

## Section I

### Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

#### STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:  
19-8.029 Insurer Reporting Requirements and Responsibilities

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To discuss proposed amendments to Rule 19-8.029, F.A.C., Insurer Reporting Requirements and Responsibilities.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Insurer exposure and loss reporting requirements for the 2026-2027 contract year and insurer responsibilities.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 215.555, F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 215.555, F.S.

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

DATE AND TIME: October 23, 2025, 9:00 a.m. (ET) until conclusion of meeting.

PLACE: Room 116 (Hermitage Conference Room), 1801 Hermitage Blvd., Tallahassee, Florida. Conference Call-in Number: 1(872)242-7651, Phone Conference ID: 826-937-017#.

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: Mary Linzee Branham, Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund, (850)413-1335; marylinzee.branham@sbafla.com If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Mary Linzee Branham at the number or email listed above.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

##### Council of Licensed Midwifery

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:  
64B24-8.002 Disciplinary Action and Guidelines

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To add a ground and penalty for disciplining a licensed midwife as required by statute, specifically for committing or attempting, soliciting or conspiring to commit an act that would constitute a violation of any offense listed in section 456.074(5), F.S., crimes that require emergency suspension of a licensee upon arrest.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Disciplinary guidelines and penalties for licensed midwives.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.004(5), 456.072, 456.079, 467.005, 467.203(4), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.079, 467.203, F.S.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Stephanie Webster, Executive Director, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C-06, Tallahassee, Florida 32399 or Stephanie.Webster@flhealth.gov.

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

#### FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

##### Marine Fisheries

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:  
68B-44.004 Bag and Vessel Limits Applicable to Florida Waters; Restrictions on Possession of Prohibited Species; Transit Through Florida Waters

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rule development notice is to address possible rule amendments to add Carolina hammerhead to Florida's list of prohibited shark species in response to the discovery and description of the species. The effect of the rule amendments is to prohibit the harvest, possession, or harm of Carolina hammerhead or any part thereof in Florida state waters.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: The subject area to be addressed in the rule development notice is the list of prohibited shark species.

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

LAW IMPLEMENTED: Art. IV, Sec. 9, Florida Constitution  
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: Jessica McCawley, Director, Division of Marine Fisheries

Management, 620 S. Meridian St., Tallahassee, Florida 32399, and (850)487-0554

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

## Section II Proposed Rules

### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

#### Division of Early Learning

RULE NO.:        RULE TITLE:

6M-4.200        School Readiness Eligibility Provisions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The rule is being to update School Readiness Program eligibility requirements to comply with statutory changes made in House Bill 1255 and Senate Bill 1102.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule establishes eligibility for the School Readiness Program.

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 division's economic analysis of the adverse impact or potential regulatory costs of the proposed rule does not exceed any of the criteria established in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S. and this will not require legislative ratification.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(1), (2)(n), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1002.81(1), (6), (14), 1002.82(2)(f), 1002.87(1), (5), (6), F.S.

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

DATE AND TIME: November 13, 2025, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Wakulla County School District, 69 Arran Rd, Crawfordville, FL 32327.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Stephanie Savestanan, Manager of Programs and Policy, Division of Early Learning, (850)717-8635; stephanie.savestanan@del.fldoe.org.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

#### **6M-4.200 School Readiness Eligibility Provisions.**

(1) Definitions. The following definitions are applicable to all rules under Chapter 6M-4, F.A.C.

(a) though (d) No change.

(e) "Payment ~~C~~ertificate" means the document issued by the coalition authorizing School Readiness payment for a specific child to a specified child care provider for a defined period.

(f) "Person ~~W~~who ~~S~~tands in ~~L~~oco ~~P~~parentis" means a responsible adult with whom the child lives, who is responsible for the day-to-day care and custody of the child when the child's parent by blood, marriage, adoption or court order is not performing such duties.

(g) "Purpose for ~~C~~are" means the reason the parent needs care, such as employment, education and training, job search as indicated on a valid Department of Children and Families (DCF) or Workforce Child Care Authorization form, work activity, respite services, child protection, seasonal work, disability and special needs.

(h) No change.

(i) "Special Needs" means a child who has been determined eligible as a child who requires additional accommodations beyond those required by the Americans with Disabilities Act and has a documented special need in accordance with Section (s.) 1002.87(1)(c)6., F.S. ~~with a disability in accordance with Chapter 6A-6, F.A.C., and is participating in a program for children with disabilities provided by the school district or a child who has an individualized educational plan (IEP) or family support plan (FSP).~~

(j) through (k) No change.

(2) Authorization period and purpose for care. A family's eligibility for school readiness services depends on an established purpose for care. A coalition must authorize services in accordance with the family's purpose for care. During the authorization period the child must ~~shall~~ be considered eligible and will ~~shall~~ receive services at least at the same level, regardless of a change in family income remaining at or below 85% SMI or a temporary change in the ongoing status of the child's parent as working or attending a job training or educational program.

(a) No change.

(b) Twelve-month authorization period. The coalition will ~~shall~~ authorize at-risk, economically disadvantaged, special needs children, and a parent who has an Intensive Service Account or an Individual Training Account under s. Section ~~Section~~ 445.009, F.S., for 12-months of child care funding.

1. At-risk. Eligibility is based on a documented child care

authorization from the Florida Department of Children and Families (DCF) or its contracted provider, DCF-designated Lead Homeless Coalition Continuum of Care agency or Certified Domestic Violence Center. “~~At-risk~~ At-Risk ~~c~~Child” is defined in s. Section 1002.81(1), F.S.

a. Child care authorizations for at-risk and protective services categories must ~~shall~~ be valid for the duration determined by the referring entity.

b. A child may continue to maintain eligibility under the at-risk or protective services categories as long as there is a current and valid child care authorization. Each time a child care authorization is renewed during the 12-month authorization of child care funding, child care services will continue in increments defined by the referring agency. If an additional referral is granted to the parent that extends the purpose for care beyond the initial 12-month authorization period, the coalition must ~~shall~~ authorize the parent for an additional 12-month authorization period.

2. Intensive Service Account or an Individual Training Account under s. Section 445.009, F.S. Eligibility is based on a documented child care authorization from the local workforce development board or its contracted provider, as defined in s. Section 445.009, F.S.

a. Child care authorizations for a parent with an Intensive Service Account or an Individual Training Account must ~~shall~~ be valid for the duration determined by the referring entity.

b. A child may continue to maintain eligibility under the Intensive Service Account or an Individual Training Account category as long as there is a current and valid child care authorization. Each time a child care authorization is renewed during the 12-month authorization of child care funding, child care services will continue in increments defined by the referring agency. If an additional referral is granted to the parent that extends the purpose for care beyond the initial 12-month authorization period, the coalition must ~~shall~~ authorize the parent for an additional 12-month authorization period.

3. Economically disadvantaged. To be eligible under this category the family must meet the following requirements -

a. Family Income. The family’s income, ~~as defined in Section 1002.81(8), F.S.,~~ must be at or below the State Median Income (SMI) threshold defined in s. 1002.81, F.S., 150 percent of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) for initial eligibility and 85 percent (85%) State Median Income (SMI) for continued eligibility. ~~If 85 percent of the State Median Income (SMI) is less than 150 percent of the FPL, then 85 percent of the SMI is the income threshold for entry into the school readiness program~~

b. Assets. A family ~~cannot~~ ~~shall not~~ have assets that exceed one million dollars (as certified by the family member applying for services). This applies to all children funded with Child Care and Development Block Grant funds.

c. Working Family. The family must also meet the definition of “Working family” as defined by s. Section 1002.81, F.S.

4. Special needs. To be eligible under this category, a child must have the documentation required by s. 1002.87, F.S. be age three to kindergarten admission and have documentation of an individual education plan from the local school district.

(c) No change.

(3) Re-establishment period for purpose of care. When a parent experiences a loss in purpose for care, the coalition must provide the parent a ~~three~~ (3) month period to re-establish purpose for care, at which time the parent must meet purpose for care to remain eligible. If the child served is subject to 12-month ~~twelve-month~~ eligibility, then the child will remain eligible for the remainder of the twelve-month authorization period. The child will ~~shall~~ continue to receive services at the same level and provider will ~~shall~~ continue being reimbursed during the ~~three~~ (3) month re-establishment period.

(a) At-risk, relative caregiver, welfare transition program and Intensive Service Account or an Individual Training Account participant. The parent no longer maintains the current purpose for care upon the child care authorization’s expiration or upon notification of termination from the referring agency to the coalition, whichever comes first. The coalition or contracted designee must ~~shall~~ inform the parent and DCF or local workforce referral agency that when the child care authorization expires or is terminated the parent will have ~~three~~ (3) months to provide documentation to establish a purpose for care under the same eligibility category or another eligibility category to continue to receive services.

(b) through (c) No change.

(d) A family will not be limited to a single ~~three~~ (3) month period to reestablish a purpose of care.

(4) Redetermination. All redetermining eligible ~~at-risk~~ At-risk, ~~e~~Economically ~~d~~Disadvantaged, ~~s~~Special ~~n~~Needs children and Intensive Service Account or an Individual Training Account participants will be authorized for 12-months of child care.

(a) Family Income. The family’s income must remain at or below 85% ~~percent~~ of the ~~State Median Income (SMI)~~ as the upper level of the program subsidy support to be eligible for a subsequent authorization.

~~(b) All redetermining clients are subject to the graduated phase-out requirements defined by subsection 6M 4.400(3), F.A.C. if the family unit income increases to above 150% FPL and remains at or below 85% SMI.~~

~~(b)(c)~~ No change.

(5) Notification to parents. The coalition or contracted designee must ~~shall~~ notify the parents of their responsibility and the method to notify the coalition or contracted designee within fourteen (14) calendar days of any change of circumstances

related to:

(a) through (d) No change.

(e) Income exceeds 85% of the ~~state median income (SMI)~~.

(6) Payment Certificate. Upon determination of eligibility, a parent ~~will~~ shall be given a payment certificate to submit to an eligible child care provider to enroll the child in its school readiness program. The payment certificate ~~must~~ shall at a minimum include the child(ren) for whom a coalition authorized child care, the provider the family selected, signatures of both the beneficiary and school readiness provider representative, the assessed parent copayment for each eligible child, the authorized hours of care and the authorized begin and end dates for school readiness services.

(7) Transfer of School Readiness Services. Eligible families ~~will~~ shall continue to receive school readiness services during the 12-month authorization period due to a change in residence within the state to a different coalition service area.

(a) The school readiness funding ~~must~~ shall transfer to the coalition service area that the family relocates to. Funding ~~must~~ shall reflect the remaining balance of 12-month authorization. Transferring families are subject to the same documentation requirements found under subsection 6M-4.208(4), F.A.C. The coalition ~~must~~ shall make every effort to coordinate with the transferring coalition to obtain documents that would be valid regardless of the location of the coalition, such as birth certificates, shot records or proof of parental relationship.

(b) The parent copayment may not be increased due to a transfer of services outside of the coalition service area, unless the family is in graduated phase-out at the time of the coalition transfer in accordance with subsection 6M-4.400(3), F.A.C.

(c) No change.

(d) If the family transfers during a reestablishment period for purpose of care, the family must reestablish a purpose of care by the end of that same ~~three (3)~~ month period for services to be continued in the new coalition service area.

(8) Termination of School Readiness Services. Services ~~will~~ shall be discontinued for a family prior to the end of the 12-month authorization period under limited circumstances. The family and provider will be notified of disenrollment at a minimum of two weeks prior to termination of services or at the end of the current authorization period, whichever comes first. The notification to the parent ~~must~~ shall include the reason for termination. Qualifying events for termination include:

(a) Excessive unexplained absences that exceed ~~ten (10)~~ calendar days during a total month of attendance. The coalition ~~must~~ shall document three attempts to contact the family and the provider regarding excessive absences prior to disenrollment.

(b) Substantiated fraud or intentional program violation determined by the coalition or its designee pursuant ~~ss. Sections~~ 1002.91 and 1002.84(18), F.S.

(c) No change.

(d) Purpose of care is not reestablished at the end of a ~~three (3)~~ month period.

(e) No change.

*Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(1), (2)(n) FS. Law Implemented 1002.81(1), (6), (14) (8), (16), 1002.82(2)(f), 1002.87(1), (5), (6) FS. History—New 4-21-03, Formerly 60BB-4.200, Amended 7-31-14, 12-18-16, 8-20-18, 6-11-20, 11-23-21.*

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:

James Finch

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Anastasios Kamoutsas

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 6, 2025

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: September 4, 2025

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### Division of Early Learning

RULE NO.:

RULE TITLE:

6M-8.210

Reenrollment in the Voluntary

Prekindergarten (VPK) Education Program

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: : To revise eligibility criteria to reenroll in a Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Education Program in accordance with House Bill 1255, which removes the 70% completion threshold as criteria for reenrollment, removes redundant language throughout the rule, and removes unnecessary barriers preventing children from reenrolling in a VPK program and completing all instructional hours. These changes allow a student to withdraw and reenroll regardless of how much of the program the student completed. Additionally, VPK providers will have the opportunity to serve more children and provide more instructional time to children who reenroll into their program and reduces regulatory burden on early learning coalitions, allowing them to process VPK reenrollment requests more efficiently.

SUMMARY: Section (s.) 1002.71(4), F.S., establishes the conditions under which a child may reenroll in a Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Education Program. Rule 6M-8.210, F.A.C., outlines the eligibility criteria and procedural requirements for VPK reenrollment. The rule also describes the responsibilities of early learning coalitions regarding the management and documentation of VPK reenrollment.

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: An economic analysis for the proposed rule determined that there are no potential regulatory costs that exceed the criteria under Section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. and this will not require legislative ratification.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(2)(n), 1002.79, F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1002.71(4), 1002.73(2)(d), F.S.

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

DATE AND TIME: November 13, 2025, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Wakulla County School District, 69 Arran Rd, Crawfordville, FL 32327.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Cassandra Jackson, VPK Program and Policy Manager, Division of Early Learning. (850)717-8583 or [Cassandra.Jackson@del.fldoe.org](mailto:Cassandra.Jackson@del.fldoe.org).

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

Substantial rewording of Rule 6M-8.210 follows. See Florida Administrative Code for present text.

**6M-8.210 Reenrollment in the Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Education Program.**

(1) General Reenrollment Conditions: “Reenrollment” means a child has attended a portion of the VPK instructional hours, withdraws from that VPK provider where the child had initially attended and enrolls with a new VPK provider. A VPK child may only reenroll as described in this rule.

(a) A child may only reenroll with a VPK provider during the program year(s) for which the child is eligible in accordance with Section 1002.53(2), F.S.

(b) A child cannot be enrolled simultaneously with multiple VPK providers.

(c) A child may reenroll only once in the VPK program unless the child is granted a reenrollment exemption as permitted by Section 1002.71(4), F.S.

(d) The following circumstances that occur before a VPK program’s scheduled instructional hours have completed do not constitute a reenrollment under this rule:

1. When the VPK provider that a child is attending is sold or transferred during the VPK program, and the new owner continues providing VPK services at the same physical location.

2. When a child’s VPK provider executes a new Statewide

Provider Contract during the program year.

3. When the owner of a VPK provider moves the physical location and staff of the VPK program.

(2) Reenrollment for Good Cause. “Reenrollment for good cause” means a reenrollment within the same VPK program type (school-year or summer) during the same VPK program year. For funding purposes, a child who reenrolls under this subsection must not exceed one full-time equivalent (FTE) student, as defined by Section 1002.71(2), F.S. To qualify for this reenrollment, the child has attended a portion of the VPK program and has not previously reenrolled in the VPK program. The parent must submit a completed reenrollment request within the single statewide information system (SSIS).

(3) Reenrollment for Extreme Hardship. “Reenrollment for extreme hardship” means a reenrollment from a school-year VPK program to a summer VPK program for a circumstance that is beyond the child’s or parent’s control during the same VPK program year. For funding purposes, a child who reenrolls under this subsection may exceed one full-time equivalent (FTE) student, as defined by Section 1002.71(2), F.S. To qualify for this reenrollment, the child has attended a portion of the school-year VPK program, has not previously reenrolled in the VPK program and meets one of the circumstances for extreme hardship provided in this subsection. The parent must submit a completed reenrollment request within the single statewide information system (SSIS), including submission of the required supporting documentation evidencing extreme hardship:

(a) The illness of the child, a family member which the child’s parent is responsible for caring for, or the child’s parent, as documented in writing by a physician licensed under Chapters 458 or 459, F.S., if it would result in the child being absent for more than 30 percent of the number of hours in the program type in which the child is enrolled.

(b) Termination of the child’s VPK class as a result of the provider’s removal from eligibility to offer the VPK program, as documented by the early learning coalition.

(c) Parent’s inability to meet the basic needs of the child, including, but not limited to, a lack of food, shelter, clothing, or transportation, as documented in writing by a federal, state, or local governmental official.

(d) VPK provider’s inability to meet the child’s educational needs due to the child’s learning or developmental disability, as documented by a federal, state, or local governmental official.

(e) VPK provider’s inability to meet the child’s health needs, as documented by a physician licensed under Chapters 458 or 459, F.S., or a federal, state, or local governmental official.

(f) Displacement of the child from his or her place of residence, or closure of the child’s VPK provider as a result of a state of emergency as declared by a federal, state, or local

governmental official.

(g) A temporary or permanent change in parent custody or guardianship, supported by legal documentation such as a court order or official documentation from the Department of Children and Families (DCF) or DCF-contracted agency. This includes an at-risk child care authorization that documents the guardianship change.

(4) Reenrollment Exemption. "Reenrollment exemption" means an exemption to the one-time reenrollment in the VPK program as established in Section 1002.71(4), F.S. For funding purposes, a child who reenrolls under this subsection within the same VPK program type during the same VPK program year continues to utilize the full-time equivalent (FTE) student funding provided under the child's previous reenrollment and a child who reenrolls into a different VPK program type for a circumstance that is beyond the child's or parent's control during the same VPK program year may exceed one full-time equivalent student funding. To qualify for this reenrollment, the child has previously reenrolled in the VPK program under subsection (2) or (3) of this rule. The parent must submit a completed reenrollment request within the single statewide information system (SSIS), including submission of the required supporting documentation, as applicable.

(5) Reenrollment for Children in the VPK Specialized Instructional Services (SIS) Program. Changing VPK SIS providers while enrolled in the SIS program type does not constitute a reenrollment under this rule. A child may reenroll under subsection (2) or (3) of this rule from a school-year or summer program type to a VPK SIS program or from a VPK SIS program to a school-year or summer program type during the same VPK program year. A child may also qualify for a reenrollment under subsections (4) and (6) of this rule. However, a child may not reenroll from a VPK SIS school-year program type to a VPK SIS summer program type under subsection (3) of this rule.

(6) Reenrollment into a Subsequent Program Year. For funding purposes, a child who reenrolls under this subsection must not exceed one FTE student, as defined by Section 1002.71(2), F.S. The remaining FTE will be calculated as the total FTE hours for the child's most recent reenrollment minus the hours the child has expended, including paid absences. To qualify for this reenrollment, the child has attended a portion of a program year's VPK program, has attained the age of 4 years old between February 2 and September 1 of his or her initial program year of eligibility, as described in Section 1002.53(2), F.S., has not been admitted to kindergarten and will reenroll into the following VPK program year. The parent must submit a completed reenrollment request within the single statewide information system (SSIS).

(7) Early Learning Coalition Responsibilities.

(a) The early learning coalition must process reenrollment

requests submitted in the SSIS. Following approval, parents will access the reenrollment certificate within the SSIS.

(b) If a parent applies for his or her child to be reenrolled in a VPK program that is not in the same coalition service area as the child's current enrollment, both coalitions must coordinate to process the reenrollment request.

(c) If a child's reenrollment request involves a change of guardianship, the coalition must require the new guardian to submit supporting documentation such as a court order or official documentation from the Department of Children and Families (DCF) or DCF-contracted agency, to verify the change in guardianship before granting a reenrollment under this rule.  
*Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(2)(n), 1002.79 F.S. Law Implemented 1002.71(4), 1002.73(2)(d)1. F.S. History--New 12-21-10, Formerly 60BB-8.210, Amended 7-28-16, 9-26-23.*

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:

Katerina Maroney

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE

PROPOSED RULE: Anastasios Kamoutsas

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY

HEAD: October 06, 2025

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT

PUBLISHED IN FAR: September 9, 2025

### Section III

#### Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

NONE

### Section IV

#### Emergency Rules

#### DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

##### State Board of Immigration Enforcement

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

11QER25-7 Eligible Purposes and Programs

SPECIFIC REASONS FOR FINDING AN IMMEDIATE DANGER TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR WELFARE: Section 28, Laws of Florida 2025-1, provides that "(1) The State Board of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Law Enforcement is authorized, and all conditions are deemed met, to adopt emergency rules pursuant to s. 120.54(4), Florida Statutes, for the purpose of implementing provisions related to the Local Law Enforcement Immigration Grant Program created by this act. Notwithstanding any other law, emergency rules adopted pursuant to this subsection are effective for 6 months after adoption and may be renewed during the pendency of

procedures to adopt permanent rules addressing the subject of the emergency rules."

REASON FOR CONCLUDING THAT THE PROCEDURE IS FAIR UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES: The procedures are fair in that they provide equal opportunity to any local law enforcement agency in the State of Florida to apply for grant fund reimbursements pursuant to the Florida Legislature's requirements.

SUMMARY: Rule to supersede 11QER25-3 to make additional expenses reimbursable under the Local Law Enforcement Immigration Grant Program

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE EMERGENCY RULE IS: Graham Wooden, (850)410-7676, AgencyClerk@fdle.state.fl.us

THE FULL TEXT OF THE EMERGENCY RULE IS:

**11QER25-7 Eligible Purposes and Programs.**

(1) A local law enforcement agency may apply to the Board for reimbursement of the following expenses, listed in order of priority:

(a) Training programs, including certified apprenticeship programs, the Warrant Service Office training, the Jail Enforcement Model training, the Task Force Model training under section 287(g) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. s. 1357, and other programs related to supporting the enforcement of federal immigration laws, including:

1. Additional costs associated with training materials, travel, and other costs associated with training, and

2. Overtime costs, including associated benefits, for hours spent in training. All overtime reimbursements shall be in accordance with the participating agency's established pay policies and procedures. Overtime costs shall not exceed one and a half times of an officer's hourly pay. Reimbursement for personnel costs of backfilling positions dedicated to the immigration mission is not permitted.

3. For local law enforcement agencies with over 75 law enforcement officers, the agency may only seek training reimbursement costs for up to twenty percent of their sworn personnel in a particular fiscal year.

4. For local law enforcement agencies with between 31 and 75 law enforcement officers, the agency may only seek training reimbursement costs for up to thirty percent of their sworn personnel in a particular fiscal year.

5. For local law enforcement agencies with thirty or less law enforcement officers, or for those who are located in a fiscally constrained county as defined in s. 218.67, F.S., the agency may only seek reimbursement costs for up to fifty percent of their sworn personnel in a particular fiscal year.

6. Notwithstanding paragraphs 3. – 5., any local law enforcement agency may seek a reimbursement for at least 10

law enforcement officers regardless of agency size.

(b) Detention beds sublet to the United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement for a temporary period.

1. Reimbursement eligibility shall only be for the time between when an unauthorized alien is released from custody for a state criminal offense until the time that the unauthorized alien either leaves the jail facility or is transferred into custody of Immigration and Customs Enforcement. Reimbursement will be available each day within that time frame in which the unauthorized alien remains in custody for twelve hours or more.

2. Facilities with a Basic Ordering Agreement (BOA) may receive up to \$75 per reimbursable day if the facility will also receive or apply for reimbursement from Immigration and Customs Enforcement. Funds requested through this program may not supplant federal funding.

3. Facilities with a Basic Ordering Agreement (BOA) may receive up to \$100 per reimbursable day if the facility will not receive or apply for reimbursement from Immigration and Customs Enforcement. Funds requested through this program may not supplant federal funding.

4. Facilities with an Intergovernmental Service Agreement will be reimbursed the difference between their daily bed rate, as specified in their Intergovernmental Service Agreement, and the established reimbursement maximum of \$100 per day under this program.

(c) Costs associated with transporting unauthorized aliens on behalf of Immigration and Customs Enforcement, to include:

1. Round trip reimbursement from the point of departure to the point of return not to exceed State of Florida travel thresholds provided in s. 112.061, Florida Statutes, and Rule 69I-42.010, Florida Administrative Code.

2. Overtime costs, including fringe benefits, for a maximum of two law enforcement officers conducting the transport of an unauthorized alien. All overtime reimbursements shall be in accordance with the participating agency's established pay policies and procedures and shall not exceed one and a half times of the officer's hourly pay rate.

(d) Equipment, travel, and lodging directly related to detaining and transporting unauthorized aliens or directly related to active participation in task force activities under section 287(g) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. s. 1357. Travel and lodging costs may be reimbursed only if they were incurred pursuant to a participating agency's involvement in task force activities with or for Immigration and Customs Enforcement. All equipment reimbursement requests must receive approval by the Board prior to the purchase and request for reimbursement. Equipment purchases or reimbursements must have a direct nexus to immigration enforcement. The costs associated with up to one multi-passenger vehicle, e.g. a full-size van, and the costs associated with upfitting up to one multi-passenger vehicle may be

reimbursed, subject to Board approval. Only designated Florida Sheriff Transportation Agencies are eligible to receive reimbursement for up to one multi-passenger vehicle. Florida Sheriff Transportation Agencies are those agencies identified as responsible for transport from the Transportation Zones in SBIE-005 Florida Law Enforcement Officer Civil Immigration Arrest Transportation Process, revised September 3, 2025, effective September 3, 2025, hereby incorporated by reference. A copy of SBIE-005 Florida Law Enforcement Officer Civil Immigration Arrest Transportation Process may be obtained by contacting the State Board of Immigration Enforcement, P.O. Box 1489, Tallahassee, Florida 32302 or SBIE@fdle.state.fl.us. No other vehicle, vessel, or aircraft will be approved for reimbursement.

(e) A bonus of up to \$1,000 for each local law enforcement officer employed by a local law enforcement agency who is credentialed as a designated immigration officer and participates in at least one United States Department of Homeland Security task force operation under section 287(g) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, as found at 8 U.S.C. s. 1357, subject to the following criteria: The bonus shall include an additional 7.65% for the officer's share of Federal Insurance Contribution Act tax on the bonus. A local law enforcement agency may not apply for more than one bonus for any particular local law enforcement officer over the life of the program.

(f) A local law enforcement agency may apply to the State Board of Immigration Enforcement to provide bonus payments for the agency's certified correctional officers who are a warrant service officer or a designated immigration officer under the jail enforcement model under section 287(g) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, as found at 8 U.S.C. s. 1357, subject to the following criteria: The bonus shall include an additional 7.65% for the officer's share of Federal Insurance Contribution Act tax on the bonus. A local law enforcement agency may not apply for more than one bonus for any particular local law enforcement officer over the life of the program. The local law enforcement agency must certify to the Board that the certified correctional officer acted in such capacity as a warrant service officer or a designated immigration officer under the jail enforcement model for at least 6 months preceding the application and provide any information requested by the Board. Correctional officers are not eligible for operations solely at state correctional facilities.

(g) Hardware or software essential to assisting the Federal Government in its enforcement of federal immigration laws. A local law enforcement agency seeking reimbursement for hardware or software costs must articulate in its application a direct need to acquire the hardware or software for immigration enforcement purposes and why preexisting resources are inadequate.

(h) Any associated or incidental costs related to the moving, transporting, lodging, temporary detention, or security of unauthorized aliens essential to assisting the Federal Government in its enforcement of federal immigration laws or related to active participation in task force activities under section 287(g) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. s. 1357 not previously enumerated and not otherwise prohibited. A local law enforcement agency seeking reimbursement for the moving, transporting, lodging, temporary detention, or security of unauthorized aliens must articulate in its application the justification of a direct need to acquire said expenses and provide all receipts for said expenses.

(2) All reimbursements with grant funds must be reasonably priced based on current market review at the time of the expense, and must be necessary for the operations and success of immigration enforcement. All costs must be allowable, reasonable, and necessary in accordance with Department of Financial Services, Chief Financial Officer Memorandum No. 1, available at [https://www.myfloridacfo.com/docs-sf/accounting-and-auditing-libraries/state-agencies/cfo-memos/cfo-memo-no-01---contract-and-grant-reviews-and-related-payment-processing-requirements.pdf?sfvrsn=1a73801c\\_3](https://www.myfloridacfo.com/docs-sf/accounting-and-auditing-libraries/state-agencies/cfo-memos/cfo-memo-no-01---contract-and-grant-reviews-and-related-payment-processing-requirements.pdf?sfvrsn=1a73801c_3).

(3) A local law enforcement agency may not receive more than \$500,000 in reimbursed overtime expenses during a particular fiscal year without approval by the Board.

(4) The Board may authorize increases in funding allocations subject to the availability of unallocated grant funds through the issuance of a supplemental grant award amendment.

*Rulemaking Authority 2025-1 LOF. Law Implemented 2025-1 LOF. History— New 10-6-25, Supersedes 11QER25-3.*

THIS RULE TAKES EFFECT UPON BEING FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE UNLESS A LATER TIME AND DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THE RULE.

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

## Section V

### Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule Variance or Waiver

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-4.010 Sanitation and Safety Requirements



The Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants hereby gives notice: On September 16, 2025 the Division of Hotels and Restaurants received a Petition for a Routine Variance for Subparagraph 3-305.11(A)(2), 2017 FDA Food Code, Section 3-305.14, 2017 FDA Food Code, Section 6-202.15, 2017 FDA Food Code, Section 6-202.16, 2017 FDA Food Code, subsection 61C-4.010(1), Florida Administrative Code, and subsection 61C-4.010(6), Florida Administrative Code from El Sabor De Johana. located in Orlando. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement for proper handling and dispensing of food. They are requesting to dispense bulk time/temperature control for safety foods from an open-air mobile food dispensing vehicle.

The Petition for this variance was published in Vol. 51/181 on September 17, 2025. The Order for this Petition was signed and approved on October 06, 2025. 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 that each pan within the steam table is properly covered with an individual lid; the steam table is enclosed within a cabinet with tight-fitting doors, and is protected by an air curtain installed and operated according to the manufacturer's specifications that protects against flying vermin or other environmental contaminants; all steam table foods must be properly reheated for hot holding at approved commissaries and held hot at the proper minimum temperature per the parameters of the currently adopted FDA Food Code; and steam table food is to be dispensed by the operator with no customer self-service. The Petitioner shall also strictly adhere to the operating procedures and copies of the variance and operating procedures are to be present on the MFDV during all periods of operation.

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

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**FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION****RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:**

67-21.026 HC Credit Underwriting Procedures

67-21.027 HC General Program Procedures and Requirements

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on October 07, 2025, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, received a petition for waiver of paragraphs 67-21.026(13)(f) and (h), and subsection 67-21.027(6), Florida Administrative Code (06/23/2020) from

Platform 3750 II, LLC, permitting the submission of the Final Cost Certification Application Package with an Agreed Upon Procedures Report instead of: (i) the General Contractor Cost Certification; (ii) a certified public accountant opinion letter; and/or (iii) an audit report prepared by an independent certified public accountant, and Board approval to amend the terms under which the requirements of subparagraph 67-21.026(13)(f)2 and paragraph (h), F.A.C. (6/23/20) were waived such that the affiliated subcontractor may exceed the 31% Subcontractor Cap with reference to the AUP.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329. The Petition has also been posted on Florida Housing's website at [floridahousing.org](http://floridahousing.org). Florida Housing will accept comments concerning the Petition for 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received on or before 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on the 14th day after publication of this notice at [CorporationClerk@floridahousing.org](mailto:CorporationClerk@floridahousing.org) or Florida Housing Finance Corporation, Attn: Corporation Clerk, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329.

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**FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION****RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:**

67-21.0025 Miscellaneous Criteria

67-21.026 HC Credit Underwriting Procedures

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on October 07, 2025, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, received a petition for waiver of subsections 67-21.0025(1) and 67-21.026(10), Florida Administrative Code (08/27/2024) from Fort Myers Leased Housing Associates I, LLLP, to allow Petitioner's to incur costs outside of the GMP contract and to allow Petitioner to have a GMP contract, which has hard rehabilitation costs per unit less than \$40,000.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329. The Petition has also been posted on Florida Housing's website at [floridahousing.org](http://floridahousing.org). Florida Housing will accept comments concerning the Petition for 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received on or before 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on the 14th day after publication of this notice at [CorporationClerk@floridahousing.org](mailto:CorporationClerk@floridahousing.org) or Florida Housing Finance Corporation, Attn: Corporation Clerk, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329.

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## Section VI

### Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

#### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

##### Florida Forest Service

The Florida Forest Service announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 28, 2025, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon, EDT

PLACE: Florida Forest Service State Office, Eyster Auditorium, 3125 Conner Boulevard, Tallahassee, FL 32399

#### GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Discussion on the program status and progress updates for:

1. Silvicultural Best Management Practices (BMP) and Forestry Wildlife BMP Implementation Programs
2. Compliance Monitoring Programs
3. Forest Hydrology Research Updates
4. Plan for Revisions to the Silviculture and Forest Wildlife BMP Manuals
5. BMP Geodatabase Modernization Project

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jarek Nowak; (850)681-5883; Jarek.Nowak@FDACS.gov

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 72 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Jarek Nowak; (850)681-5883; Jarek.Nowak@FDACS.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

##### Division of Blind Services

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

DATE AND TIME: October 16, 2025, 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: 1(305)224-1968, Meeting ID: 957 4841 0312, Passcode: 813743

#### GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

Tallahassee Day Subcommittee Meeting

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

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the

agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The Division of Blind Services at (850)245-0370. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: (850)245-0396 or email DBSRehabCouncil@dbf.fldoe.org

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

##### Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

The Florida Rehabilitation Council Quarterly Meeting and Disability Employment Awareness Month Event announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 21, 2025, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: 202 N Tamiami Trail Sarasota, FL 34236

[https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_YTMynTU2M2ItYmY2YS00NDYwLWExMzUtMTNkMmEyM2YxMTQ2%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2263bf107b-cb6f-4173-8c1c-1406bb5cb794%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%221ab4ed74-bea1-4880-a65d-0e7783e49e44%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YTMynTU2M2ItYmY2YS00NDYwLWExMzUtMTNkMmEyM2YxMTQ2%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2263bf107b-cb6f-4173-8c1c-1406bb5cb794%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%221ab4ed74-bea1-4880-a65d-0e7783e49e44%22%7d)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

General Business / DEAM Celebration

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: FRCCustomers@vr.fldoe.org

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

For more information, you may contact: FRCCustomers@vr.fldoe.org

#### REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

##### Northeast Florida Regional Planning Council

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

DATE AND TIME: October 22, 2025, 1:00 p.m. Legislative Policy Committee

PLACE: 96135 Nassau Pl., Suite 1, Yulee, FL 32097; and virtual via Zoom at <https://nefrfc-org.zoom.us/j/83822157465>; Meeting ID 83822157465.

#### GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:

2026 Regional Legislative Priorities.

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

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION****Construction Industry Licensing Board**

The Construction Industry Licensing Board announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, November 10, 2025, 1:00 p.m.

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

<https://meet.goto.com/519882189>

You can also dial in using your phone.

Access Code: 519-882-189

United States: +1(571)317-3116

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Florida Homeowners' Construction Recovery Fund

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Jordan Jones, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1039, (850)717-1983.

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: Jordan Jones, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1039, (850)717-1983. 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: Jordan Jones, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1039, (850)717-1983.

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**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION****Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board**

The Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: October 23-24, 2025, 9:00 a.m. (ET)

PLACE: Hotel Melby, 801 E. Strawbridge Avenue, Melbourne, FL 32901

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Committee meetings and general board business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [Myfloridalicense.com](http://Myfloridalicense.com) – Licensing and Regulation - Building Code Administrators & Inspectors - Board Meeting Information.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by

contacting: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee FL 32399, or by calling (850)717-1980. 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: Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee FL 32399, or by calling (850)717-1980.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH****Division of Children's Medical Services**

The State Child Abuse Death Review Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 16, 2025, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

PLACE: Microsoft Teams:

Meeting ID: 289 388 008 276 7

Passcode: Ff7CC3fE

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** To provide data analysis updates, case review status updates, review State Committee recommendations, prevention initiatives

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [symone.ferguson@flhealth.gov](mailto:symone.ferguson@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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: [symone.ferguson@flhealth.gov](mailto:symone.ferguson@flhealth.gov). If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: [symone.ferguson@flhealth.gov](mailto:symone.ferguson@flhealth.gov)

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**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES****Mental Health Program**

The Department of Children and Families, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Program Office announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Funding Subcommittee: The meeting originally scheduled for Thursday, October 9, 2025, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon, EST has been RESCHEDULED to October 22, 2025, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon, EST.

This notice supersedes the previous announcement for this meeting.

PLACE: Virtual meeting via Microsoft Teams Webinar. Participants must register for the event using the registration link below:

<https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/7a2f32f2-0a09-4332-8e4a-173e667a995d@f70dba48-b283-4c57-8831-cb411445a94c>

The registration link is also available on the Department of Children and Families calendar of events located here:

<https://www.myflfamilies.com/news-and-events>

Dial in by Phone: 1(412)912-1530, Phone Conference ID: 194 036 584#

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Commission on Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder is meeting in accordance with section 394.9086, F.S. Discussion topics will include the status of Florida's behavioral health system of care and opportunities to further examine the current methods of providing mental health and substance use services in the state.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Aaron Platt at [Aaron.platt@myflfamilies.com](mailto:Aaron.platt@myflfamilies.com) or (850)717-4331.

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: Aaron Platt at [Aaron.platt@myflfamilies.com](mailto:Aaron.platt@myflfamilies.com) or (850)717-4331. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

#### FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

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

**DATE AND TIME:** October 23, 2025, 4:00 p.m. until adjourned

**PLACE:** Hyatt Regency Jacksonville, 225 E Coastline Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32202

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** 1. The Committee will meet regarding the general business of the Committee.

2. Such other matters as may be included on the Agenda for the October 23, 2025, Audit Committee Meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Lauren Cronin, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329, phone number (850)488-4197, or by visiting the Corporation's website at [www.floridahousing.org](http://www.floridahousing.org).

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Lauren Cronin, Florida Housing Finance

Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329, phone number (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).

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: Lauren Cronin, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329, phone number (850)488-4197.

#### FLORIDA GAMING CONTROL COMMISSION

The FLORIDA GAMING CONTROL COMMISSION announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** Thursday, October 16, 2025, 9:30 a.m.

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

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

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

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

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

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [dixie.parker@flgaming.gov](mailto:dixie.parker@flgaming.gov).

#### Northeast Florida Area Agency on Aging

The ElderSource announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** October 14, 2025, 2:30 p.m.

**PLACE:** Via Zoom

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Governance Committee Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [adminsupport@myeldersource.org](mailto:adminsupport@myeldersource.org)

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 4 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: [adminsupport@myeldersource.org](mailto:adminsupport@myeldersource.org). If you are

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

For more information, you may contact: [adminsupport@myeldersource.org](mailto:adminsupport@myeldersource.org)

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Pasco-Pinellas Area Agency on Aging

The PASCO-PINELLAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, October 20, 2025, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' BOARDROOM, 8731 CITIZENS DRIVE, NEW PORT RICHEY, FL 34654

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

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Hillary Morales, (727)570-9696 x233.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Hillary Morales, (727)570-9696 x233. 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: Hillary Morales, (727)570-9696 x233.

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Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation, Inc.

The Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 22, 2025, 1:00 p.m. - 2:20 p.m.

PLACE: Queen/Royal at the Marriott Sanibel Harbour Resort (17260 Harbour Pointe Dr., Fort Myers, FL 33908)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: CFA SRIC

Discussion of proposed standards changes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

For more information, you may contact: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

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Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation, Inc.

The Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 22, 2025, 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: Everglades A at the Marriott Sanibel Harbour Resort (17260 Harbour Pointe Dr., Fort Myers, FL 33908)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: CFA Executive Workshop.

Review agencies for accreditation or reaccreditation, and general business of the Commission.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

For more information, you may contact: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

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Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation, Inc.

The Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 23, 2025, 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Marriott Sanibel Harbour Resort (17260 Harbour Pointe Dr., Fort Myers, FL 33908)

Panel Review (A) in Everglades A

Panel Review (B) in Everglades B

Panel Review (C) in Everglades C

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Review of agencies for accreditation or reaccreditation.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

For more information, you may contact: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

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Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation, Inc.

The Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 23, 2025, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

PLACE: Queen/Royal at the Marriott Sanibel Harbour Resort (17260 Harbour Pointe Dr., Fort Myers, FL 33908)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: CFA Business Meeting.

Review of agencies for accreditation or reaccreditation, and general business of the Commission.

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For more information, you may contact: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

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Florida Corrections Accreditation Commission, Inc.

The Florida Corrections Accreditation Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: October 21, 2025, 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

PLACE: Queen/Royal at the Marriott Sanibel Harbour Resort (17260 Harbour Pointe Dr., Fort Myers, FL 33908)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: FCAC SRIC

Discussion of proposed standards changes.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

For more information, you may contact: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

Florida Corrections Accreditation Commission, Inc.  
The Florida Corrections Accreditation Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.  
DATE AND TIME: October 21, 2025, 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
PLACE: Everglades A at the Marriott Sanibel Harbour Resort (17260 Harbour Pointe Dr., Fort Myers, FL 33908)  
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: FCAC Executive Workshop.  
Review agencies for accreditation or reaccreditation, and general business of the Commission.  
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)  
For more information, you may contact: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

Florida Corrections Accreditation Commission, Inc.  
The Florida Corrections Accreditation Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.  
DATE AND TIME: October 22, 2025, 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  
PLACE: Caloosa at the Marriott Sanibel Harbour Resort (17260 Harbour Pointe Dr., Fort Myers, FL 33908)  
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: FCAC Panel Review.  
Review of agencies for accreditation or reaccreditation.  
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)  
For more information, you may contact: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

Florida Corrections Accreditation Commission, Inc.  
The Florida Corrections Accreditation Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.  
DATE AND TIME: October 22, 2025, 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.  
PLACE: Queens/Royal at the Marriott Sanibel Harbour Resort (17260 Harbour Pointe Dr., Fort Myers, FL 33908)  
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: FCAC Business Meeting.  
Review agencies for accreditation or reaccreditation, and general business of the Commission.  
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)  
For more information, you may contact: (850)410-7200, [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us)

Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc.  
The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.  
DATES AND TIMES: The Public Meeting will be held virtually and in-person on separate days. The virtual meeting will be Wednesday, October 29, 2025, 6:00 p.m. A formal presentation will begin at 6:00 p.m. followed by a question-and-answer period. Comments and questions will be answered in the

order received. The in-person meeting will be Thursday, October 30, 2025, 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. The meeting will follow an open-house format featuring project displays, with staff on hand to answer any questions. All questions, comments or statements will become part of the project record. The same information will be presented at both the virtual and the in-person for the Public Meeting, so attending both is not necessary. In the event that the in-person Public Meeting cannot be held on October 30, 2025, it will be held on the alternate date of November 12, 2025, during the same times and place.  
PLACE: Participants are requested to register in advance for the virtual experience. To register for the Public Meeting, please use the following link <https://tinyurl.com/2uaf8d65>. For the in-person experience please see the meeting address below.

VIRTUAL: To join by phone, please dial +1(213)493-0005, Access Code, 514-224-387. If using a mobile device, the free "GoToWebinar" application is required to attend. Please allow adequate log-in time to view the presentation in its entirety. Questions and comments may be submitted via the virtual chat feature during the Public Meeting.

IN-PERSON: Osborne Community Center, 1699 Wingfield St, Lake Worth Beach, Florida 33460

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will hold a virtual and in-person Public Meeting to present information and gather feedback from the public concerning the Resurfacing, Restoration and Rehabilitation (RRR) Project for State Road 5/ S Federal Highway from State Road 5/US 1/N Dixie Highway to 10th Avenue S. The project identification number is 449832-1-52-01. The proposed improvements along State Road 5/ S Federal Highway from SR 5/US 1/N Dixie Highway to 10th Avenue S include repave and restripe the existing roadway to extend the service life of the pavement, enhance safety for motorists, pedestrians and bicyclists while updating crosswalks and ramps to comply with the American with Disabilities Act (ADA).

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

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

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Damaris Williams, P.E., FDOT Project Manager, FDOT, 3400 West Commercial Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, (954)777-4679 toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, ext. 4679 or by email at [damaris.williams@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:damaris.williams@dot.state.fl.us).

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ms. Damaris Williams, P.E., FDOT Project Manager, FDOT, 3400 West Commercial Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, (954)777-4679 toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, ext. 4679 or by email at [damaris.williams@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:damaris.williams@dot.state.fl.us).

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. 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. Damaris Williams, P.E., FDOT Project Manager, FDOT, 3400 West Commercial Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, (954)777-4679 toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, ext. 4679 or by email at [damaris.williams@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:damaris.williams@dot.state.fl.us).

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#### ABC Group, LLC

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

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, October 21, 2025, 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. (CDT)

PLACE: Virtual (online): [www.nwflroads.com/calendar](http://www.nwflroads.com/calendar)

In-person: Destin City Hall Annex, 4100 Indian Bayou Trail, Destin, FL 32541

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will hold a Hybrid Public Hearing regarding an access management change on U.S. 98 in Okaloosa County. The U.S. 98 median at Regions Way will be permanently closed, as part of the U.S. 98 resurfacing project from Paraiso Boulevard to Regions Way.

This hearing is being held to provide interested persons an opportunity to review plans and to provide input on the access management change to close the U.S. 98 median opening at Regions Way. The permanent median closure is required to improve safety and traffic flow along this critical corridor which serves approximately 53,500 drivers daily.

Pre-registration is required for the virtual format and encouraged for in-person attendees. Participants are asked to register at the following link: [www.nwflroads.com/calendar](http://www.nwflroads.com/calendar). The same materials will be presented for each format.

Maps, drawings, and other information will be available for review beginning at 12:00 noon (CDT), Tuesday, September

30, online at [www.nwflroads.com/calendar](http://www.nwflroads.com/calendar) and on-location from Tuesday, September 30 through Friday, October 31, at the Destin Chamber of Commerce, 4484 Legendary Drive, Suite A, Destin, FL. The project materials may also be viewed by contacting the FDOT Project Manager using the information provided below.

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

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: FDOT the FDOT Project Manager, Troy Byers, at (850)836-5749, via email at [Troy.Byers@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Troy.Byers@dot.state.fl.us), or by mail at 1074 Highway 90, Chipley, FL 32428. All comments provided, or postmarked, on or before Friday, October 31, will become part of the official record.

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

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## Section VII Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

### DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

#### Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION Drugs, Devices, and Cosmetics has received the petition for declaratory statement from Shannel Ortiz – Golden Render Tallow & Market. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of 499.01(2)(p) as it applies to the petitioner.

The petition seeks the applicability of sections 499.01(2)(p), Florida Statutes, and applicability of Ms. Ortiz's cosmetic manufacturing business as exempt from Florida's cosmetic manufacturing permit requirements.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Lavontae Warren, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Drugs, Devices, and Cosmetics, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1030, [Lavontae.Warren@myfloridalicense.com](mailto:Lavontae.Warren@myfloridalicense.com). Please refer all comments to: Anastasia Morrow, Chief Attorney, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Drugs, Devices, and Cosmetics, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1030. Email: [Anastasia.morrow@myfloridalicense.com](mailto:Anastasia.morrow@myfloridalicense.com).

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## Section VIII

### Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

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

NONE

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

NONE

## Section IX

### Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

NONE

## Section X

### Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

NONE

## Section XI

### Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing

Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport Authority  
REQUEST FOR BIDS # 25-006

GNV QTA Electrical Vehicle Charging Project  
Gainesville Regional Airport

The Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport Authority (GACRAA) is soliciting sealed bids for the GNV QTA Electrical Vehicle Charging project. The work shall include the installation of electric vehicle charging stations at the Airport's Quick Turnaround Area, used by rental car companies. The scope includes furnishing new electrical distribution equipment and establishing a new electrical service in coordination with Gainesville Regional Utilities (GRU). Additional work involves extending the existing fiber optic network to provide communication to the site.

The Design/Build Criteria Plans and Specifications for the project may be obtained from the offices of AVCON, INC. Digital copies are available at no charge; hard copies will not be provided. Criteria Plans and Specifications will be available, after 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 14, 2025. PLEASE NOTE: To ensure you are apprised of changes to project requirements and receive all Addenda, you must register with AVCON and be on the Plan Holders List to bid the project. Please contact Sue Finney at AVCON, Inc. by email: [sfinney@avconinc.com](mailto:sfinney@avconinc.com) or by phone: (407)599-1122 x244.

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be held on Wednesday, October 22, 2025, 11:00 a.m. at the Gainesville Regional Airport, Passenger Terminal Board Room, 3880 N.E. 39th Avenue, Gainesville, Florida 32609. A site visit of the project areas will be conducted immediately following the pre-bid conference. Each participant shall provide their own transportation. Other site visits may be scheduled by appointment at the convenience of the Airport by calling Aaron Carver, Facilities Manager, at (352)373-0249.

Bids must be signed by an authorized official of the Design/Build entity, enclosed in a sealed envelope or package clearly marked: "Project No. 25-006 – "GNV QTA Electrical Vehicle Charging" and mailed or delivered to:

Gainesville Regional Airport, Attn: Chief Executive Officer, Administrative Office, 3880 N.E. 39th Avenue, Suite A, Gainesville, Florida 32609

Bids are due by 4:00 p.m., Friday, November 21, 2025 and will be publicly opened at this time. The official clock is located in the Authority's Administrative Office. Bids received after 4:00 p.m., November 21, 2025 will not be opened or considered.

GACRAA reserves the right to reject any or all bids received in response to this Request for Bids as determined to be in the best interest of the Airport.

Florida is for Veterans Inc.

Veterans Florida Issues Request for Qualifications for Entrepreneurship Program

Veterans Florida seeks responses from qualified vendors to administer the fiscal year 2025-26 Entrepreneurship Program ("Program"). The Program, established under s. 295.22, F.S., connects business leaders in the state with participants seeking to become entrepreneurs and may include activities and assistance such as peer-to-peer learning sessions, mentoring, technical assistance, business roundtables, networking opportunities, support of student organizations, speaker series, or other tools within a virtual environment. The Program purpose is to provide a comprehensive suite of training options to participants, designed to enhance their entrepreneurial skills wherever they may be in their entrepreneurial journey. The Program components offer participants cohort-based training, workshops, and networking opportunities. Since the Program



inception, Veterans Florida has offered training via cohorts, workshops or networking events to more than 6,000 veteran entrepreneurs.

The Program is implemented across a network of Florida-based partner entities throughout the state. Veterans Florida's objective is for veterans to complete the Program with the skills and confidence to become successful business owners or to grow their business. Veterans Florida seeks to contract with one or more entities to administer the Program. All relationships are reviewed and renewed on an annual basis.

For more information including timeline and requirements please visit <https://www.veteransflorida.org/submit-proposal>

## Section XII Miscellaneous

### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Index of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State Pursuant to subparagraphs 120.55(1)(b)7. – 8., F.S., the below list of rules were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State between 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 1, 2025, and 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 7, 2025.

| Rule No.  | File Date | Effective Date |
|---|-----------|----------------|
| 5A-16.003   | 10/2/2025 | 10/22/2025     |
| 11QER25-1   | 10/6/2025 | 10/6/2025      |
| 59G-6.009   | 10/6/2025 | 10/26/2025     |
| 61-35.008   | 10/3/2025 | 10/23/2025     |
| 64B8-4.0091   | 10/6/2025 | 10/26/2025     |
| 64B16-32.015  | 10/6/2025 | 10/26/2025     |
| 64WER25-2   | 10/1/2025 | 10/1/2025      |
| 64WER25-3   | 10/1/2025 | 10/1/2025      |
| 65C-25.001  | 10/3/2025 | 10/23/2025     |
| 65C-25.002  | 10/3/2025 | 10/23/2025     |
| 65C-25.003  | 10/3/2025 | 10/23/2025     |
| 65C-25.009  | 10/3/2025 | 10/23/2025     |
| 65D-30.0141   | 10/3/2025 | 10/23/2025     |
| 68A-27.0021   | 10/2/2025 | 10/22/2025     |
| 68A-27.003  | 10/2/2025 | 10/22/2025     |
| 73CER25-1   | 10/3/2025 | 10/3/2025      |
| 75-14.059   | 10/6/2025 | 10/26/2025     |
| 75-14.073   | 10/6/2025 | 10/26/2025     |
| <b>LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES</b> |           |                |

| Rule No.    | File Date | Effective Date |
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| 14-10.0043  | 4/11/2025 | **/**/****     |
| 60FF1-5.009 | 7/21/2016 | **/**/****     |
| 64B8-10.003 | 12/9/2015 | **/**/****     |
| 65C-9.004   | 3/31/2022 | **/**/****     |

### DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES

#### Division of Motor Vehicles

#### Establishment of EBTSCO LLC, line-make PLDG

#### Notice of Publication for a New Point Franchise Motor Vehicle Dealer in a County of Less than 300,000 Population

Pursuant to section 320.642, Florida Statutes, notice is given that Plastic Development Group LLC, intends to allow the establishment of EBTSCO LLC DBA Roadshark Scooters, as a dealership for the sale and service of low-speed vehicles manufactured by Plastic Development Group LLC (line-make PLDG) at 515 S 8th St, Fernandina Beach, (Nassau County), Florida 32034, on or after November 7, 2025.

The name and address of the dealer operator(s) and principal investor(s) of EBTSCO LLC are dealer operator(s): Teresa A. Thompson, 515 S 8th St, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034, Scott Thompson, 515 S 8th Street, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034, principal investor(s): Teresa A. Thompson, 515 S 8th St, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034, Scott Thompson, 515 S 8th Street, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034.

The notice indicates intent to establish the new point location in a county of less than 300,000 population, according to the latest population estimates of the University of Florida, Bureau of Economic and Business Research.

Certain dealerships of the same line-make may have standing, pursuant to section 320.642, Florida Statutes, to file a petition or complaint protesting the application.

Written petitions or complaints must be received by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice and must be submitted to: Sondra L. Howard, Administrator, Dealer License Section, Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, Room A-312 MS65, Neil Kirkman Building, 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0635.

A copy of such petition or complaint must also be sent by US Mail to: Ann Yousif, Plastic Development Group LLC, 24445 Northwestern Hwy Suite 101, Southfield, Michigan 48075.

If no petitions or complaints are received within 30 days of the date of publication, a final order will be issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles approving the establishment of the dealership, subject to the applicant's compliance with the provisions of Chapter 320, Florida Statutes.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
Division of State Lands

Grant Application Submission Period for Florida Communities Trust, Parks and Open Space Florida Forever Program

The Department of Environmental Protection will accept Fiscal Year 2025-2026 grant applications, in accordance with Rule Chapters 62-818 and 62-819, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), from Local Governments and eligible Nonprofit Environmental Organizations requesting funding awards for the acquisition of community-based projects and land to implement the Parks and Open Space program.

**APPLICATION SUBMISSION PERIOD:** Applications for the Parks and Open Space program will be accepted beginning on November 3, 2025, and must be received by 5:00 p.m., EDT on January 19, 2026. Applications must be received on or before the stated deadline to be eligible for consideration. Applications received after the published deadline shall be deemed late and will not be considered.

**APPLICATION FORMS:** The Application Instructions Guide, Application Forms and additional information may be obtained at <https://floridadep.gov/lands/land-and-recreation-grants/content/parks-and-open-space-florida-forever-grant-program> or you may contact FCT staff via email [FloridaCommunitiesTrust@FloridaDEP.gov](mailto:FloridaCommunitiesTrust@FloridaDEP.gov), by phone (850)245-2501; or U.S. Mail at Department of Environmental Protection, Land and Recreation Grants Section, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station 115, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, religion, sex, pregnancy, national origin, age, handicap, or marital status. Persons who require special accommodations under the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) or persons who require translation services (free of charge) are asked to contact: [LEP@FloridaDEP.gov](mailto:LEP@FloridaDEP.gov). at least 48 hours before the meeting. If you have hearing or speech impairment, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Treasury

2425-02 ITN TR

Notice of Invitation to Negotiate

Department of Financial Services

2425-02 ITN TR

Investment Provider Services for the State of Florida Deferred Compensation Plan

The Florida Department of Financial Services (Department), an agency of the state of Florida (State) is issuing this Invitation to Negotiate (ITN) to establish a contract for record keeping and investment provider services for the State of Florida Deferred

Compensation Plan (Plan), a supplemental retirement program under Internal Revenue Code 457(b).

The solicitation will be administered through the Vendor Information Portal (VIP). The submitted Response must comply with the terms and conditions stated in the ITN.

**Point of Contact/Procurement Officer:** All questions must be in writing and should reference the above solicitation number and title. Submit all questions to Procurement Officer, Chrisy Smith, via email at [DFSPurchasing@myfloridacfo.com](mailto:DFSPurchasing@myfloridacfo.com).

**Response Due Date:** January 14, 2026 by 2:00 p.m., Eastern Time, to the Procurement Officer identified, at the following address:

Department of Financial Services, Office of Purchasing and Contractual Services, 200 East Gaines Street, Larson Building, Suite 101, Tallahassee, FL 32399

The Department reserves the right to issue amendments, addenda, and changes to the timeline and specifically to any public meeting identified within the solicitation. The Department will post notice of any changes regarding this solicitation or additional meetings within the VIP in accordance with Section 287.042(3), Florida Statutes, and will not re-advertise the notice in the Florida Administrative Register (FAR). To access the VIP go to the following web address: MyFloridaMarket Place Vendor Information Portal.

**ADA Requirements:** Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in any meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the meeting by contacting: Procurement Officer – see above. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Workers' Compensation

Notice of Cancellation of Three-Member Panel Meeting

The Florida Department of Financial Services, Division of Workers' Compensation announces the Three-Member Panel Meeting that was scheduled for Wednesday, October 8, 2025, is cancelled.

The Three-Member Panel Meeting will be rescheduled in a future edition of the Florida Administrative Register.

Section XIII

Index to Rules Filed During Preceding Week

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