Section I Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Emergency Medical Operations

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:

64J-2.004 Adult Trauma Scorecard Methodology 64J-2.005 Pediatric Trauma Scorecard Methodology PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This rulemaking implements new trauma triage scoreboard methodologies.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Scorecard Methodology.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 395.4045, 395.405 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 395.4045 FS.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Rob Wheeler, (850)245-4005, Ext. 3360

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

Section II Proposed Rules

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES

Division of Driver Licenses

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
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	Program (DELAP)
15A-1.028	Fraudulent Driver License Applicants
15A-1.0296	Substance Abuse Courses Required for
	Licensing

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of these amendments is to revise standards for driver license exams and update a scoring ratio. The amendments will also address forms incorporated throughout the rule chapter.

SUMMARY: The rule is revised to allow for the driver license exam to be changed from two 20 question exams to one 50 question exam, clarifies that if an applicant is unable to read, the exam will be provided orally, requires that the exact same questions be used if exam is given orally, clarifies that Third Party Administrators of the Driver License Exam may not provide the questions orally, removed language capping the amount paid for an interpreter, removes language that requires the Driver License/Tax Collector office to readminister vision exam and instead requires a report from an eye specialist, clarifies which vehicle safety standards will be inspected prior to the driving exam being administered, removes language about the department impounding a vehicle if it is not found safe to administer the exam, clarifies that in the event of a crash, dangerous driving action, traffic law violation, or lack of cooperation or refusal to follow directions on the part of the applicant, the test will be terminated and the applicant disqualified, clarifies that a driver who is unable to pass the driving portion of the exam after five attempts within a one year period, will be suspended as incompetent to drive for one year following the fifth exam. Repeals several rules in this Chapter as they have been codified in statute.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The nature of the rule, input from the affected industry, and the preliminary analysis conducted to determine whether a SERC was required.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 322.02, 322.02(6), 322.13, 322.212, 322.27 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 120.57, 316.211, 316.271, 316.294, 316.614, 316.646, 318.15, 322.02, 322.03, 322.04, 322.05, 322.07, 322.08, 322.08(2), 322.09(1)(b), 322.095, 322.12, 322.121, 322.13(1)(b)1., 322.13(1)(b)2., 322.13(2), 322.14, 322.141, 322.15, 322.16, 322.18, 322.19, 322.21, 322.21(3), 322.212, 322.22, 322.221, 322.245, 322.25, 322.27, 322.27(1), 322.271, 322.28, 322.282, 322.29, 322.32, 322.32(5), 322.33, 627.733 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW (IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

DATE AND TIME: April 10, 2014, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Room B130, Tallahassee, Florida 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 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ray Graves, Program Manager, 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Room A201, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0500, raygraves@flhsmv.gov, (850)617-2529. 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 IS: Ray Graves, Program Manager, 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, FL. 32399-0500, Room A201, raygraves@flhsmv.gov, (850) 617-2529.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

15A-1.0015 Translation of Foreign Documents.

All documents listed in Rule 15A 1.0012, F.A.C., and submitted to the Department for the purpose of establishing or proving date of birth or for identification, in a language other than English, must be accompanied by a translation of that

document into the English language. The translation must be sworn to by the translator as being a true and accurate translation

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.03, 322.08(2), 322.09(1)(b) FS. History–New 12-22-92, Repealed

15A-1.003 Licenses Restricted as to Use.

- (1) Applicants who are blind in one eye shall be issued licenses restricted to an outside rearview mirror on the left side of any vehicle that they drive.
- (2) Applicants who are deaf or hard of hearing shall be issued licenses restricted to an outside rearview mirror on the left side of any vehicle that they drive.
- (3) Applicants whose uncorrected vision is improved by corrective lenses to meet licensing requirements, shall be issued licenses restricted to the use of corrective lenses.
- (4) Applicants who present a signed statement from a licensed eye specialist that the wearing of corrective lenses would be harmful to the applicant and who meet minimum vision standards for licensing in Florida, shall be licensed unrestricted.
- (5)(4) Applicants who have the following physical handicap shall be issued licenses restricted to the use of the indicated special equipment on any vehicle they drive unless they demonstrate by successfully passing a <u>driving exam driver's road test</u> that a particular item is not needed:
- (a) Either hand or arm missing or useless Power steering or steering wheel knob or grip, directional signals, automatic transmission.
- (b) Both hands or arms missing or useless Automatic transmission, power steering, directional signals, wing type windshield wiper controls.
- (c) Either foot or leg missing or useless Hand dimmer switch, automatic transmission.
- (d) Both feet or legs missing or useless Hand dimmer switch, hand throttle, hand brake, automatic transmission, directional signals.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.16 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.03, Amended 12-22-92.

15A-1.004 Reciprocity.

(1) Valid driver licenses, in the possession of nonresident operators of motor vehicles, that were issued by another state, territory or possession of the United States, or by the United States Government for driving motor vehicles owned or leased by the United States, or by another country under the international convention of road traffic of 1949, are valid in this state for purposes of operating motor vehicles in this state,

subject to Chapters 316, 322 and 324, F.S., and rules adopted pursuant thereto.

- (2) All applicants who are licensed in another state, United States possession or country, must successfully pass the vision test for the issuance of a Florida driver license.
- (3) For the purposes of subsections (1) and (2), the extension of driver licenses issued by another state, a possession of the United States, or by the District of Columbia to members or discharged veterans of the armed forces of the United States will be recognized based on the law of the issuing state, possession or district.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.04 FS. History—New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.04, Amended 12-22-92, Repealed

15A-1.005 Current Licenses; Relinquishment.

- (1) An applicant for a driver license examination is required to relinquish all current driver licenses to the Department with the application prior to being permitted to take an examination; provided, however, that a nonresident who is not applying for a commercial driver license commuting to this state to work, or part time resident from any other state or country license jurisdiction, shall upon affidavit of such facts be allowed to keep the license, but in such case any Florida driver's license issued shall be valid in this state only. Applicants for driver licenses, who do not have current driver's license at the time of the application, shall so state by affidavit.
- (2) A notice of clearance from the issuing state may be required if the applicant has previously been licensed in another state, if necessary to establish eligibility.
- (3) Out of state applicants who do not initially qualify on the examination when applying for a Florida driver's license can retain their out of state license until they again apply for a Florida license, unless the applicant's vision does not meet the Department's minimum vision standards, whereupon the out-of state license would be revoked for inadequate vision.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.03 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.05, Amended 12-22-92, Repealed

15A-1.0051 Renewal of License; Resident Temporarily Out of the State.

- (1) A resident of this state who renews a driver's license while temporarily out of the state shall, upon request, be issued a driver's license without a signature or photograph. Upon return to the state, a replacement license will be issued pursuant to subsection 15A 1.020(2), F.A.C.
- (2) A resident temporarily out of this state but in another state of the United States may substitute the written test of the other state for the Florida re examination.

(3) A resident temporarily in another country may have the Florida re examination administered by a qualified person in the other country.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.12, 322.14, 322.141, 322.18 FS. History–New 12-22-92, Repealed

15A-1.008 Drug Addiction and Alcoholism.

(1) Whenever the Department has good cause to believe, or the applicant states, that the applicant is addicted to drugs or alcohol, the applicant shall forward a Medical Report (form HSMV 72423 revised 9/88, and herein incorporated by reference), obtained from the Department at 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida, from a licensed physician to the Department for approval to apply for the license examination. The report shall state that the physician believes the applicant's drug and/or alcohol use would not cause the applicant to be incapable of operating a motor vehicle safely.

(2) An applicant who has been committed to, or a patient in, any public or private sanitarium, hospital, or similar institution because of drug addiction or alcoholism shall present a certified copy of the discharge from such institution to the Department for approval to apply for a license examination. Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.05 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.08, Amended 12-22-92, Repealed

15A-1.009 Mental Condition.

- (1) Whenever the Department has good cause to believe that an applicant is mentally incompetent, or otherwise unsafe mentally to drive, or the applicant admits being subject to sudden attacks of unconsciousness, dizziness, convulsive seizures, or other similar mental disorders, the applicant shall forward a Medical Report (form HSMV 72423, as incorporated in Rule 15A 1.008, F.A.C.) from a licensed physician to the Department for approval to apply for the license examination. The report shall state that the physician believes the applicant is capable of operating a motor vehicle safely.
- (2) An applicant previously adjudged incompetent shall present a certified copy of the court order restoring competency to the Department for approval to apply for the license examination.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.05 FS. History—New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.09, Amended 12-22-92, Repealed

15A-1.010 Physical Condition.

(1) Whenever the Department has good cause to believe that an applicant is physically incapable of driving safely, or the applicant admits being subject to heart attacks, convulsive seizures, palsy, fainting spells, or other similar physical disorders, and such physical condition would not permit the issuance of a license, the applicant shall forward a Medical Report (form HSMV-72423, as incorporated in Rule 15A-1.008, F.A.C.) from a licensed physician to the Department for approval to apply for the license examination. The report shall state that the physician believes the applicant is capable of operating a motor vehicle safely.

(2) An applicant with a physical impairment that the Department believes requires special consideration for safe driving shall be given a driving ability examination and issued a driver's license that is restricted in use to special requirements as provided in Rules 15A 1.003 and 15A 1.013, F.A.C.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.05 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.10, Amended 12-22-92, Repealed

15A-1.012 Driver License Examinations: Scoring.

An applicant shall fail an examination for any of the following:

- (1) Written Road sign/road rules examinations failing to correctly answer identify at least eighty percent of questions fifteen of twenty signs on the road sign examination, and failing to correctly answer at least fifteen of twenty questions on the road rules examination taken.
- (2) Motorcycle operation examination—failing to correctly answer at least fifteen of twenty questions.

(2)(3) Cheating is the unauthorized use of any material, devices, or communications on subsections (1) or (2). The use of any material or communicating with another person, except to the person administering the examination, is prohibited. To do so will result in immediate failure.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.12 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.12, Amended 12-22-92,

15A-1.0125 Oral Examinations.

- (1) If an applicant is unable to read, any required <u>Class E</u> <u>written examination</u> road rules or road sign tests shall be given orally or by an automated audio device.
- (2) The <u>test question pool</u> <u>same examination questions</u> shall be used for <u>all</u> <u>both written</u>, <u>automated</u>, <u>and oral</u> examinations, <u>including those administered on-line or orally</u>.
- (3) Unless an automated testing system is in the office, the examiner shall administer the <u>Class E written</u> road rules examination by orally asking each question of the applicant and noting the response. The examiner shall administer the oral road sign test by reading to the applicant two possible answers for what kind of sign it is and two possible answers for what the sign means, and then recording the responses. The <u>Class E written examination oral road signs identification test must be facing the applicant while the test is being administered.</u> The examiner must explain that at least <u>eighty percent of questions</u>

fifteen signs and fifteen rules must be answered correctly for the applicant to pass. Third Parties are not authorized to administer oral exams.

- (4) Oral tests shall consist of the same number of questions or road signs as the corresponding written or automated tests which would ordinarily be given a literate applicant in the same situation. An applicant shall fail an oral test for the same reasons as for a written or automated test, as provided for in Rule 15A-1.012, F.A.C.
- (5) Examiners shall record the fact that an applicant was given an oral examination by checking the "oral" box on the application. If the examination was administered in a language other than English, the "non English" box shall also be checked.

(4)(6) Deaf applicants will be permitted to take an oral examination through an interpreter who shall be supplied by the applicant if a Department supplied interpreter is not available. No commercial driving school employees shall serve as interpreters. Whenever possible, the interpreter should not be related to the applicant. Prior to the beginning of the examination, the interpreter shall sign an Interpreter's Affidavit (form HSMV-71472, Revised 2/14 8/87, and herein incorporated by reference), obtained at the driver license office when the examination is taken, that during the course of the examination no attempt will be made to assist the applicant by coaching or by supplying answers or hints, and that the interpreter's sole service to the applicant during the examination will be the rendering of a true and accurate interpretation of the examiner's questions and the applicant's responses. If the interpreter refuses to sign the Interpreter's Affidavit, the application procedure shall immediately cease and no examination will be given. The Department will issue local purchase orders up to one-hundred dollars (\$100) for payment to interpreters of deaf or hearing impaired applicants. Rulemaking Authority 322.02(3) FS. Law Implemented 322.12, 322.121, 322.21(3), 322.212, 322.32(5) FS. History-New 9-18-79, Formerly 15A-1.125, Amended 12-22-92,

15A-1.013 Minimum Visual Standards for Licensing.

- (1) Applicants reading worse than 20/40 in either eye with or without corrective lenses are referred to a licensed eye specialist for possible improvement. Upon return to an examining office the applicant will be retested for visual acuity.
- (2) Applicants reading 20/70 in either eye, with or without corrective lenses, are qualified if vision cannot be improved; however, if one eye is blind, or 20/200 or worse, the other eye must be 20/40 or better or a license shall not be issued.
- (3) Applicants reading 20/80 or worse, in each eye when neither eye can be improved shall not <u>be</u> licensed.

- (4) Applicants whose visual acuity is improved by corrective lenses to meet the above requirements shall be restricted to driving while wearing such lenses.
- (5) An applicant wearing contact lenses who does not wish to be restricted to corrective lenses shall be advised that the Department must determine if the uncorrected visual acuity meets Department vision requirements. Determination shall be by:
- (a) Presenting a contact lens wearer card prepared by an eye specialist showing applicant's uncorrected acuity, or
- (b) Presenting a Report of Eye Examination (form HSMV-72010, Revised <u>6/11</u> <u>3/90</u>, and herein incorporated by reference), <u>provided by the Department</u> obtained at a local driver license office, completed by an eye specialist, or
 - (c) Return later when not wearing the corrective lenses.
- (6) Whenever there is a difference of more than 20 points between the acuity reported by the eye specialist and the reading from the vision screening equipment by the driver license examiner, the driver license examiner will so notify the eye specialist to determine an explanation for the difference. If after the explanation, the point difference remains the same, the examiner will request the applicant to get a comparison eye report from another eye specialist.
 - (7) Minimum acceptable field of vision is 130 140 degrees.
- (8) Use of telescopic lenses to meet minimum visual requirements is not permitted.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.12, 322.15, 322.16 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.13, Amended 12-22-92,______.

- 15A-1.014 <u>Driving Exam Administration</u> Vehicle Inspection.
- (1) Demonstration of driving ability shall be in a motor vehicle furnished by the applicant.
- (1)(2) The following items Items listed in the "Florida Examiner's Manual" (form HSMV 71999, Revised 6/27/91 and herein incorporated by reference), obtained from the Department at 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida, will be inspected prior to demonstration of driving ability: equipment in safe working condition, including windows and mirrors; horn; headlights, brakelights, tail lights, and directional signals; foot and emergency brakes; tires; windshield wipers; and exhaust system.
- (a) In cases where the driving test will not be given because the vehicle is unsafe or improperly equipped, the application will be processed as incomplete. The applicant will be required to return with an appropriate or repaired vehicle. The applicant may return and be tested in a different vehicle provided that vehicle has a valid tag (license plate) and passes the vehicle inspection.

- (b) The Department is not responsible for impounding the applicant's vehicle if it is defective nor is the Department liable if the applicant drives the vehicle.
- (2)(3) Applicants restricted to special equipment discussed in Rule 15A-1.003 F.A.C., must be tested in vehicles equipped with such special equipment.
- (3)(4) Applicants will be required to wear seat belts as provided by Section 316.614, F.S. Vehicles not in compliance with this statute cannot be used for a driving test.
- (4)(5) Proof of valid motor vehicle insurance <u>and license</u> <u>plate</u> as required by Florida law, must be demonstrated for vehicles used for driving tests.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.12, 316.271, 316.294, 316.614, 316.646, 627.733 FS. History—New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.14, Amended 12-22-92.

- 15A-1.015 Driving Ability, Demonstration: Scoring Criteria.
- (1) Any applicant who scores 31 or more penalty points on the Class E driving exam will not qualify for a driver license. Record of Driver Examination (form HSMV-71110, Revised 10/13, and herein incorporated by reference) Specific scoring criteria are listed in the "Florida Examiner's Manual" (form HSMV 71999, as incorporated in Rule 15A 1.014, F.A.C.).
- (2) <u>Termination</u> Failure to qualify, or termination of a test, <u>will may</u> also occur in the event of a crash, dangerous driving action, traffic law violation, or lack of cooperation or refusal to <u>follow directions</u> on the part of the applicant <u>under the conditions listed in the "Florida Examiner's Manual"</u>.
- (3) Applicants who fail to pass the driving test portion within five (5) attempts within a one year period shall have driving privileges be suspended for one (1) year as incompetent to drive incapable of operating a motor vehicle safely and will be served with a Order of License Revocation or Suspension (form HSMV 72101, Revised 1/88, and herein incorporated by reference)

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.12, <u>322.27</u>, <u>322.28</u> FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.15, Amended 12-22-92, ______.

- 15A-1.016 Test/Examination Failure; Disqualification: Procedure.
- (1) Applicants are required to successfully complete the written tests and vision test before being permitted to demonstrate driving ability.
- (2) Once the written and vision tests have been successfully passed, such tests need not be retaken upon failure of the driving test unless the test results are no longer a matter of record.
- (3) Upon failing a vision <u>or written</u> road rule, or road sign test/examination, another test/examination may be taken on the day of failure, examining time permitting.

(4) An applicant shall not be permitted to take more than one driving test on any one day unless specifically authorized by an office supervisor or higher authority.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.12 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.16, Amended 12-22-92,

15A-1.017 Re-examinations.

- (1) Any driver whose driver license has been revoked or suspended by this state or another state, is required, after approval by the Department, to pass the license examinations for a new driver's license as applicable according to the Florida Examiner's Manual (form HSMV 71999, as incorporated in Rule 15A 1.014, F.A.C.) reinstatement procedures. Suspensions for financial responsibility reasons and under Section 318.15, F.S. are excluded.
- (2) Section 322.29, F.S., authorizes the Department to require the driving test for certain suspensions, revocations and cancellations, pursuant to Section 322.221, F.S. These are:
 - (a) Suspensions:
- 1. Failed to pass driver's license examination—out of state resident.
- 2. Failed to report for driver's license examination—outof-state resident.
 - 3. Failed driver's license examination (road test) 5 times.
 - 4. Failed to pass when only the driving test is required.
 - 5. Failed to pass required driver's license examination.
- 6. Failed to report for the required driver's license examination.
 - 7. Failed to report when only the driving test is required.
 - 8. Incapable of operating a motor vehicle safely.
- 9. Incapable of operating a motor vehicle safely—failed examination.
- (b) Revocations: Incapable of operating a motor vehicle safely.
 - (c) Cancellations:
 - 1. Altered birth date.
 - 2. Complete examination required for driver's license.
- 3. Counterfeit driver's license not accepted for Florida License.
 - 4. Driver's license voluntarily surrendered.
 - 5. Driving test required for driver's license.
 - 6. Examination required when restricted license expires.
 - 7. Examination required for driver's license.
 - 8. Examination required to reinstate cancelled license.
 - 9. Expired out of state license not accepted.
- 10. False information given on an application for a driver's license.
 - 11. Fraudulently altered driver's license.
 - 12. Not of age to hold a driver license.
 - 13. Not of age to purchase driver's license.

- (3) All drivers determined by the Department to require reexamination as provided in Section 322.221, F.S., shall be notified by the Department at least 5 days prior to the date of the required examination. The license of any driver failing to be re examined shall be automatically suspended and shall not be reinstated except as provided in subsection (1) of this section.
- (4) Drivers being re examined for commercial licenses who disqualify on the commercial license examination shall, upon qualifying by examination, be issued non commercial licenses.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.22, 322.221, 322.29 FS. History—New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.17, Amended 12-22-92, Repealed

15A-1.019 Reinstatement; Hardship.

Any driver whose driver's license has been suspended, revoked, or cancelled for any reason, other than those <u>that are statutorily prohibited exceptions listed in paragraph (5) below</u>, and habitual offenders during the first year of their five year revocation, may apply immediately to the Department for the modification of the order or the reinstatement of a license pursuant to Section 322.271, F.S., as follows:

- (1) Furnish the Department with a completed the request for an administrative hearing by personal letter or on an Application for Administrative Hearing Hardship License (form HSMV-78306 72306, Revised 12/13 12/91, and herein incorporated by reference), obtained from a Department local Driver Improvement office, and the following:
 - (a) Driver's license, if in applicant's possession.
- (b) A Statement of Hardships (form HSMV 72307, Revised 9/92, and herein incorporated by reference), obtained from a local Driver Improvement office, containing the following: full name; address; date of birth; driver's license number; date and reason for suspension, revocation or eancellation; and statements as to why a driver's license is needed; applicant's intentions regarding driving habits, if license is returned; and a list of all arrests for traffic violations in this and any other state.
- (c) Three letters of recommendation from respected persons in the community in which the applicant resides.
- (c)(d) Proof of driver improvement school requirements as provided in Section 322.271, F.S.
- (2) If, after the hearing, the Department modifies its suspension, revocation or cancellation order or reinstates the use of the applicant's driver's license, such use will be for employment or business purposes only as defined in Section 322.271(1)(e), F.S. for the remaining period of the original suspension or revocation.
- (3) If, after the hearing, the Department affirms its original order, no further hearing shall be held, except that another hearing shall be granted by the Department if proof of new

evidence is submitted within three months from the first hearing.

- (4) A violation of the restrictions imposed on the use of a reinstated license shall cause the license to be automatically suspended or revoked for the remainder of the period of the original suspension or revocation.
- (5) Exceptions to reinstatement on a limited restricted
- (a) Persons who have been convicted of two or more violations of Section 316.193, F.S., which does not result in a five or ten year revocation.
- (b) Persons suspended two or more times for refusal to submit to a breath, blood or urine test pursuant to Section 322.261, F.S., are prohibited reinstatement on a restricted basis until the suspension period expires.
- (c) Persons revoked for five years for two convictions of driving under the influence or driving with an unlawful blood alcohol level within five years, must serve twelve months of the revocation period, complete a Department approved substance abuse course, be under the supervision of a DUI school, abstain from drinking, and abstain from driving for a 1 year period prior to applying for reinstatement on a restricted basis.
- (d) Persons revoked for ten years for three convictions of driving under the influence or driving with an unlawful blood alcohol level within a ten year period, must serve twenty four (24) months of the revocation period, complete a substance abuse course, be under the supervision of a DUI school, and abstain from drinking, and abstain from driving for a 1 year period prior to application for a restricted driver's license.
- (e) Persons permanently revoked for four or more convictions of driving under the influence or DUI manslaughter, or because of a conviction of manslaughter resulting from the operation of a motor vehicle or vehicular homicide and has been convicted of driving under the influence, or DUI manslaughter may, upon the expiration of 5 years after the date of such revocation, petition the Department for reinstatement of driving privilege. It must be demonstrated to the Department that the petitioner has not been arrested for a drug related offense during the revocation period, not have driven a motor vehicle without a license for at least five years, been drug free for at least five years prior to the hearing, and has completed a court approved substance abuse driver training course. The person must be supervised under a court approved DUI program conducting substance abuse education, and report to the program for counseling evaluation and education at least four times a year, or as required by the program, for the remainder of the revocation period.

- (f) Habitual offenders must serve the first year of their five year revocation prior to possible reinstatement.
- (g) Persons suspended under the financial responsibility law are prohibited from any reinstatement until they comply with the requirements of the law in Chapter 324, F.S.
- (h) Persons suspended pursuant to Sections 318.15 and 322.245, F.S.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 318.15, 322.16, 322.245, 322.271, 322.28, 322.282 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.19, Amended 12-22-92, _______.

15A-1.0195 Right of Review.

Any person whose driving privilege has been cancelled, suspended or revoked, may petition the Department for an administrative review hearing to present evidence showing why their driving privilege should not have been cancelled, suspended or revoked. Application for such review hearing shall be made by personal letter or on an Application for Hardship License (form HSMV 72306, as incorporated in Rule 15A-1.019, F.A.C.), specifying the action for which the review is requested, and the documents in the possession of the Department which the licensee requests to review.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 120.57, 322.27(1), 322.222, 322,221 FS. History–New 12-22-92, Amended

15A-1.021 Cancellation.

(1) Upon determining that a licensee is not entitled to the issuance of a license, the Department shall cancel the driver's license.

(2) If payment of fee for a license, or identification card is made by a bad or worthless check or counterfeit bill, the Department shall, prior to cancellation of the license or identification card, attempt to contact the person and afford the opportunity to retain the license upon restitution and payment of legally required penalties. Restitution and payment of required penalties shall be made by mailing to the Department in Tallahassee a certified check or money order in the required amount. No field employee of the Department shall accept any restitution and/or penalty payment for bad or worthless check or counterfeit bill. Upon cancellation for bad or worthless cheek or counterfeit bill, the license or identification card must be surrendered to the Department. A new license or identification card shall not be issued unless the applicant presents written authorization from the Department in Tallahassee, verifying that all payments have been received.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.22 FS. History–New 11-20-75, Formerly 15A-1.21, Amended 12-22-92, Repealed ______.

15A-1.023 Appointments.

The Department shall provide appointments for applicants for limited or full driver license services at the local driver license offices.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.02 FS. History–New 12-22-92, Repealed______.

15A-1.024 Temporary Driving Permits.

- (1) A Temporary Driving Permit (form HSMV 71900, as incorporated in Rule 15A 1.020, F.A.C.) shall be issued by the Department at local driver licenses offices, in lieu of a driver's license in the following cases:
- (a) Persons issued a letter requiring reexamination pursuant to Section 322,221. F.S.
- (b) Applicants who fail the vision test, but meet the minimum standard, and whose Florida or out of state license is about to expire.
 - (c) Applicants who have been referred for medical reports.
- (d) When the central computer and field terminals are both inoperable, a permit shall be issued for original and renewal applicants upon meeting the requirements for the issuance of an original or renewal license.
- (e) When the camera is inoperable and a license cannot be issued.
- (f) Applicants recently renewing their driver's license, who are applying for a duplicate before the record is updated.
- (g) Persons who have been convicted of their first DUI offense, who have been issued Court Order (form HSMV-72310, Revised 7/91, and herein incorporated by reference), by a Florida court ordering the issuance of a Temporary Driving Permit, if otherwise eligible, or persons receiving their first suspension pursuant to Section 322.261, F.S., and having been issued Court Order (form HSMV 72311, Revised 4/87, and herein incorporated by reference) by a Florida court ordering the issuance of a Temporary Driving Permit, if otherwise eligible.
- (h) Drivers who have surrendered valid Florida licenses prior to the effective date of a Florida revocation or suspension and who are applying for an administrative hearing.
- (i) If the holder of a valid out of state license has a postdated Florida suspension or revocation, the out-of-state license shall be picked up and the applicant issued a permit up to the day preceding the effective date of the revocation or suspension.
- (j) Any applicant applying for a motorcycle endorsement who passes a motorcycle knowledge test.
- (k) Persons for whom driving tests are required as specified in Section 322.21, F.S. or subsection 15A 1.017(2), F.A.C.
- (2) No Temporary Driving Permit may be issued to holders of valid driver licenses or Florida identification cards, unless license or identification card is surrendered.

(3) Florida DUI Uniform Traffic Citations (forms HSMV 75903 and 75904, both revised 10/91, and herein incorporated by reference) issued by law enforcement officers, shall serve as a 7 day temporary driving permit for eligible persons arrested for DUI.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.07, 322.25, 322.21, 322.28 FS. History–New 12-22-92, Repealed ...

15A-1.026 Express Renewal Offices.

- (1) Express renewal offices located at various sites in Florida will provide express driver license renewal service to holders of Florida licenses.
- (2) These express offices are authorized to issue licenses for applicants who apply for renewal, replacement or duplicate licenses of identification cards.
- (3) Vision tests and road sign examinations, required for driver license renewals, will also be administered at the express offices.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.18, 322.19 FS. History–New 12-22-92, Repealed _____.

15A-1.027 Driver Education Licensing Assistance Program (DELAP).

- (1) DELAP will utilize driver education instructors to assist the Department in licensing new drivers. Students who successfully complete the Department's road rule/road sign examination are eligible for issuance of a Driver Education/Written Examination Waiver (form HSMV 71701, Revised 8/85, and herein incorporated by reference) by the driver education instructor. This form is known as the white waiver form. Students who satisfactorily complete a Department of Education (DOE) approved driver education course in the public secondary schools will receive a Driver Education/Road Test Waiver (form HSMV 71702, Revised 2/88, and herein incorporated by reference), from their driver education instructor, which can be used in lieu of the Department road test. This form is known as the pink waiver form. Only those driver education courses meeting the following requirements will be approved by the Department to participate in this program.
- (a) Instructional personnel are DOE certified driver education instructors.
- (b) Courses follow the DOE curriculum framework and student performance standards approved by the school boards' pupil progression plan.
 - (c) Courses are a full semester in length.
- (d) Each school offering the DELAP program shall be included in a public secondary, education program.
- (2) There are two driver education curriculum frameworks:
 1). Driver Education/Traffic Safety Classroom 1900300; and
 2). Driver Education/Traffic Safety Classroom and Laboratory

1900310. Students enrolled in either course who successfully pass the Department's road rules/road sign examination may use the white waiver form to apply for the restricted driver's license without taking further road rule/road sign examinations in a driver license office. Students completing the classroom and laboratory course may use the pink waiver form, to apply for their operator license without taking the Department driving test, except as specified for spot checking. Each driver license office supervisor is responsible for the random testing of pink waiver holders. Not less than two or not more than five students per semester shall be spot tested.

(3) Waiver Issuance.

(a) When students demonstrate mastery of the basic rules of the road through use of the Department's road rules/road sign examinations, they will be given a white waiver form, by their driver education instructor. The waiver form will be signed by the driver education instructor and the school administrator or designee. The school administrator or designee may use a facsimile stamp of their signature. Students will be informed that if they want to apply for a restricted driver license, they must take the white waiver form, along with their parent or a signed and notarized Parent Consent For Driver Application Of Minor Under 18 (Form HSMV 71022, as incorporated in subsection 15A 1.001(2), and a valid birth certificate, to the local driver license office within one year. Students must be prepared to take a vision test at the driver license office.

(4) Upon successful completion of the laboratory course students will receive the pink waiver form. Students will be informed that they can take the Department's pink waiver form to the local driver license office within one year to apply for their operator license. Students holding forms over one year from the date of issuance will be required to successfully pass the appropriate examination at the driver license office. Students are subject to a spot check, as specified in subsection (2) above by an examiner at the examining office. This will determine if students are safe and competent drivers and comply with guidelines governing driver license examiners to promote uniformity in both agencies in validating the program. Rulemaking Authority 322.02, 322.13 FS. Law Implemented FS. History-New 12-22-92, Repealed 322.13(1)(b)1., 2.

15A-1.028 Fraudulent Driver License Applicants.

(1) All applicants making fraudulent applications for driver licenses are subject to a one year suspension of their driving privilege and all driver's licenses and all supporting documents in their possession will be confiscated and held as evidence. These applicants shall also forfeit to the Department any license fees paid at the time the fraudulent act was committed. Upon reinstatement, these applicants must pay reinstatement fees and applicable license fees.

- (2) All applicants making fraudulent applications for driver licenses are subject to felony arrest or being issued a misdemeanor citation.
- (3) The above penalties shall be imposed at the time the fraudulent act is committed, or after the fact, if the fraudulent application is not immediately discovered.
- (4) Designated Department personnel are authorized to issue Florida Uniform Traffic Citations to applicants making fraudulent applications in violation of state law.
- (5) Examining personnel in driver license offices will be trained in the Department's driver license fraud prevention program and will actively seek to discover any fraudulent applications for a driver's license or identification card.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02, 322.13, 322.212, 322.27 FS. Law Implemented 322.13(2), 322.12, 322.27, 322.271, 322.32, 322.33 FS. History—New 12-22-92, Repealed ______.

15A-1.0296 Substance Abuse Courses Required for Licensing.

- (1) In compliance with Florida Statutes, to ensure that driver license applicants who have never been licensed in any jurisdiction complete an approved traffic law and substance abuse education course as a prerequisite to license issuance, the following procedures apply:
- (a) All applicants applying for their first driver license, having never been licensed in any state or country, or the evidence of such licensing is not available, must present to the examiner written verification of a substance abuse course completion on official school forms or letterhead stationary. Photocopies are not acceptable. In the event the applicant has not yet completed such course requirement at the time of the initial application for driver license examination, the complete examination shall be conducted. After the applicant passes all required tests, a non renewable temporary driving permit valid for a period of 60 days from the date of issuance, shall be provided without charge to the applicant under the same terms and conditions as the license for which application was made.
- (b) When the applicant presents written verification of this course completion and has met all other requirements, the driver license shall be issued at which time the license fees are collected.

(2) Exceptions:

- (a) The requirements for completion of a traffic law and substance abuse course do not apply to persons who present documentary evidence that they:
- 1. Have completed a Department of Education driver education course offered pursuant to Section 233.063, F.S.; or
- 2. Have been previously licensed in the United States or its territorial possessions; or
- 3. Have been previously licensed in a country or a territorial possession of a country which is a party to the United

Nations Convention on Road Traffic (Geneva, 1949) or the Convention on the Regulation of Inter American Automotive Traffic (Washington, 1943), both of which have been ratified by the United States. Parties to these conventions are listed in the American Automobile Association's Digest of Motor Laws, fifty fifth edition.

Rulemaking Authority 322.02 FS. Law Implemented 322.08, 322.095 FS. History–New 12-22-92, Repealed

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Julie Gentry, Bureau Chief, Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Governor and Cabinet

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: March 18, 2014

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: December 13, 2013

Section III Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

NONE

Section IV Emergency Rules

NONE

Section V Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule Variance or Waiver

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-1.004 General Sanitation and Safety Requirements The Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants hereby gives notice:

On March 4, 2014, the Division of Hotels and Restaurants received a Petition for an Emergency Variance for paragraph 61C-1.004(1)(a), Florida Administrative Code, and Paragraph 5-202.11(A), 2009 FDA Food Code from Dippin Dots located in Orlando. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement that each establishment have an approved

plumbing system installed to transport potable water and wastewater. They are requesting to utilize holding tanks to provide potable water and to collect wastewater at the handwash and three-compartment sinks.

The Petition for this variance was published in Vol. 40, No. 46 of the Florida Administrative Register on March 7, 2014. The Order for this Petition was signed and approved on March 13, 2014. After a complete review of the variance request, the Division finds that the application of this Rule will create a financial hardship to the food service establishment. Furthermore, the Division finds that the Petitioner meets the burden of demonstrating that the underlying statute has been achieved by the Petitioner ensuring the wastewater holding tank for the handwash and three-compartment sinks is emptied at a frequency as to not create a sanitary nuisance; and potable water provided must come from an approved source and be protected from contamination during handling. The Petitioner shall also ensure that the handwash and three-compartment sinks are provided with hot and cold running water under pressure; the handwash sink is provided with soap, an approved hand drying device and a handwashing sign.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Lydia.Gonzalez@myfloridalicense.com, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1011.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Physical Therapy Practice

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B17-3.003 Licensure by Endorsement

The Board of Physical Therapy Practice hereby gives notice of the issuance of an Order regarding the Petition for Variance or Waiver for Rodney Garcia Mendoza, filed on January 14, 2014. The Notice of Petition for Variance or Waiver was published in Vol. 40, No. 16, of the January 24, 2014, Florida Administrative Register. The Board considered the Petition at a duly-noticed public meeting held on February 14, 2014. The Petitioner seeks a permanent variance or waiver of paragraph 64B17-3.003(2)(a), Florida Administrative Code, with regards to the requirement that an applicant for licensure by endorsement demonstrate minimum qualifications by submitting a certified copy of the credentialing evaluation used by the licensing board of another state.

The Board's Order, filed on March 5, 2014, grants the Petition for Variance or Waiver. The Petitioner has demonstrated that the Petition was in substantial compliance with the provisions of Section 120.542, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 28-104, Florida Administrative Code. Petitioner has demonstrated that the purpose of the underlying statute has been met by other means, and that application of the rule would cause a substantial hardship and would violate principles of fairness.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Allen Hall, Executive Director, Board of Physical Therapy, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3255.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Physical Therapy Practice

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B17-3.003 Licensure by Endorsement

The Board of Physical Therapy Practice hereby gives notice of the issuance of an Order regarding the Petition for Variance or Waiver for Ma Theresa Mendoza, filed on January 14, 2014. The Notice of Petition for Variance or Waiver was published in Vol. 40, No. 16, of the January 24, 2014, Florida Administrative Register. The Board considered the Petition at a duly-noticed public meeting held on February 14, 2014. The Petitioner seeks a permanent variance or waiver of paragraph 64B17-3.003(2)(a), Florida Administrative Code, with regards to the requirement that an applicant for licensure by endorsement demonstrate minimum qualifications by submitting a certified copy of the credentialing evaluation used by the licensing board of another state.

The Board's Order, filed on March 5, 2014, grants the Petition for Variance or Waiver. The Petitioner has demonstrated that the Petition was in substantial compliance with the provisions of Section 120.542, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 28-104, Florida Administrative Code. Petitioner has demonstrated that the purpose of the underlying statute has been met by other means, and that application of the rule would cause a substantial hardship and would violate principles of fairness.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Allen Hall, Executive Director, Board of Physical Therapy, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3255.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Environmental Health

RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:

64E-6.008 System Size Determinations

64E-6.009 Alternative Systems

64E-6.014 Construction Standards for Drainfield Systems

64E-6.026 Applications for Innovative System Permits and System Construction Permits

The Department of Health hereby gives notice: on March 17, 2014, the Department of Health issued an order in response to a petition for a variance filed on November 15, 2013, by Lee Rashkin, Director of Sales and Marketing, representing Presby Environmental, Inc. Petitioner sought a variance from subsection 64E-6.008(5); paragraphs 009(3)(d), (e), and (j), subsection (4), and paragraph (7)(d); paragraphs .014(1)(b) and (5)(b); and subsection .026(1), Florida Administrative Code, which requires drainfield sizing to be based on Rule 64E-6.008

Table I and Table III or on paragraph 64E-6.009 (3)(d); the distance between the bed sidewall and center of the outside drainline to be no more than 18 inches and no less than 6 inches; and alternative drainfield materials shall not be approved with a reduction in drainfield size to be less than mineral aggregate based on using the soil surface at the bottom of the drainfield for comparison; requiring low-pressure dosing under certain circumstances; and other design requirements. Notice of the petition was published in the November 21, 2013, edition of the Florida Administrative Register.

The Department found that the Petitioner demonstrated that the underlying intent of the statute could be achieved by alternative means and that strict application of the rules would create a substantial hardship in the Petitioner's particular circumstance. Therefore, pursuant to the requirements of Section 120.542(2), Florida Statutes, the Department GRANTED WITH CONDITIONS Petitioner's request for a variance.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Department of Health, Office of the General Counsel, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin A02, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1703.

Section VI

Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Elections

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, March 26, 2014, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Cabinet Meeting Room, LL03, The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Elections Canvassing Commission will meet to certify the official results of the March 11, 2014, Special Election for U.S. House District 13 and Special Primary Election for State House District 44, in accordance with sections 100.101 and 100.141, Florida Statutes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kristi Bronson at (850)245-6240 or kristi.bronson@dos.myflorida.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Kristi Bronson, Bureau Chief, Bureau of Election Records, Division of Elections at (850)245-6240 or kristi.bronson@dos.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida

Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

The Florida Department of Transportation - District 5 announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited. DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 1, 2014, 5:30 p.m. - 7:30

p.m.

PLACE: Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church, 14100 NE

Highway 40, Silver Springs, FL 34488 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Financial Management No. 410674-2-32-01, 410674-3-32-01 State Road (SR) 40 Design Projects from the End of the Existing Four Lanes to East of County Road 314 and From East of County Road 314 to East of County Road 314A, Marion County, FL.

The meeting is an open house from 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. and includes a brief presentation at 6:00 p.m. Information on the plan to widen State Road 40 from two lanes to four lanes will be available at the meeting. Representatives from the design team will be available during the meeting to discuss the project and answer questions. FDOT welcomes and appreciates everyone's participation in the project.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Kathleen Enot, FDOT project manager, at (386)943-5167 or via email at kathleen.enot@dot.state.fl.us and/or Jerry Warren, consultant project manager at (407)644-7755 or via email at icwarren@horizoncivil.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Laura Clark at (407)971-8850. 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: Ms. Kathleen Enot, FDOT project manager, at (386)943-5167 or via email at kathleen.enot@dot.state.fl.us and/or Jerry Warren, consultant project manager at (407)644-7755 or via email at jcwarren@horizoncivil.com.

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

South Florida Regional Planning Council

The South Florida Local Emergency Planning Committee - District XI announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, May 28, 2014, 10:00 a.m. PLACE: South Florida Regional Planning Council, 3440 Hollywood Blvd., Suite 140, Hollywood, FL 33021

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss the LEPC's ongoing regional hazardous materials training and planning activities for FY2013-2014.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: in writing to the South Florida Regional Planning Council, at 3440 Hollywood Blvd., Suite 140, Hollywood, FL 33021, via email request to Manny Cela, celam@sfrpc.com, visiting the LEPC website: www.sfrpc.com/lepc.htm or by calling (954)985-4416 in Broward or 1(800)985-4416 toll-free statewide.

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: in writing to the South Florida Regional Planning Council, at 3440 Hollywood Blvd., Suite 140, Hollywood, FL 33021, via email request to Manny Cela, celam@sfrpc.com, visiting the LEPC website: www.sfrpc.com/lepc.htm or by calling (954)985-4416 in Broward or 1(800)985-4416 toll-free statewide. 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: in writing to the South Florida Regional Planning Council, at 3440 Hollywood Blvd., Suite 140, Hollywood, FL 33021, via email request to Manny Cela, celam@sfrpc.com, visiting the LEPC website: www.sfrpc.com/lepc.htm or by calling (954)985-4416 in Broward or 1(800)985-4416 toll-free statewide.

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, April 9, 2014, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: SWFWMD Headquarters, 2379 Broad Street, Brooksville, FL 34604

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Cooperative Funding Public Meeting: Governing Board members will discuss, evaluate and prioritize fiscal year 2015 requests for project funding in the northern counties of SWFWMD. All or part of this meeting may be conducted by means of communications media technology in order to permit maximum participation of Governing Board members.

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

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: SWFWMD Human Resources Bureau Chief at 1(800)423-1476 (FL only) or (352)796-7211, ext. 4703, TDD (FL only) 1(800)231-6103 or email to ADACoordinator@swfwmd.state.fl.us. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: cara.martin@watermatters.org, 1(800)423-1476 (FL only) or (352)796-7211, ext. 4636 (Ad Order EXE0310).

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, April 10, 2014, 10:00 a.m. PLACE: Bartow City Hall, City Commission Chambers, 450 N. Wilson Avenue, Bartow, FL 33830

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Cooperative Funding Public Meeting: Governing Board members will discuss, evaluate and prioritize fiscal year 2015 requests for project funding in Polk, Highlands and Hardee counties of SWFWMD. All or part of this meeting may be conducted by means of communications media technology in order to permit maximum participation of Governing Board members.

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

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Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, April 16, 2014, 10:00 a.m. PLACE: SWFWMD Tampa Service Office, 7601 US Highway 301 North, Tampa, FL 33637

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Cooperative Funding Public Meeting: Governing Board members will discuss, evaluate and prioritize fiscal year 2015 requests for project funding in Hillsborough, Pasco and Pinellas counties of SWFWMD. All or part of this meeting may be conducted by means of communications media technology in order to permit maximum participation of Governing Board members.

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WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Southwest Florida Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, April 17, 2014, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: SWFWMD Sarasota Service Office, 6750 Fruitville Road, Sarasota, FL 34240

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Cooperative Funding Public Meeting: Governing Board members will discuss, evaluate and prioritize fiscal year 2015 requests for project funding in the southern counties of SWFWMD. All or part of this meeting may be conducted by means of communications media technology in order to permit maximum participation of Governing Board members.

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

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WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

South Florida Water Management District

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

DATE AND TIME: Friday, March 28, 2014, 10:00 a.m., Proposed Land Surplus Meeting

PLACE: South Florida Water Management District, B-1 Auditorium, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: District staff shall provide information regarding the proposed surplus of a vacant land parcel containing 20.41 acres, more or less, located on Canoe Creek Road in St. Cloud, Osceola County, Florida. The proposed surplus of this parcel resulted

from the due diligence following the land assessment process conducted in 2013 in which staff conducted a comprehensive and detailed look at the District's land inventory to ensure that the present and future use of these lands will be utilized in the most effective manner to support the District's core mission requirements, and to comply with other important state policy objectives. Public input and comment will be received. More information about the process is available at www.sfwmd.gov/landassessment.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: the District Clerk's Office, (561)682-20087. 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: Andrea Schluter, aschlut@sfwmd.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF THE LOTTERY

The Department of the Lottery announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, April 2, 2014, 9:00 a.m., Eastern Time and continuing from day to day thereafter as may be required

PLACE: Florida Lottery Headquarters, 250 Marriott Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32301

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Meeting of the Evaluation Committee to evaluate and score Replies for ITN 10-13/14, Lottery Sales Force Mobility Solution. The Evaluation Committee may make a determination to continue this meeting at a future date and time should it deem necessary to do so. Subsequent to the scoring by the Evaluation Committee, the Issuing Officer will calculate scores and then open and read aloud the Cost Replies.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Rhett Frisbie at (850)487-7710 or by going to the Department of the Lottery's website: www.flalottery.com.

Any person requiring a special accommodation because of a disability at this public meeting should contact the individual identified above at (850)487-7710 (voice), or through the Florida Relay Service at 1(800)955-8771 (TTY), at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.

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

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Division of Communications

The Department of Management Services, DivTel, SLERS announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 8, 2014, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: The Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Room 152, Tallahassee, FL 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Board will be reviewing and discussing the Strategic Planning Report for the Statewide Law Enforcement Radio System.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: no agenda will be available prior.

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: Debi Smith at (850)922-7453 or debi.smith@dms.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Debi Smith at (850)922-7453 or debi.smith@dms.myflorida.com.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Commission on Human Relations

The Florida Commission on Human Relations announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, April 16, 2014, 10:00 a.m., ET

PLACE: Call: 1(888)670-3525 and when prompted, enter passcode: 1760507820 followed by the # key

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The purpose of the meeting is for the Commission to vote on the disposition of cases pending before it for decision.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jim Mallue at (727)570-5151, extension 13 or Jim.Mallue@fchr.myflorida.com.

ACCESS POINT: The Florida Commission on Human Relations office at 2009 Apalachee Parkway, Suite 100, Tallahassee, Florida, 32301, will serve as an access point for this meeting. Interested persons wishing to attend this meeting may also do so by appearing in person at this designated access point, at which location telephonic access to the meeting will be provided.

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For more information, you may contact: Jim Mallue at (727)570-5151, ext. 13 or Jim.Mallue@fchr.myflorida.com.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Employee Leasing Companies

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies announces public meetings to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Tuesday, April 29, 2014, 9:00 a.m., Probable Cause Panel Meeting, portions of which are closed to the public; Wednesday, April 30, 2014, 9:00 a.m. or soon thereafter

PLACE: The Gaylord Palms Resort & Convention Center, 6000 West Osceola Parkway, Kissimmee, Florida 34746, (407)586-0000

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business of the Board and Probable Cause Panel meeting, portions of which are closed to the public.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies at 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767 or by calling their office at (850)487-1395.

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: the board office at (850)487-1395. 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: the Florida Board of Employee Leasing Companies at 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Employee Leasing Companies

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies announces public meetings to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Tuesday, June 24, 2014, 9:00 a.m., Probable Cause Panel Meeting, portions of which are closed to the public; Wednesday, June 25, 2014, 9:00 a.m. or soon thereafter

PLACE: The Gaylord Palms Resort & Convention Center, 6000 West Osceola Parkway, Kissimmee, Florida 34746, (407)586-0000

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business of the Board and Probable Cause Panel meeting, portions of which are closed to the public.

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DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Employee Leasing Companies

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, June 23, 2014, 10:00 a.m. or soon thereafter

PLACE: Via telephone conference call; to connect, dial: 1(888)670-3525, conference pass code: 7489217568 then # GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business of the Board.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767 or by calling their office at (850)487-1395.

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For more information, you may contact: Florida Board of Employee Leasing Companies, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Employee Leasing Companies

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, August 20, 2014, 10:00 a.m. or soon thereafter

PLACE: Via telephone conference call; to connect, dial: 1(888)670-3525, conference pass code: 7489217568 then # GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business of the Board.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767 or by calling their office at (850)487-1395.

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For more information, you may contact: Florida Board of Employee Leasing Companies, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Employee Leasing Companies

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies announces public meetings to which all persons are invited. DATES AND TIMES: Wednesday, September 17, 2014, 9:00 a.m., Probable Cause Panel Meeting, portions which are closed to the public; Thursday, September 18, 2014, 9:00 a.m. or soon thereafter

PLACE: The Hilton St. Augustine Historic Bayfront, 32 Avenida Menendez, St. Augustine, Florida 32084, (904)829-2277

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business of the Board and Probable Cause Panel meeting, portions of which are closed to the public.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies at 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767 or by calling their office at (850)487-1395.

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For more information, you may contact: the Florida Board of Employee Leasing Companies at 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Employee Leasing Companies

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, October 15, 2014, 10:00 a.m. or soon thereafter

PLACE: Via telephone conference call; to connect, dial: 1(888)670-3525, conference pass code: 7489217568 then # GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business of the Board.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Employee Leasing Companies, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767 or by calling their office at (850)487-1395.

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For more information, you may contact: Florida Board of Employee Leasing Companies, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0767.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Accountancy

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, April 23, 2014, 10:00 a.m. until all business is concluded

PLACE: Conference call: dial-in number: 1(888)670-3525, pass code number: 9801392456#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Budget Task Force will meet to discuss the board's quarter financials.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Denise Graves, Board of Accountancy, 240 NW 76th Drive, Suite A, Gainesville, FL 32607.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Denise Graves. 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: Denise Graves.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited. DATE AND TIME: Thursday, March 27, 2014, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: B-1 Auditorium, South Florida Water Management District Headquarters, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Coral Reef Conservation Program is holding the first meeting of the Our Florida Reefs Northern Community Working Group to educate working group members about their role in the Our Florida Reefs community planning process.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting Benjamin Wahle, Benjamin.Wahle@dep.state.fl.us, (305)795-1227.

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: Benjamin Wahle at (305)795-1227. 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

The Department of Health announces public meetings to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: March 26, 2014, 8:00 a.m.; March 27, 2014, 8:00 a.m.

PLACE: The Florida Hotel and Conference Center

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Public Health and Healthcare Preparedness Strategic Planning Oversight Team will discuss strategic planning changes and direction, program status for the current year and program requests for the coming year 2014-15.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: shinita.robinson@flhealth.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 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Shinita Robinson, (850)245-4444, ext. 3721. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing Home Administrators

The Board of Nursing Home Administrators announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited. DATE AND TIME: Friday, April 18, 2014, 9:00 a.m., Meet Me number: 1(888)670-3525, participating code: 9238150597

PLACE: Department of Health, 4042 Bald Cypress Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General board business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Sherra W. Mears, Board of Nursing Home Administrators, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257 or by accessing the website at:

http://www.floridahealth.gov/licensing-and-

regulation/nursing-home/meetings/index.html.

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: Sherra W. Mears. 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

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DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES Refugee Services

The Orlando Area Refugee Task Force announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, April 9, 2014, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

PLACE: TBD

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The purpose of the Orlando Area Refugee Task Force meeting is to increase awareness of the refugee populations, share best practices, spot trends in refugee populations, build collaborations between agencies, help create good communication among service providers, get informed about upcoming community events, and discuss refugee program service needs and possible solutions to meeting those needs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Pedro Padua at (407)317-7336 or Taddese Fessehaye at (407)317-7335.

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: Pedro Padua at (407)317-7336 or Taddese Fessehaye at (407)317-7335. 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: Pedro Padua at

(407)317-7336 or Taddese Fessehaye at (407)317-7335.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

DATE AND TIME: April 22, 2014, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Rick Seltzer Conference Room, Suite 6000, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Review Committee meeting will be to give the scores and to submit a recommendation to Florida Housing's Board of Directors regarding the responses submitted for Florida Housing Finance Corporation's Request For Applications 2014-105, Financing To Build Or Rehabilitate Smaller Permanent Supportive Housing Properties For Persons With Developmental Disabilities.

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

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: Jean Salmonsen, (850)488-4197. 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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FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

DATE AND TIME: April 9, 2014, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Rick Seltzer Conference Room, Suite 6000, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Review Committee meeting will be to discuss the Applications received and to answer any questions the Review Committee may have regarding the Applications submitted in response to Florida Housing Finance Corporation's Request For Applications 2014-105, Financing To Build Or Rehabilitate Smaller Permanent Supportive Housing Properties For Persons With Developmental Disabilities.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Division of Workforce Services

4151, (850)487-2685.

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

DATE AND TIME: March 26, 2014, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 101 Rhyne Building, 2740 Centerview Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4151

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Deliberation for cases pending before the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission that are ready for final review and the Chairman's report. No public testimony will be taken. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 101 Rhyne Building, 2740 Centerview Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-

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For more information, you may contact: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 101 Rhyne Building, 2740 Centerview Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4151, (850)487-2685.

REYNOLDS, SMITH & HILLS, INC.

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, March 27, 2014, 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

PLACE: Pilgrim United Church of Christ, 24515 Rampart Boulevard, Port Charlotte, Florida 33980

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will host a public meeting to update interested persons about the progress

of the design phase for the widening of Interstate 75 from Harborview Road to Kings Highway in Charlotte County, Florida. This meeting will be held in an open house format, with no formal presentation, on Thursday, March 27, 2014, 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the Pilgrim United Church of Christ located at 24515 Rampart Boulevard in the city of Port Charlotte, Florida. Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 24 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Kati Sherrard at (863)519-2990 Kati.Sherrard@dot.state.fl.us. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice). For more information, you may contact: Kati Sherrard at (863)519-2990 or Kati.Sherrard@dot.state.fl.us.

MRGMIAMI

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), District Six, announces a workshop to which all persons are invited. DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, March 26, 2014, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

PLACE: Westland Gardens Park, 13501 NW 107 Avenue, Hialeah Gardens, FL 33018

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District Six will conduct an Alternatives Public Workshop for the State Road (SR) 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study from SR 997/Krome Avenue to NW 79 Avenue. This workshop is being held to present the results of the PD&E Study to date and to obtain input on the alternatives under consideration. The primary purpose of this project is to provide overall traffic operation improvements along the study corridor through the provision of intersection improvements, frontage road enhancements, roadway improvements and improvements at canal crossings.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Bao-Ying Wang, P.E., Project Manager, Florida Department of Transportation District Six, 1000 NW 111th Avenue, Room 6251, Miami, Florida 33172, (305)470-5211 (telephone), (305)640-7588 (fax) or via email at baoying.wang@dot.state.fl.us. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability or family status.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least seven (7) days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Jeannine Gaslonde, E.I., at (305)470-5208 or in writing at the Florida Department of Transportation, District Six, 1000 NW 111 Avenue, Room 6111-A, Miami, Florida

33172 or via email at jeannine.gaslonde@dot.state.fl.us. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Ms. Bao-Ying Wang, P.E., Project Manager, Florida Department of Transportation District Six, 1000 NW 111th Avenue, Room 6251, Miami, Florida 33172, (305)470-5211 (telephone), (305)640-7588 (fax) or via email at baoying.wang@dot.state.fl.us.

SCALAR CONSULTING GROUP INC.

The Florida Department of Transportation, District 4 announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, March 26, 2014, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. with a formal presentation at 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Polish-American Social Club, 7500 US Highway 1, Vero Beach, FL 32967

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This Public Kick-off Meeting is being held to allow interested persons an opportunity to express their views concerning the location, conceptual design, and social, economic, and environmental effects of the proposed roadway improvements to SR 5/US 1 in Indian River County, Florida. Financial Project ID No. 431724-1-22-01. This project proposes to widen SR 5/US 1 from four to six lanes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Anson Sonnett at Florida Department of Transportation, District 4, 3400 West Commercial Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309 or by email at anson.sonnett@dot.state.fl.us. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability or family status. For more information, please visit our website at www.us1study.com.

Persons who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or persons who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Mr. Anson Sonnett, P.E., FDOT Project Manager at (954)777-4474, toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, extension 4474 or by email at anson.sonnett@dot.state.fl.us at least seven days prior to the meeting.

JACOBS ENGINEERING - TALLAHASSEE

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

DATE AND TIME: April 3, 2014, 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. (CDT) PLACE: Santa Rosa County Auditorium, 4530 Spikes Way, Milton, Florida 32583

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The pedestrian and bicyclist safety study in progress along State Road (S.R.) 10/U.S. 90 from the Escambia County line to S.R. 87 south in Santa Rosa County.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting the department's General Consultant Project Manager, Jimmy Smith, P.E., at (850)638-3363 or via email at jsmith@panhandlegroup.com.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting the department's General Consultant Project Manager, Jimmy Smith, P.E., at (850)638-3363 or by email at jsmith@panhandlegroup.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).

Section VII Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

NONE

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

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

NONE

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

NONE

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

NONE

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Annoucements and Objection Reports of the Joint Adminstrative Procedures Committee

NONE

Section XI Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

University of Florida

Notice of Bid

University of Florida (UF) MP 14, Annual Campus Continuing Selection for Minor Project, Construction Manager Qualification Supplement (CMQS) Instruction document has been revised. Please see UF Planning & Design Construction website for information. http://facilities.ufl.edu/projects/project.php?prj=10007

MONROE COUNTY LOCAL COORDINATING BOARD FOR TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED

Health Council of South Florida

Request for Proposals (RFP)

Monroe County Community Transportation Coordinator Transportation Disadvantaged Program

The Health Council of South Florida is seeking proposals from qualified entities desiring to serve as the Community Transportation Coordinator (CTC) for Monroe County.

The selected entity will be recommended as the designated CTC to the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged (CTD). If approved by the CTD, the selected entity will coordinate the administration and operation of the Monroe County Transportation Disadvantaged system, as authorized by Chapter 427, Florida Statutes, and more fully described in Chapter 41-2, Florida Administrative Code.

The full Request for Proposal document will be available Monday, March 17, 2014 at www.healthcouncil.org/documents/FINAL RFP TDMC 001.pdf.

A mandatory pre-proposal conference call will be held Friday, March 21, 2014 at 1:00 p.m. to review the Request for Proposals (RFP) and answer questions about the RFP. To join the conference call, please call: (786)391-2020, conference pin: 110.

For more information, interested parties should contact Cristina Tuero, Manager, Advocacy & External Affairs at the Health Council of South Florida via email: ctuero@healthcouncil.org or by phone at (305)592-1452, ext. 100.

ST. JOHNS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Notice of Receipt of Unsolicited Proposal for Compressed Natural Gas Infrastructure and Related Services

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that St. Johns County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, has received an unsolicited proposal for a qualifying public-private partnership project in accordance with Florida Statute 287.05712 for compressed

natural gas (CNG) fueling infrastructure (or "fuel supply facility") and related services. St. Johns County requests, and in accordance with Florida Statute 287.05712, will accept alternative proposals for the same project until 5:00 p.m. on April 17, 2014.

Persons or entities wishing to submit alternative proposals for the same project may do so by delivering one (1) sealed original and five (5) sealed copies to: St. Johns County Purchasing Department, Attn: Doug Timms, 500 San Sebastian View, St. Augustine, Florida 32084. Each sealed proposal submitted should be clearly marked on the outside: "Sealed Proposal-Compressed Natural Gas Infrastructure and Related Services." All proposals must be timely submitted and contain the information and materials required under Florida Statute 287.05712(5). Such proposals will be ranked in order of preference by the County. In ranking the proposals, the County will consider factors in accordance with Florida Statute 287.05712 that include, but are not limited to, professional qualifications, general business terms, innovative design techniques or cost-reduction terms, and finance plans. A more complete listing of factors that the County will consider in ranking proposals can be obtained at the following website: www.sjcfl.us/Purchasing (under "News and Announcements"). In accordance with Florida Statute 287.05712, negotiations for a comprehensive agreement with the highest ranked firm will be considered.

The County reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or as provided under Section 287.05712, Florida Statutes, to award to and negotiate with the firm whose proposal best serves the interests of the County. Nothing contained herein shall be interpreted as an obligation or binding agreement by the County regarding the project.

A lobbying blackout period begins upon issuance of this Notice and continues until execution of a contract on behalf of the County. During this blackout period, all communications regarding the project and proposal submissions shall be directed in writing to: St. Johns County Purchasing Department, Attn: Doug Timms, 500 San Sebastian View, St. Augustine, Florida 32084, dtimms@sjcfl.us. No communications regarding the project or proposal submissions shall be directed to any other County employee, officer or agent during this blackout period. All proposers or those intending to qualify who do not abide by these lobbying blackout rules will be automatically disqualified without further recourse, and may subject to debarment for periods of up to 12 months.

The County will provide notice of a decision or proposed decision regarding contract award. Any person who is, or claims to be, adversely affected by the County's decision or proposed decision shall file a written Notice of Protest with the Purchasing Department of St. Johns County within 72 hours after issuance of the notice of decision or proposed decision. For complete protest procedures, please contact Doug Timms at the address provided above.

All proposals received in response to this Notice will become the property of St. Johns County and will not be returned. Such proposals and related information shall be subject to applicable provisions of the Florida Public Records Law.

Section XII Miscellaneous

NONE

Section XIII Index to Rules Filed During Preceeding 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.