/17/2026	12/7/2026
1S-2.042	11/17/2026	12/7/2026
5P-10.001	11/13/2026	7/1/2026
5P-10.002	11/13/2026	7/1/2026
5P-10.003	11/13/2026	7/1/2026
5P-10.004	11/13/2026	7/1/2026
12-6.030	11/18/2026	1/1/2027
12-6.032	11/18/2026	1/1/2027
12-13.001	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12-13.009	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12-13.010	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12-18.001	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12-21.002	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12-24.011	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12-26.001	11/19/2026	1/1/2027
12-26.002	11/19/2026	1/1/2027
12-26.003	11/19/2026	1/1/2027
12-26.008	11/19/2026	1/1/2027
12-29.003	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12-29.004	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12A-1.007	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12A-1.0371	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12A-1.053	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12A-1.097	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12A-1.110	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12A-1.117	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12B-5.150	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12B-8.003	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12C-1.051	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12C-3.0015	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12C-3.006	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12C-3.008	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
12C-3.010	11/18/2026	12/8/2026
20ER26-1	11/13/2026	11/16/2026
20ER26-2	11/13/2026	11/16/2026
59G-4.324	11/13/2026	12/3/2026
61G15-19.004	11/13/2026	12/3/2026
62-40.310	11/19/2026	12/9/2026
65C-15.0031	11/13/2026	12/3/2026
68DER26-1	11/19/2026	11/19/2026
69K-1.003	11/19/2026	12/9/2026
69K-1.007	11/19/2026	12/9/2026
LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES		
Rule No.	**File Date**	**Effective Date**
65C-9.004	3/31/2022	**/**/****

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
Child Support Program
Notice of Completed Rule Review
RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:
12E-1.0052 Unidentifiable Payments
12E-1.008 Determination of Cooperation; Determination of Noncooperation; Determination of Good Cause to Not Cooperate
12E-1.012 Consumer Reporting Agencies
12E-1.021 Case Closure
12E-1.023 Suspension of Driver License; Suspension of Motor Vehicle Registration
12E-1.027 Written Agreements for Payment of Past-Due Support
12E-1.030 Administrative Establishment of Child Support Obligations
12E-1.036 Administrative Establishment of Paternity and Support Obligations
12E-1.037 Notification to Withhold Support from Reemployment Assistance
12E-1.040 Intergovernmental Forms
12E-1.041 Review for Modification of Support Order
12E-1.042 Income Withholding
Notice is hereby given that on November 19, 2026, the above rules completed the rule review process pursuant to Section 120.5435, F.S.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY
FLORIDA FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT (FFONSI)
Carrabelle DW19041

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) has determined that the construction project by the City of Carrabelle to improve their water system in Lanark Village is not expected to have a significant adverse impact on the environment. The total estimated project cost is $6 million. The project may qualify for Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) loans composed of federal and state funds. DEP will consider public comments about the environmental impacts of the proposed project that are postmarked or delivered at the address below within 30 days of this notice. A full copy of the FFONSI can be obtained by writing to Paul Brandl, SRF Program, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, calling (850)245-2986 or emailing paul.brandl@floridadep.gov.

Section XIII
Index to Rules Filed During Preceding Week

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