Section I
Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
6A-20.045 Open Door Grant Program

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This amendment is to make changes to the Open Door Grant Program due to amendments to Section 1009.895, F.S., from the 2024 legislative session, which allows students to receive state financial assistance while enrolled in an adult secondary education program. The effect is to increase the types of education programs eligible for the grant program.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Expansion of qualifying programs for students seeking to accept Open Door Grant Program student financial assistance.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1009.895(7), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1009.40, 1009.42, 1009.895, 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: Shawn Haskin, Director, State Scholarships and Grants, Finance and Operations, Office of Student Financial Assistance, Florida Department of Education, Suite 1344 Turlington Building, shawn.haskin1@fldoe.org, (850)410-5185. To comment on this rule development or to request a rule development workshop, please go to https://web02.fldoe.org/rules or contact: Chris Emerson, Director, Office of Executive Management, Department of Education, Christian.Emerson@fldoe.org.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS: Available at https://web02.fldoe.org/rules.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Medicine

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:
64B8-6.003 Intern; Duties of
64B8-6.006 House Physician; Definition of

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: 64B8-6.003 – The Board proposes the rule amendment to update the rule language to replace the approved internship training from the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association to the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME). 64B8-6.006 - The Board proposes the rule amendment to update the rule language to define the definition of a house physician.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: To update the rule text to be consistent with the language in the statute.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 458.309, 458.345 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 458.345 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: Morgan Rexford, MPH, Executive Director, Board of Medicine/MQA, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C03, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3253, (850)245-4131 or Morgan.Rexford@flhealth.gov

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE AND CAN BE OBTAINED, AT NO CHARGE, FROM THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Medicine

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
64B8-6.008 Unlicensed Physicians; Duties of Hospital

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment to update the rule language and title to remove the term “Unlicensed Physician” and change the description to be consistent with the language in the statute.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: To update the rule text and title to be consistent with the language in the statute.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 458.309, 458.345 FS

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 458.345 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: Morgan Rexford, MPH, Executive Director, Board of Medicine/MQA, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C03, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3253, (850)245-4131 or Morgan.Rexford@flhealth.gov

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Section II
Proposed Rules

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Marketing and Development

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:
5H-23.002 Application for Fair Permit
5H-23.005 Charter Review

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of this rulemaking is to implement the recent statutory changes to Chapter 616, Part I (ss. 616.001–616.24), effective July 1, 2026. The statutory updates revise existing permit application procedures under s. 616.15, F.S., requiring updates to the permit issuance process and related forms to ensure consistency with the amended statute. The statutory updates also establish new authority for the Department to conduct charter reviews under s. 616.101(2), F.S.; therefore, this rulemaking creates a new rule to implement the charter review process, including requirements added to s. 616.01, F.S.

SUMMARY: The rulemaking will address updates to existing permit application procedures under s. 616.15, F.S., including revisions to timelines, processes, and related forms to ensure consistency with recent statutory changes. The rulemaking will also establish procedures for the newly authorized charter review process under s. 616.101(2), F.S., which includes incorporating the charter requirements added to s. 616.01, F.S.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The department's economic analysis of the adverse impact of potential regulatory costs of the proposed rule did not exceed any of the criteria established in Section 120.541(2)(a), Florida Statutes. The proposed rules are being amended to comply with statutory changes, update incorporated forms, national standards, references to incorporated material, qualifier eligibility, testing requirements, consumer protection, definition, and penalties. There are no increased regulatory costs associated with these revisions. No interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 570.07(23), 616.12, 616.165 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 616.01, 616.05, 616.101, 616.11, 616.12, 616.15, 616.17, 616.24 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Susie McKinley, Director, Division of Marketing and Development, 407 S. Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, FL, 32399, phone (850)617-7300, email Susie.McKinley@FDACS.gov

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

5H-23.002 Application for Fair Permit.

(1) No change.

(2) Each fair association desiring a fair permit shall apply to the department at least 90 calendar days ~~three months~~ before the desired host date of the annual public fair by submitting a completed Application for Fair Permit, FDACS-06100, (Rev. 12/26 ~~06/16~~). Fair associations must also submit the supplemental materials requested on the application. Item Two (2), Affidavit, FDACS-06101, (Rev. 12/26 ~~08/13~~), shall only be submitted if the fair association is contracting with a central amusement company to operate during the annual public fair for which the permit is desired.

~~(3) The department shall issue a Fair Permit, FDACS-06118, (Rev. 05/13), for any fair association satisfying these application requirements and shall issue a Tax Exemption Certificate, FDACS-06117, (Rev.05/13), to any central amusement company contracting with such fair associations.~~

(3)~~(4)~~ Section 616.15(3), F.S., allows the department to consider whether any proposed annual public fair will compete with another annual public fair within 50 miles of the proposed fair and to deny a permit application in such case; therefore, any fair association considering a date change for its annual public fair is encouraged to contact the department as soon as possible at (850) 617-7300 ~~(850) 617-7380~~ to determine if the proposed date will create a conflict. In addition, by June 15 each year, each fair association shall submit to the department a Fair Data Sheet, FDACS-06111, (Rev. 12/26 ~~05/13~~).

(4) Failure to provide items required in Section 616.15(2), F.S., at least 21-days before the fair may result in the withholding, denial, or withdrawal of a permit.

(5) The following documents are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference. Copies of these forms may be

obtained from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Marketing and Development, Suite 431-A ~~209~~, Mayo Building (M-37), Tallahassee, FL 32399-0800 or online as indicated.

(a) Application for Fair Permit, FDACS-06100, (Rev. 12/26 ~~06/16~~), http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-20352 ~~http://www.flrules.org/gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-07782~~.

(b) Affidavit, FDACS-06101, (Rev. 12/26 ~~05/13~~), http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-20353 ~~https://www.flrules.org/gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03515~~.

(c) Fair Data Sheet, FDACS-06111, (Rev. 12/26 ~~05/13~~), http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-20354 ~~https://www.flrules.org/gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03518~~.

(d) Tax Exemption Certificate, FDACS-06117, (Rev. 12/26 ~~05/13~~), http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-20355 ~~https://www.flrules.org/gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03517~~.

~~(e) Fair Permit, FDACS-06118, (Rev. 05/13), https://www.flrules.org/gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-03516.~~

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 616.12, 616.165 FS. Law Implemented 616.11, 616.12, 616.15, 616.17, 616.24 ~~616.242~~ FS. History–New 8-17-93, Amended 2-13-14, 1-11-17, .

5H-23.005 Charter Review.

(1) Existing fair associations will complete the initial charter review provided for in s. 616.101(2), F.S., and submit all required documents related thereto to the department on or before December 31, 2028. After completion of the initial charter review, each fair association will complete its review and submit all required documents to the department every fifth calendar year on or before December 31. A fair association that is created on or after July 1, 2026, will complete its review and submit all required documents to the department on or before December 31 of the fifth calendar year after the year its original charter is approved by the circuit court and each fifth calendar year thereafter.

(2) Prior to the initial charter review deadline in subsection (1), each fair association will amend its charter as necessary to include the items in s. 616.01, F.S.

(3) Fair associations will execute and submit to the department an Attestation of Charter, FDACS-XXXX, effective December 2026, in connection with their charter review. Attestation of Charter, FDACS-XXXX, effective December 2026, http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-20356, is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference. Copies of this form may be obtained from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Marketing and Development, Suite 431-A, Mayo Building (M-37), Tallahassee, FL 32399-0800 or online as indicated.

(4) The board of county commissioners of the county in which the principal office of a fair association is located may appoint one county commissioner to serve as an ex officio member of the board of directors of the fair association. The ex officio member has the same authority as other board members to attend and speak at meetings. An ex officio member does not have voting authority unless the fair association's charter states otherwise. Each fair association is required to make good faith efforts to notify the board of county commissioners of its right to appoint an ex officio member.

Rulemaking Authority 570.07(23), 616.165 FS. Law Implemented 616.01, 616.05, 616.101, 616.15, 616.24 FS. History–New .

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Susie McKinley, Director of Division of Marketing and Development

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Commissioner of Agriculture Wilton Simpson

DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 14, 2026

DATE NOTICE OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 22, 2026

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-10.042 Test Administration and Security

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: This amendment implements changes made by Senate Bill (SB) 7022, passed during the 2026 Legislative Session. SB 7022 amended s. 1008.23(1)(a), F.S., to, among other measures, add public schools, district school boards, boards of trustees, the State Board of Education, and the Board of Governors to the list of organizations for whom the examination and assessment instruments that they hold shall be considered confidential and exempt from the provisions of s. 119.07(1), F.S., and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. Additionally, the bill requires the State Board of Education to adopt rules establishing retention schedules and a disposal process for the records described in section (1)(a). Accordingly, this proposed amendment specifies that the institutions listed in s. 1008.23(1)(a), F.S., must adhere to the applicable retention and destruction policies established in s. 257.36, F.S., and subsection 1B-24.003(1), F.A.C.

SUMMARY: This amendment will update test security references in rule so they comply with SB 7022 (2026), including specifying that the institutions listed in s.

1008.23(1)(a), F.S., are expected to adhere to the applicable retention and destruction policies established in s. 257.36, F.S., and subsection 1B-24.003(1), F.A.C.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The amendment brings the rule into alignment with s. 1008.23(1)(a), F.S., and provides clear expectations related to assessments considered confidential and exempt and their required retention and destruction policies. Based upon prior experience, the proposed rule amendment is not expected to have any adverse impact on economic growth or business competitiveness or increase regulatory costs or any other factor set forth in s. 120.541(2), F.S., and will not require legislative ratification.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1008.213(6), 1008.23(1)(b), 1008.24, F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1003.49, 1008.213, 1008.22, 1008.23, 1008.24, F.S.

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

DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2026, 9:00 a.m. CT

PLACE: Bay District Schools, 1311 Balboa Avenue, Panama City, FL 32401

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Jenny Black, Bureau Chief, Office of Assessment, Division of Accountability, Research, and Measurement, 325 W. Gaines Street, Suite 414, Tallahassee, FL, 32399, Jenny.Black@fldoe.org, (850)245-0513

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-10.042 Test Administration and Security.

(1) through (6) No change.

(7) In accordance with Section 1008.23, F.S., all examination and assessment instruments, including developmental materials and workpapers directly related thereto, which are held by a public school, a district school board, a Florida College System institution, a board of trustees, the Department of Education, or the State Board of Education must be managed according to the applicable retention and destruction policies established in Section 257.36, F.S., and subsection 1B-24.003(1), F.A.C.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1008.213(6) ~~1003.49~~, 1008.23(1)(b), 1008.24 FS. Law Implemented 1003.49, 1008.213, 1008.22, 1008.23, 1008.24 FS. History–New 7-5-87, Amended 10-26-94, 11-3-13, 1-7-16, 3-15-22, 11-21-23,

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Juan Copa

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Henry Mack

DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 3, 2026

DATE NOTICE OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN FAR: June 12, 2026

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

State Board of Education

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-14.0303 General Education Course Options

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The rule implements general education degree requirements for core course options at Florida public postsecondary institutions.

SUMMARY: The rule is being updated to include changes made during the 2026 legislative session. Changes include the option for the State Board of Education to amend a Florida College System institution's general education course list if deemed necessary, pursuant to section 1007.55(4), F.S.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The proposed rule is not expected to have any adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness or any other factors listed in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S., and will not require legislative ratification. No increase in regulatory costs is anticipated as a result of this rule. This is based upon the nature of the proposed rule and because the changes come directly from statute.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal

for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days after publication of this notice.
RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1001.02(1), (2)(n), (6)(d)3., 1007.25(3), 1007.55(4), (7), F.S.
LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1007.25(3), 1007.55, F.S.
A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:
DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2026, 9:00 a.m. CT
PLACE: Bay District Schools, 1311 Balboa Avenue, Panama City, FL 32401
THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Shannon Mercer, Exec. Director of Articulation, (850)245-0407, Shannon.Mercer@fldoe.org.

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-14.0303 General Education Course Options.

(1) through (4) No change.

(5) Institutional general education course offerings implementation and reporting. The remaining courses and credits, in addition to the core course options, to fulfill the total 36-hour general education requirement for an associate in arts degree, specialized associate in arts transfer degree, and baccalaureate degrees are provided by each Florida College System institution and approved by the State Board of Education in accordance with this rule. An institution may not require a student to take an additional course to meet a subject area requirement that was completed by the student with a course that has since been removed as a general education course.

(a) through (d) No change.

(e) The State Board of Education may also amend an institution's list of general education course offerings and notify the institution in writing within ninety (90) days of receiving the list from the Office of K-20 Articulation.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(1), (2)(n), (6)(d)3., 1007.25(3), 1007.55(4), (7) FS. Law Implemented 1007.25(3), 1007.55 FS. History–New 5-18-14, Amended 11-23-21, 2-21-23, 2-20-24, 8-27-24,

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Kathy Hebda
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Henry Mack
DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 4, 2026
DATE NOTICE OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 14, 2026

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Division of Early Learning

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:
6M-8.610 Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Director Credential for Private Providers

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The rule outlines the requirements and minimum training standards that prekindergarten directors of private VPK providers must meet to be issued a VPK Director Credential.
SUMMARY: The rule is being amended to update an outdated reference cited three times in the rule.
SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:
The Agency has determined that this rule will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of $200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.
The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: Economic analysis of the proposed rule found no adverse impacts or potential regulatory costs that exceed the criteria described in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S.
Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days after publication of this notice.
RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 1002.73(2)(a), 1002.79, F.S.
LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1002.53(3)(g), 1002.57, F.S.
A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:
DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2026, 9:00 a.m. CT
PLACE: Bay District Schools, 1311 Balboa Avenue, Panama City, FL 32401
THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Cassandra Jackson, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399, Telephone: (850)717-8614 or email: Cassandra.Jackson@del.fldoe.org.

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6M-8.610 Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Director Credential for Private Providers.

(1) No change.

(2) In accordance with Section 1002.57(1), F.S., the

department adopts the following minimum standards for a VPK Director Credential. The VPK Director Credential must include each of the following:

(a) through (e) No change.

(f) Education and onsite experience through the successful completion of the Director Credential, as described in the child care standards adopted ~~established in in section 4.7 and subsection 4.8.3 as adopted in the Florida Department of Children and Families Child Care Facility Handbook, December 2019, incorporated by reference~~ in Rule 65C-22.001, F.A.C. ~~The Florida Department of Children and Families Child Care Facility Handbook, December 2019 is incorporated by reference. The handbook may be obtained from the Department of Children and Families website at https://www.myflorida.com/service-programs/child-care/ or from the following link: https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-11491.~~

(3) The following department approved courses and credential will satisfy the minimum standards for the VPK Director Credential as established in subsection (2) of this rule:

(a) through (e) No change.

(f) A Director Credential issued in accordance with the child care standards adopted ~~set forth in section 4.7 and subsection 4.8.3 as adopted in the Florida Department of Children and Families Child Care Facility Handbook, December 2019, incorporated by reference~~ in Rule 65C-22.001, F.A.C.

(4)(a) A VPK Director Credential will be issued to an individual that has successfully completed all of the courses and requirements established subsection (3) of this rule.

(b) For purposes of this rule "successfully completed" is defined as follows:

1. through 2. No change.

3. For the Director's Credential, a current credential issued in accordance with the child care standards adopted ~~in section 4.7 and subsection 4.8.3 as adopted in the Florida Department of Children and Families Child Care Facility Handbook, December 2019, incorporated by reference~~ in Rule 65C-22.001, F.A.C.

Rulemaking Authority 1002.73(2)(a)~~(b)~~, 1002.79 FS. Law Implemented 1002.55(3)(g), 1002.57 FS. History–New 12-31-06, Amended 5-19-08, Formerly 6A-6.040, Amended 1-11-16, 10-15-17, 10-21-18, 11-23-21.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Katerina Maroney

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Henry Mack

DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: November 5, 2026

DATE NOTICE OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 1, 2026

DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

20-100.004 Official Forms Used by Agency

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: Amendment updating official forms used by Florida Department of Citrus

SUMMARY: Official Forms Used by Agency

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 601.10(1) F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 601.10(15) F.S.

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

DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2026, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Citrus, 605 E Main St, Bartow, FL 33830

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Belinette Jones, Legal Assistant, Florida Department of Citrus, P.O. Box 9010, Bartow, Florida 33831-9010 or BJones@citrus.myflorida.com or https://fdocgrower.box.com/s/c7jfy46u4xlj0prtiqzlvrt9eququx53

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

20-100.004 Official Forms Used by Agency.

In its licensing, regulatory, assessing, marketing, research, and other operational functions the Florida Department of Citrus requires use of the forms listed below and are incorporated by reference. All of these forms are available for inspection by any interested party during regular business hours at the headquarters office located at 605 East Main Street, Bartow, Florida 33830 or may be received upon request by writing the Florida Department of Citrus, P.O. Box 9010, Bartow, Florida 33831-9010, by telephone (863)537-3999, available at the FloridaCitrus.org website or at https://www.floridacitrus.org/grower/resources/forms/.

(1) through (7) No change.

(8) Application for Permit for Shipment and Sale of an Experimental Pack of Florida Concentrated Orange Juice Other Than Frozen or Canned – CIT.LIC/19, eff. _____. http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-20399

(9) Permit for Shipment and Sale of An Experimental Pack of Florida Concentrated Orange Juice – CIT.LIC/20, eff. _____.http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-20400

(8) through (29) renumbered (10) through (30) No change.

(31)~~(29)~~ Dealer's Statement for Importing Citrus Products – CIT/DSA/8, rev. _____ ~~eff. 3-7-18~~. http://flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-20401

(30) renumbered (32) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 601.10(1), 601.15(5), 601.155(7), 601.56, 601.69(9) FS. Law Implemented 601.10(15), 601.15, 601.155, 601.55, 601.56, 601.69 FS. History–New 1-1-75, Amended 8-31-83, 2-26-84, Formerly 20-102.05, Amended 12-20-95, Formerly 20-102.005, Amended 12-6-98, 5-28-00, 9-20-07, 7-13-10, 11-28-12, 8-31-15, 2-12-17, 8-1-17, 6-24-18, 6-24-18, 2-2-20, 6-30-21, 10-27-21, 6-23-22, 1-22-25,_____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Elliott V. Mitchell, General Counsel

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Florida Citrus Commission

DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: September 16, 2026

DATE NOTICE OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN FAR: September 21, 2026

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Board of Pilot Commissioners

RULE NOS.:	RULE TITLES:
61G14-15.002	Marine Incident Report Form
61G14-15.0025	Immediate Inactivation of License
61G14-15.003	Safety Guidelines

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To clarify the rule and address JAPC concerns.

SUMMARY: The proposed amendments clarify the rule and address JAPC concerns.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board concluded that this rule change will not have any impact on licensees and their businesses or the businesses that employ them. The rule will not increase any fees, business costs, personnel costs, will not decrease profit opportunities, and will not require any specialized knowledge to comply. This change will not increase any direct or indirect regulatory costs. Hence, the Board determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 310.183, 310.185 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 310.0015, 310.075, 310.101, 310.111, 310.183 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Stacey Buccieri, Executive Director, Board of Pilot Commissioners, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0791, (850)717-1982 or by email at Stacey.Buccieri@myfloridalicense.com.

THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

61G14-15.002 Marine Incident Report Form.

(1) No Change.

(2) The Marine Incident Report, as prescribed by the Department in Rule 61-35.018, F.A.C., shall be submitted by a licensed state pilot or certificated deputy pilot whenever the pilot:

(a) through (b) No Change.

Rulemaking Authority 310.185 FS. Law Implemented 310.111 FS. History–New 10-4-77, Amended 12-7-78, Formerly 21SS-8.05, Amended 5-31-87, 8-20-89, 12-24-89, Formerly 21SS-8.005, 21SS-15.002,_____.

61G14-15.0025 Immediate Inactivation of License.

~~(1) Section 310.183, F.S., provides that the Department shall issue an emergency order placing on inactive status, for a period not to exceed 15 days, the license of any pilot or certificate of any deputy pilot who, while providing piloting services, is involved in a marine incident that results in the death of a human or substantial physical injury to a human or significant property or environmental damage, unless the Department determines that the incident is clearly not the result of the actions of the pilot or deputy pilot.~~

~~(2)~~ For the purpose of section 310.183, F.S., the following definitions shall apply:

(a) through (c) renumbered (1) through (3) No Change.

Rulemaking Authority *310.183,* *310.185 FS. Law Implemented* ~~*455.227, 310.101, 310.141,*~~ *310.183 FS. History–New 1-9-95, Amended 10-5-97,* _____.

61G14-15.003 Safety Guidelines.

As used in this rule, "pilot" shall mean both a state licensed pilot and a state certified deputy pilot.

(1) If a pilot determines that circumstances render transit by a vessel unsafe, the pilot shall not be required to board or direct the movement of the vessel until conditions permit safe transit. He/she shall advise the vessel's master of his/her action, request that it be noted in the vessel's log, and document it in his/her records. If the pilot becomes aware that the master insists on moving the vessel without a pilot, the pilot shall attempt~~, by any appropriate means,~~ to give notice of such movement, to other vessels in the area, tugs assigned to assist, the Coast Guard and a law enforcement officer of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.

(2) If, after any pilot has boarded a vessel, circumstances change so as to render the proposed transit unsafe, he/she shall advise the master to postpone or halt the transit until it can be safely undertaken. If the master insists that the vessel continue as originally intended, the master shall thereby have assumed complete responsibility for the direction of the movement of the vessel. Thereupon, the pilot shall advise the master that the master has taken the conn and that the pilot is standing by and will, unless ordered otherwise, render advice to assist in attaining such level of safety as may be practicable under prevailing circumstances. He/she shall request that his/her action be noted in the vessel's log and shall document it in his/her records. The pilot shall attempt~~, by any appropriate means,~~ to give notice of his/her action to other vessels in the area, tugs assigned to assist, the Coast Guard and a law enforcement officer of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.

(3) If a pilot has boarded a vessel and circumstances change rendering docking or undocking of the vessel unsafe, he/she shall so advise the master. If the master insists that the vessel dock or undock in spite of advice to the contrary, the master shall thereby have assumed complete responsibility for the direction of the movement of the vessel. Thereupon, the pilot shall advise the master that the master has taken the conn and that the pilot is standing by and will, unless ordered otherwise, render advice to assist in attaining such level of safety as may be practicable under the prevailing circumstances. The pilot shall request that his/her action be noted in the vessel's log and shall document it in his/her records. The pilot shall attempt~~, by any appropriate means,~~ to give notice of his/her action to other vessels in the area, tugs assigned to assist, the Coast Guard and a law enforcement officer of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.

(4) No Change.

Rulemaking Authority ~~*Specific*~~ ~~*Authority*~~ *310.185 FS. Law Implemented 310.0015*~~*(3)(a)*~~*, 310.075*~~*(4)*~~*, 310.101*~~*(1)(d)*~~ *FS. History–New 11-6-89, Amended 6-26-90, 12-30-91, 10-25-92, Formerly 21SS-9.001, 21SS-15.003, Amended 11-15-93, 1-26-99, 10-4-99, 1-7-02, 5-11-03, 8-19-07,* _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Pilot Commissioners

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

DATE PROPOSED RULE WAS APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 16, 2026

DATE NOTICE OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN FAR: October 30, 2026

Section III
Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

RULE NO.:	RULE TITLE:
14-10.0043	Outdoor Advertising License and Permit Fees

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Notice is hereby given that the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 51 No. 18, January 28, 2025, issue of the Florida Administrative Register has been withdrawn.

Section IV
Emergency Rules

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 HEALTH

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR VARIANCE OR WAIVER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on July 13, 2026, the Department of Health, Office of Medical Marijuana Use, issued an "Order Granting Emergency Variance from or Waiver of Emergency Rule 64ER25-5, Florida Administrative Register" filed on June 12, 2026, by Green Ops Group Florida, LLC d/b/a

Jungle Boys. The Notice of the Variance and Waiver was published in Vol. 52, No. 120, of the June 22, 2026, Florida Administrative Register. Petitioner sought an emergency temporary variance from or waiver of subsections (2), (8) and (17) of Emergency Rule 64ER25-5, Florida Administrative Register, which require a medical marijuana treatment center (MMTC) to obtain approval of marijuana delivery devices before making them available for dispensation within a prescribed timeframe.

The Order issued on July 13, 2026, approved the Petition, finding that the purpose of the rule and underlying statute is achieved by allowing Petitioner an extension of time to submit the previously approved marijuana delivery devices.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting: Wanda Range, Agency Clerk, Department of Health, Office of General Counsel, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin A-02, Tallahassee, Florida 32399 or by email at Wanda.Range@flhealth.gov.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Family Safety and Preservation Program

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

65C-16.010 Adoption Placement - Post-Placement Services

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR VARIANCE OR WAIVER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 30, 2026, the Department of Children and Families, received a petition for a waiver from B.K. and N.K.

Petitioners request a waiver of subsections 65C-16.010(1) and (6), Florida Administrative Code. Pursuant to these rules, the Department must provide post-placement services for a period of at least 90 days from the date of a child's placement in the adoptive parent's home. Upon completion of the post-placement period, consent to adoption is executed.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Department of Children and Families, 2415 North Monroe Street, Suite 400, Tallahassee, FL 32303 or Agency.Clerk@myflfamilies.com.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Substance Abuse Program

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

65D-30.0042 Clinical and Medical Guidelines

NOTICE OF DISPOSITION FOR VARIANCE OR WAIVER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 06, 2026, the Department of Children and Families, issued an order denying a variance to Comprehensive Psychiatric Center. The petition, filed August 10, 2026, sought a year-long extension of Petitioner's current variance from sub subparagraph 65D-30.0042(2)(a)4.b., Florida Administrative Code, which ends February 9, 2027. Petitioner's current variance authorizes Petitioner to take blood and urine samples within fourteen (14) days of a patient's placement. The petition for the extension did not demonstrate a substantial hardship or a violation of principles of fairness that would justify a year-long extension. Nor did Petitioner show how an extension would serve the purposes of the underlying statute. The Notice of Petition for Variance was published August 11, 2026, in Volume 52, Number 155 of the Florida Administrative Register. No comments were received.

A copy of the Order may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Department of Children and Families, 2415 North Monroe Street, Suite 400, Tallahassee, FL 32303 or Agency.Clerk@myflfamilies.com.

Section VI
Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Division of Fruit and Vegetables

The Division of Fruit and Vegetables announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 15, 2026, 10:00 a.m., EST

PLACE: Meeting to be held virtually, via Microsoft Teams

Telephone Conference Call Information:

Call-In Number: 1(850)391-8548

Conference ID: 238-703-584 #

https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting

Meeting ID: 278 083 142 153 068

Passcode: w33yy6r5

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Research Discussions and Council Recommendations. The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (FDACS), Division of Fruit and Vegetables, the Peanut Advisory Council, The Florida Peanut Producers Association, The Florida Peanut Federation, and the University of Florida/IFAS will be present.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kirby Quam at (863)578-1944 or Kirby.Quam@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 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Kirby Quam at (863)578-1944 or Kirby.Quam@FDACS.gov. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the

proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.
For more information, you may contact: Kirby Quam at (863)578-1944 or Kirby.Quam@FDACS.gov

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES
Division of Consumer Services
The Florida Motor Vehicle Repair Advisory Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: Friday, November 20, 2026, 10:30 a.m.
PLACE: Microsoft Teams Meeting. Join the meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.
https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/229682737608715?p=0L1UfY4jItNln3Yb4l
Meeting ID: 229 682 737 608 715, Passcode: ma69qC6w.
Dial in by phone +1(850)391-8548,,86382433# United States, Tallahassee, Phone conference ID: 863 824 33#
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General meeting of the Florida Motor Vehicle Repair Advisory Council.
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Richard Kimsey, Director, Division of Consumer Services, 2005 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, FL 32399-6500, (850)410-3800 Richard.Kimsey@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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rick Kimsey at (850)410-3800. 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 AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES
Division of Consumer Services
The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: November 18, 2026, 1:00 p.m.
PLACE: Orange County Convention Center, 9800 International Drive, Room W204A, Orlando, FL 32819
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a regularly scheduled meeting of the Florida Amusement Device and Attraction Advisory Committee to discuss industry-related issues.
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Michelle Faulk, Bureau of Fair Rides Inspection, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, 2005 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1600, (850)410-3838.
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: Michelle Faulk, (850)410-3838. 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 Division of Blind Services/Bureau of Business Enterprise announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: November 19, 2026, 3:00 p.m.
PLACE: Via Microsoft Teams meeting
Join:
https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2788036628026650?p=9CCUB9OVG1tMCMrxXm
Meeting ID: 278 803 662 802 665 0
Passcode: so6v3Di7
Dial in by phone
+1(850)583-5063, 245623139#
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Planning for the 2027 Biennial Seminar.
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mary Ellen Harding
maryellen.harding@dbs.fldoe.org
Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Mary Ellen Harding
maryellen.harding@dbs.fldoe.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).
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: Mary Ellen Harding
maryellen.harding@dbs.fldoe.org

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Division of Blind Services
The Division of Blind Services/Bureau of Business Enterprise announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: November 18, 2026, 3:00 p.m.
PLACE: Via Microsoft Teams meeting
Join:
https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2395588739848856?p=i6ccSZcQozPRqaIzaF
Meeting ID: 239 558 873 984 885 6
Passcode: Cv9t2B2D

Dial in by phone
+1(850)583-5063, 906958906# United States, Tallahassee
Phone conference ID: 906 958 906#
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss how to set up a Survey Monkey to determine product pricing from vendors.
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mary Ellen Harding, maryellen.harding@dbs.fldoe.org
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.
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WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS
St. Johns River Water Management District
The St. Johns River Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, November 18, 2026. The Ad Hoc Committee meeting will begin at 8:00 a.m.
PLACE: Palm Bay Service Center, 525 Community College Parkway S.E., Palm Bay, FL 32909
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Committee will discuss options for income from activities on District lands and potential strategies to improve the District's land holdings.
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention Heather Barnes, 4049 Reid Street, Palatka, FL 32177, or by phone at (386)329-4239, or by visiting the District's website at sjrwmd.com.
Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Civil Rights Coordinator at (386)329-4500. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS
The Florida Veterans Foundation announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: November 19, 2026, 10:00 a.m.
PLACE: Microsoft Teams Call
Link:
https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_Y2Q5MmYwZTItMTY3Zi00OGUzLWEyOTEtMWM5YWRkZGI3Zjkz%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%226f0c11c8-a34e-40af-b4c5-2e4d08cef248%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22b83b573f-51c7-4c52-af43-707329f9cbc2%22%7d
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: FVF Board Meeting. The upcoming date for our continued efforts in supporting and honoring our veterans.
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Raymond Miller, Administrative Officer, (850)782-4305
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: Raymond Miller, Administrative Officer, (850)782-4305. 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: Raymond Miller, Administrative Officer, (850)782-4305

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Board of Chiropractic Medicine
The Florida Board of Chiropractic Medicine - Probable Cause Panel announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: December 9, 2026, 2:00 p.m.
PLACE: Please join from your computer, tablet or smartphone.
https://meet.goto.com/314603477
You can also dial in using your phone.
Access Code: 314-603-477
United States: +1(408)650-3123
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Probable Cause Panel (Reconsiderations)
A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: https://floridaschiropracticmedicine.gov/meeting-information/ at least seven days before the meeting date.
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 Board of Chiropractic Medicine by telephone at (850)245-4355 or via email at MQA.Chiropractic@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: The Board of Chiropractic Medicine by telephone at (850)245-4355 or via email at MQA.Chiropractic@flhealth.gov.

PASCO-PINELLAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING
The AREA AGENCY ON AGING OF PASCO PINELLAS INC. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
DATE AND TIME: Monday, November 16, 2026, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: 9549 Koger Boulevard, St. Petersburg, FL 33702, Boardroom

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: Victoria Giambrone, (727)570-9696, ext. 265

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Victoria Giambrone, (727)570-9696, ext. 265. 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: Victoria Giambrone, (727)570-9696, ext. 265

AREA AGENCY ON AGING OF PALM BEACH/TREASURE COAST, INC.

The Area Agency on Aging of Palm Beach/Treasure Coast, Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: November 17, 2026, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: 701 Northpoint Parkway, Suite 115, West Palm Beach, FL 33407

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Board of Directors/Executive Committee of the Board of Directors will discuss Agency business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Dwight Chenette at (561)684-5885 or DChenette@aaapbtc.org

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Dwight Chenette at (561)684-5885 or DChenette@aaapbtc.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: Dwight Chenette at (561)684-5885 or DChenette@aaapbtc.org

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CONCRETE MASONRY EDUCATION COUNCIL

The Florida Concrete Masonry Education Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2026, 9:45 a.m.

PLACE: Video-Conference Meeting - Microsoft Teams Meeting

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: jstarr@pcgus.com or via the Council's website: floridamasonrycouncil.org

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Jennifer Starr at jstarr@pcgus.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: Jennifer Starr at jstarr@pcgus.com

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INFINITE SOURCE COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, LLC

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

DATE AND TIME: The Public Hearing will be held virtually and in-person on separate days. The virtual hearing will be held on Tuesday, November 17, 2026, 5:30 p.m. The in-person hearing will be held on Wednesday, November 18, 2026, 5:30 p.m., in an open house format. A formal presentation will begin at 6:00 p.m.

The same information will be presented at both the Virtual and In-Person Public Hearings, so attending both is not necessary.

PLACE: Virtual: To register for the Public Hearing, please use the following link: https://tinyurl.com/Monterey-Road. 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.

In-Person: The Public Hearing will be held at 10th Street Community Center, located at 724 SE 10th Street, Stuart, Florida 34994.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will hold a Public Hearing Virtually and In-Person for the Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study from State Road (S.R.) 714/Monterey Road at Florida East Coast (FEC) Railroad Crossing. The project identification number is 441636-2-22-02. The purpose of this project is to improve traffic operations, establish more efficient road system connectivity, provide enhanced emergency evacuation, and improve sidewalk and bike lane network. This project, strengthens the local community by making it easier and safer for people to drive, walk, and bike within the project area, while supporting operations for the FEC Railroad and Witham Field Airport. By improving road and rail infrastructure, resiliency, and improving emergency evacuation routes, the project will help the community stay connected and protected.

Participants are requested to register in advance for the virtual experience. To register for the Public Hearing, please use the following link https://tinyurl.com/Monterey-Road. To join by phone, please dial +1(631)992-3221; Access Code, 398-614-091. 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. Comments can be provided during the event or through the project webpage https://www.fdot.gov/projects/montereyrd-fec-study. They will also be available on the project website.

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

For the in-person Public Hearing, doors will open at 5:30 p.m. for all attendees. Staff will be available to answer questions and to provide assistance. Comments and questions will be answered in the order received. If your question is not answered during the event, a response will be provided in writing following the hearing. Questions and comments may also be submitted prior to the hearing by emailing the Project Manager. FDOT is sending notices to all property owners and tenants within at least 500 feet on either side of the project and to other public officials, regulatory agencies, organizations, and individuals interested in the project.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Robert Lopes, 3400 West Commercial Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, (954)777-4425, toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, ext. 4425 or by email at Robert.Lopes@dot.state.fl.us or visit the project website at https://www.fdot.gov/projects/montereyrd-fec-study.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least seven days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Project Manager Mr. Robert Lopes, 3400 West Commercial Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, (954)777-4425, toll-free at 1(866)336-8435, ext. 4425 or by email at Robert.Lopes@dot.state.fl.us. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

Section VII
Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

NONE

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

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

NONE

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

NONE

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

NONE

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

NONE

Section XI
Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Miami Dade College Bid/Solicitation Announcement
MIAMI DADE COLLEGE
11011 S.W. 104th STREET
MIAMI, FL 33176-3393

Miami Dade College is seeking electronic responses to the Invitation to Bid (ITB) listed below. All solicitation documents, announcements, scheduled meetings, and links will be posted on, and communicated through, the Miami Dade College BidNet Direct website: https://www.bidnetdirect.com/florida/miamidadecollege.

Solicitation ID – ITB 2026-CS-92 - Sign Language Interpreting and Related Accessibility Services.

Due Date by 1:00 p.m., est – November 20, 2026

Contact: Charm Stone – cstone@mdc.edu

If a person decides to appeal any decision with respect to any matter considered at the above-cited meeting, you will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose you may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by writing to: Miami Dade College, Office of the Purchasing Director, 11011 S.W. 104 Street, Miami, FL 33176 or by calling (305)237-2402.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind
PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ITB-27-075-Wartmann Interior Painting Project
Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind (FSDB) requests proposals for the subject project and has issued a Competitive Solicitation to obtain competitive responses from qualified firms consistent with the requirements outlined in the Solicitation Document.
Selection will be made in accordance with the published Solicitation Document. Firm(s) must be properly licensed in the State of Florida at the time of submittal.
Be sure to read the entire solicitation document before contacting the Agency with questions, which must be submitted via e-mail. Only procedural questions will be answered on receipt – all other questions will only be answered according to the published timeline.
RESPONSE DUE DATE: December 10, 2026, no later than 1:45 p.m.
INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTAL: Firms interested in being considered for this project should access the Solicitation Document from: Purchasing | Florida School for the Deaf & the Blind Click "View Active Competitive Solicitations" and navigate to the project folder. RESPONDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE for checking the FSDB website for amendments and addendums. Failure to comply with any changes published to the FSDB website may be grounds for rejecting a proposal.
Primary Contact: Christine Skaggs, Purchasing Analyst - skaggsc@fsdbk12.org; Kim Whitwam, Director of Purchasing – whitwamk@fsdbk12.org.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind
PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT FOR FOOTBALL FIELD IRRIGATION REPLACMENT-RFP-27-041
Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind (FSDB) requests proposals for the subject project and has issued a Competitive Solicitation to obtain competitive responses from qualified firms consistent with the requirements outlined in the Solicitation Document.
Selection will be made in accordance with the published Solicitation Document. Firm(s) must be properly licensed in the State of Florida at the time of submittal.
Be sure to read the entire solicitation document before contacting the Agency with questions, which must be submitted via e-mail. Only procedural questions will be answered on receipt – all other questions will only be answered according to the published timeline.
RESPONSE DUE DATE: December 16, 2026, no later than 1:45 p.m.
INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTAL: Firms interested in being considered for this project should access the Solicitation Document from: Purchasing | Florida School for the Deaf & the Blind Click "View Active Competitive Solicitations" and navigate to the project folder. RESPONDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE for checking the FSDB website for amendments and addendums. Failure to comply with any changes published to the FSDB website may be grounds for rejecting a proposal.
Primary Contact: Elizabeth Nimitz, Purchasing Analyst - nimitze@fsdbk12.org; Kim Whitwam, Director of Purchasing – whitwamk@fsdbk12.org.

DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE
RFP 11110 – Public Meetings
RFP 11110 - The Department is seeking a twenty-eight (28)-bed moderate-risk residential program for females appropriate for residential placement, who are between the ages of thirteen (13) and eighteen (18), and need Intensive Mental Health (IMH) Treatment Services. Program services are to include innovations in delinquency programming and treatment services, as described in Attachment A, Services Sought; Attachment A-1, Health and Nursing Services; Attachment A-2, Integration of FDJJ 10030 (Electronic Health Record [EHR]) Into Residential Contracts; the Academic Services Attachment; the Career and Technical Education (CTE) Services Attachment; and the Intensive Mental Health (IMH) Treatment Services Attachment. The program shall be in a State-owned/leased building located at 2515 Ortiz Avenue, Fort Myers, Florida 33905, in Circuit 20 of DJJ's South region, or a Respondent-owned/leased building located in the State of Florida. All public meetings for this RFP are advertised on the Vendor Information Portal at: https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/search/bids/detail/17340

STATE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION
INVITATION TO NEGOTIATE
The State Board of Administration of Florida (SBA), Office of Defined Contribution Programs (ODCP), has solicited competitive responses from vendors who are interested and qualified to offer data breach notification services (not digital

forensics and incident response services in order to comply with the provisions of section 501.171, Florida Statues, and with the objective of helping affected individuals, including members of the Florida Retirement System (FRS), with the proper services to assist them in the event of a data breach. The Invitation to Negotiate (ITN) is available and may be obtained from the SBA's website at http://www.sbafla.com/partners/.The SBA reserves the right to reject any and all responses and to cancel the above ITN at any time. The deadline for submitting notification of intent to respond is 5:00 p.m. (EST), November 20, 2026. The deadline for submitting responses is 5:00 p.m. (EST), December 4, 2026. The SBA announces the following meeting dates, times and locations with respect to this ITN. A meeting will be held on December 11, 2026, to discuss the responses received, and to designate short-listed respondents for interviews and/or onsite visits. A meeting will be held on January 15, 2027, to select a vendor to provide data breach notification services. All meetings except interviews and/or onsite visits are open to the public and shall take place at the times and location shown below:

TIME: Unless otherwise provided on the SBA's website, all meetings shall begin at 9:00 a.m. (EST) and continue until the meeting is concluded. The actual meeting dates and times will be posted on the SBA's website at http://www.sbafla.com at least 7 days prior to the meeting.

LOCATION: The meetings shall take place in the Emerald Coast Room (6th Floor), 1801 Hermitage Blvd., Tallahassee, Florida 32308.

Any changes to the above meeting dates and/or times (including the cancellation of any meeting) will be posted on the SBA's website at http://www.sbafla.com/partners/ at least 7 days prior to the meeting.

Anyone requiring special accommodations to participate in any meeting or anyone wishing further information should contact: Jennifer Williams, (850)413-1281, jennifer.williams@sbafla.com or by mail: 1801 Hermitage Blvd., Suite 100, Tallahassee, Florida 32308.

DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE

RFP 11108 – Public Meetings

RFP 11108 - The Department is seeking a forty-two (42)-bed high-risk residential program for males appropriate for residential placement, between the ages of thirteen (13) and eighteen (18) who need Mental Health Overlay Services (MHOS) and/or Substance Abuse Treatment Overlay Services (SAOS). Program services are to include innovations in delinquency programming and treatment services, as described in Attachment A, Services Sought; Attachment A-1, Health and Nursing Services; Attachment A-2, Integration of FDJJ 10030 (Electronic Health Record [EHR]) Into Residential Contracts; the Academic Services Attachment; the Career and Technical Education (CTE) Services Attachment; the Mental Health Overlay Services (MHOS) Attachment; and the Substance Abuse Treatment Overlay Services (SAOS) Attachment. The Department shall allow for the flexibility of beds, based on the Department's needs for treatment services. The program shall be in a Department-owned building located at 286 Gene Hurley Road, DeFuniak Springs, Florida 32433, in Circuit 1 of DJJ's Northwest region or a Respondent-owned/leased building located in the State of Florida. All public meetings for this RFP are advertised on the Vendor Information Portal at: https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/search/bids/detail/17233

DELRAY BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

Notice of Proceeding with Unsolicited Proposal for the Development of the NW 800 Block of West Atlantic Avenue

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-17

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE DELRAY BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ("CRA"), FINDING THAT THE UNSOLICITED PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY RH DEVELOPMENT, LLC, FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A NATIONWIDE FULL-SERVICE GROCERY STORE, AND ON-SITE PARKING LOT ON THE CRA OWNED PARCELS LOCATED AT NW 800 BLOCK OF ATLANTIC AVENUE, DELRAY BEACH, IS IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST BASED ON THE FIVE FACTORS LISTED IN FLORIDA STATUTE 255.065(3)(C), APPROVE PUBLISHING THE REQUIRED PUBLIC INTEREST FINDING REPORT UNDER FLORIDA STATUTE 255.065(3)(D) FOR SEVEN DAYS IN THE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER, AND APPROVE ISSUING A NOTICE TO DISPOSE PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTE SECTION 163.380 FOR A MINIMUM OF THIRTY DAYS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICT, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, RH Development, LLC, ("RHD") submitted an unsolicited proposal to the Delray Beach Community Redevelopment Agency ("CRA") on February 10, 2026, pursuant to Section 255.065 of the Florida Statutes and the City of Delray Beach's Purchasing Policies and Procedures Manual (PPPM) and Standard Operating Guidelines for Public/Private Partnerships, Solicited and Unsolicited Proposals and Evaluation Process, identifying CRA owned parcels located at SW 600 Block of Atlantic Avenue for the development of a nationwide full-service grocery store, commercial space, on-site parking lot, and green space attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the submitted RHD Unsolicited Proposal was deemed a "qualified" proposal in accordance with those

statutory requirements set forth and identified within Section 255.065 of the Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2026, during the CRA Board Meeting, the CRA Board instructed CRA Staff to proceed with evaluating the submitted RHD unsolicited proposal without a public bidding process pursuant to Florida Statute Section 255.065(3)(c); and

WHEREAS, Florida Statute Section 255.065(3)(c) requires two duly noticed public meetings addressing the unsolicited proposal. The first duly noticed meeting addresses the presentation of the unsolicited proposal to the CRA Board, affected public entities and public, and provides opportunity for public comment. The second duly noticed meeting, the CRA Board determines if the unsolicited proposal is in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, the CRA Board considers the five (5) factors delineated in Florida Statute Section 255.065(3)(c) to determine if the proposal is in the public interest. The factors are as follows: the benefits to the public, the financial structure of and the economic efficiencies achieved by the proposal, the qualifications and experience of the private entity that submitted the proposal and such entity's ability to perform the project, the project's compatibility with regional infrastructure plans, and public comments submitted at the meeting; and

WHEREAS, on May 13, 2026, the CRA held the first duly noticed public meeting, the CRA Special Board Meeting, where RHD presented the submitted unsolicited proposal to the CRA Board, affected public entities, and the public, and the public was able to provide public comment; and

WHEREAS, on May 13, 2026, the received public comment inquired on RHD's ability to move the proposed project location from the SW 600 Block to the NW 800 Block; and

WHEREAS, on May 13, 2026, the CRA Board voted to proceed to the second duly noticed public meeting; and

WHEREAS, on July 22, 2026, RHD submitted responses to May 13, 2026, Public Comment inquiries, attached hereto and incorporated by reference as Exhibit B; and

WHEREAS, on August 19, 2026, RHD provided a communication, attached as Exhibit C, describing RHD's continuing efforts in evaluating whether the project location could be moved from the SW 600 Block to the NW 800 Block, and its intent to provide RHD's findings at the second duly noticed meeting; and

WHEREAS, on September 15, 2026, RHD provided a communication indicating that the project could be moved from the SW 600 Block of West Atlantic Avenue to the NW 800 Block, and

WHEREAS on October 19, 2026, RHD submitted an additional supplemental response detailing in part the relocation of the project site from the SW 600 Block of West Atlantic Avenue to the NW 800 Block, attached hereto as Exhibit D; and

WHEREAS, on October 27, 2026, the CRA held the second duly noticed public meeting where the CRA Board made its public interest determination based on the five factors listed in Florida Statute Section 255.065(3)(c); and

WHEREAS, the CRA Board in making its public interest determination considered the public comment from the first and second public meetings, information and analysis provided by CRA Staff from the first and second public meetings, RHD communications and supplemental responses provided by CRA Staff, the amended unsolicited proposal, and the Delray Beach Comprehensive Plan "Always Delray"; and

WHEREAS, the CRA Board have considered the requisite factors in Florida Statute Section 255.065(3)(c), and have determined that the unsolicited proposal submitted by RHD for the development of a nationwide full-service grocery store and on-site parking lot on the CRA owned parcels located at NW 800 Block of Atlantic Avenue, is in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, the CRA Board desires to proceed with further evaluation of the unsolicited proposal and negotiation of a comprehensive agreement with RHD for the development of a nationwide full-service grocery store and on-site parking lot on the CRA owned parcels located at NW 800 Atlantic Avenue, subject to the remaining requirements of Florida Statute Section 255.065, and the requisite Notice to Dispose pursuant to Florida Statute Section 163.380; and

WHEREAS, the CRA Board approves publishing the requisite report in the Florida Administrative Register for at least seven (7) days including the public interest determination required under paragraph 255.065(3)(c), the factors considered in making such public interest determination, and the responsible public entity's findings based on each considered factor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE DELRAY BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY:

SECTION 1: The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

SECTION 2: The RHD unsolicited proposal submitted February 10, 2026, the CRA is incorporated by reference.

SECTION 3: This Resolution is approved and adopted for the purposes of confirming that the RHD unsolicited proposal submitted February 10, 2026, is in the public interest, and has made the following findings:

Benefits to the public.

The existing CRA-owned land located at the NW 800 Block of Atlantic Avenue is vacant, RHD's unsolicited proposal seeks to develop the land with an Aldi, a nation-wide full-service grocery store and parking lot. The development of a grocery store on the long-vacant lots contributes to ending the area's status as a food desert, which is applicable to Delray Beach Comprehensive Plan "Always Delray" ("Comprehensive

Plan"). The Comprehensive Plan identifies the need to utilize economic development tools including public/private partnerships to promote grocery stores in areas defined as food deserts (stated in section HCE 1.2.3). In RHD's Cover Letter submitted October 19, 2026, it states "Aldi's discount grocery model will help reduce household food expenses, particularly benefiting working families, seniors, and residents on fixed incomes. The project will create 25–40 permanent jobs, generate construction employment, expand the commercial tax base, and potentially produce recurring tax increment revenues supporting future redevelopment initiatives," as benefits to the public. The development of the Aldi may also activate the vacant area and bring other private investment.

The financial structure of and the economic efficiencies achieved by the proposal.

Regarding the economic efficiencies, based on the financial analysis report ("Financial Analysis"), attached as Exhibit E, detailed:

i. Capital Structure and CRA Land Contribution. The current proposed structure requires that the CRA contribute the parcels and associated rights-of-way to RHD for the development of the Aldi. RHD would perform the horizontal work associated with the project, while Aldi would be subject to a ground lease with RHD to develop the building and associated vertical costs. RHD anticipates financing through "a construction-to-permanent loan underwritten against the Aldi ground lease." The Financial Analysis considers the RHD's cost and feasibility and states that "[t]he developer's feasibility rests on that $4.4 million of horizontal work and on the roughly $165,000 a year of inline retail income the developer forgoes on this site compared to the 600 block. Against that cost and that forgone income, the land contribution is what brings the developer's return to a level that supports construction financing. This is the sense in which the land contribution makes the project feasible and reflects a traditional approach of how CRAs stimulate investment and the attraction of targeted, priority uses." The Financial Analysis goes on to state "[t]he cash flow profile is a predictable, corporate-backed ground rent from a national grocer, which supports the construction-to-permanent financing. Two features warrant attention: the open-ended infrastructure obligation on the CRA, and an Aldi commitment that remains a letter of intent contingent on site plan approval and on the developer securing the property." The Financial Analysis concludes that the "structure is efficient in public terms. The CRA delivers the grocery anchor with land alone, private capital carries $9,933,650 of construction at 1.09 private dollars for every dollar of public value at market, and direct and catalytic tax increment of $1,954,724 through the sunset is a return on top of the land."

ii. Economic Efficiencies. The Financial Analysis concludes that "[t]he structure delivers the grocery anchor the CRA redevelopment plan calls for with a land contribution, draws 1.09 private dollars for every public dollar into construction, returns tax increment on top of the land through the sunset and full ad valorem to the City and County after it, and leaves the CRA holding its largest contiguous parcel to offer behind a built store. The public purpose benefits the Board weighs under the other statutory factors, grocery access and the elimination of blight, are theirs to weigh and sit outside this analysis."

The qualifications and experience of the private entity that submitted the proposal and such entity's ability to perform the project.

In RHD's unsolicited proposal, submitted on February 10, 2026, they cited a combined forty (40) years of experience by the two RHD principals and that they have built over fifty (50) Publix anchored shopping centers from the ground up. RHD has stated in its Response submitted October 19, 2026, that it has retained APO Engineering and Architecture, "extensive experience in retail and grocery-anchored development, including direct prior work with Aldi on prototype design. Their selection was made at Aldi's request, underscoring their familiarity with the brand's operational and design standards." RHD has also retained Neil M. Schiller, Esq, who specializes in governmental and CRA transactions, as well as municipal law and Florida land use.

The projects compatibility with regional infrastructure plans.

The Delray Beach Comprehensive Plan "Always Delray" ("Comprehensive Plan") includes 14 Elements meant to guide future growth and redevelopment. The following Elements are relevant to project's compatibility with the "Always Delray" Comprehensive Plan:

i. Neighborhood Districts and Corridors Element in combination with the Capital Improvement Element. The Neighborhood Districts and Corridors Element considers provides a basis of land use principles and standards to guide development and redevelopment to reinforce the character of existing neighborhoods, to revitalize blighted areas, and to accommodate growth in the form envisioned by the residents and stakeholders of the City. The Capital Improvements Element establishes standards, processes, and principles to support City of Delray Beach ("City") facilities and services so that all City residents and visitors can use and enjoy quality infrastructure, facilities, and amenities for enhanced health, safety, and welfare. Together the Elements establishes that public facility capacity and levels of service ("LOS") must be maintained for the current population or developed to address any increased demand generated by future development. The public facilities identified by the Comprehensive Plan include potable water, sewer, drainage, transportation, parks and open space, solid waste, and public schools.

1. Water and Sewer: Currently municipal water service is available via connections to the existing water mains located at

NW 8th Avenue and NW 9th Avenue. Sewer service is available via connections to the existing sewer mains located on NW 8th Avenue, NW 9th Avenue, and in the alley between NW 8th Avenue and NW 9th Avenue. Pursuant to the Comprehensive Plan, adequate water and sewer treatment capacity exists to meet the adopted LOS at the City's build-out population. Development will include any connections required as per City of Delray Beach Land Development Regulations (LDRs).

2. Drainage: The project will meet the requirements of the City, the South Florida Water Management District and Lake Worth Drainage District. The proposed site plan submitted October 19, 2026, includes a wet detention pond positioned on the northern perimeter of the site to support site drainage and stormwater controls.

3. Transportation: A traffic study to include ingress/egress from the site and circulation within the site will be conducted before site plan approval, as is required by the LDRs. The traffic study will include and incorporate applicable plans from Palm Beach County, Florida Department of Transportation, Palm Tran, South Florida Regional Transportation Authority, as applicable. It is anticipated that any right of way improvements necessary to facilitate access to the site via NW 8th Avenue and NW 9th Avenue will be coordinated with the City's Northwest Infrastructure Improvement Project.

4. Parks and Open Space: There are sufficient recreation facilities in the City to meet the LOS identified in the Comprehensive Plan. Pursuant to LDR Section 5.3.2, whenever a development is proposed upon land which is not designated for park purposes in the Comprehensive Plan, an impact fee assessed for the purpose of providing park and recreational facilities shall be imposed. The project is expected to meet the LDR requirements for open space.

5. Solid Waste: The landfill serving the site is projected to have sufficient capacity to meet the needs of City through the depletion year in 2057.

6. Public Schools: The Palm Beach County School District School Capacity Availability Determination (SCAD) Application will be submitted at the time of development for review and compliance, as applicable. No impact is anticipated as there is no residential component to the proposed project.

ii. Healthy Communities Element Objective 1.2 considers access to healthy food and how to improve that access for residents. Healthy Communities Element Objectives 1.2.2 and 1.2.3, respectively, encourage the establishment of grocery stores to provide healthy food choices within a mile of all residential areas, and call for the utilization of economic development tools including public, and or, private partnerships to promote grocery stores in areas identified as food deserts. RHD's proposed project meets this objective through the development of a grocery store within The Set community.

Public comments submitted at the meeting. The public responsible entity must provide a statement that explains why the proposal should proceed and addresses such comments.

This factor considers the public comment during the first public meeting on May 1, 2026. The public comment centered on, and included in part, RHD's ability and willingness to move the project to the NW 800 Block from the SW 600 Block, why the proposed use as a grocery store and site plan is the is the highest use for the parcels, and the pay structure. Since the May 13, 2026, Public Meeting, RHD had addressed CRA Board and public comment. It is anticipated that similar public comment will occur at the October 27, 2026, second public meeting.

i. Ability and Willingness to Move Project Site. The communications RHD sent to the CRA stated that they were willing to evaluate the alternative parcels located at the NW 800 Block, and RHD ultimately submitted an additional response on October 19, 2026, which moved the project site location to the NW 800 Block, as requested by the public.

ii. Highest Use. In RHD's supplemental response submitted July 22, 2026, RHD addressed the site plan and whether it was the highest use. RHD states that it "believes the proposal is a strong and achievable community-serving use of the site because it responds to a documented need, is anchored by a nationally recognized grocer, activates Atlantic Avenue, and can generate sustained economic and public realm." Regarding the use of surface-level parking, RHD has stated that the current concept "reflects the operating needs of a full-service grocery store, convenient access for seniors and families, site circulation and loading requirements, visibility from the street, and the substantial cost associated with structured parking."

iii. Pay Structure. RHD addressed comment related to the pay structure as being "intended to close the feasibility gap created by the combined cost of construction, site work, financing, and delivery of community-serving improvement." The Financial Analysis indicates that "The CRA investment is the opportunity of not selling the parcel for mixed-use development, not a cash outlay, and no grocery deal would pay the market value. Land value depends on the use it is tied to."

RHD has stated in its October 19, 2026, response that is "committed to the long-term stewardship of this asset." The RHD unsolicited proposal and subsequent responses and communication indicate that the project is not final. The CRA Board will have further opportunity to review, consider and comment upon the negotiations of a comprehensive agreement prior to its execution in order to ensure that an agreement sufficiently considers the needs of the public.

SECTION 4: All resolutions inconsistent or in conflict herewith shall be and are hereby repealed insofar as there is conflict or inconsistency.

SECTION 5: If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Resolution is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court

of competent jurisdiction then said holding shall in no way affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Resolution.
SECTION 6: This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption by the City of Delray Beach Community Redevelopment Agency Board of Commissioners.
PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE DELRAY BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY THIS 27 DAY OF OCTOBER 2026.

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., Monday, November 2, 2026, and 3:00 p.m., Friday, November 6, 2026.

Rule No.	**File Date**	**Effective Date**
12D-9.009	11/6/2026	11/26/2026
12D-9.013	11/6/2026	11/26/2026
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60Q-6.101	11/6/2026	11/26/2026
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64J-1.0201	11/4/2026	11/24/2026
64J-1.0202	11/4/2026	11/24/2026

68D-15.003	11/6/2026	11/26/2026
LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES		
Rule No.	**File Date**	**Effective Date**
14-10.0043	4/11/2025	**/**/****
65C-9.004	3/31/2022	**/**/****

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES

Division of Motor Vehicles

Establishment of Upfront Automotive Group Inc., line-make AREV

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

Pursuant to section 320.642, Florida Statutes, notice is given that Aries EV Corporation, intends to allow the establishment of Upfront Automotive Group Inc., as a dealership for the sale of low-speed vehicles manufactured by Aries EV Corporation (line-make AREV) at 47 S Charles Richard Beall Blvd, Debary, (Volusia County), Florida 32713, on or after December 8, 2026.

The name and address of the dealer operator(s) and principal investor(s) of Upfront Automotive Group Inc. are dealer operator(s): David Small, 47 S Charles Richard Beall Blvd, Debary, Florida 32713-3332; principal investor(s): David Small, 47 S Charles Richard Beall Blvd, Debary, Florida 32713-3332.

The notice indicates intent to establish the new point location in a county of more 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: Albizu Moctezuma, Aries EV Corporation, 1540 N Frontage Rd Ste 108, Plant City, Florida 33563.

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 HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES

Division of Motor Vehicles

Establishment of Golf Car Depot Holdings, LLC line-make AREV

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

Pursuant to section 320.642, Florida Statutes, notice is given that Aries EV Corporation, intends to allow the establishment of Golf Car Depot Holdings, LLC, as a dealership for the sale of low-speed vehicles manufactured by Aries EV Corporation (AREV) at 7194 NW 51st St, Miami, (Miami-Dade County), Florida 33166, on or after December 8, 2026.

The name and address of the dealer operator(s) and principal investor(s) of Golf Car Depot Holdings, LLC are dealer operator(s): Cullan F. Meathe, 7194 NW 51st St, Miami, Florida 33166; principal investor(s): Cullan F. Meathe, 7194 NW 51st St, Miami, Florida 33166.

The notice indicates intent to establish the new point location in a county of more 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.

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WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS
St. Johns River Water Management District
Notice of Completed Rule Review
RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:
40C-2.031 Implementation
40C-2.041 Permits Required
40C-2.042 General Permit by Rule
40C-2.101 Publications Incorporated by Reference
40C-2.301 Conditions for Issuance of Permits
40C-2.302 Reservation of Water from Use
40C-2.321 Duration of Permit
40C-2.331 Modification of Permits
40C-2.351 Transfer of Permits
40C-2.361 Renewal of Permits
40C-2.381 Permit Limiting Conditions
40C-2.401 Identification Tags
40C-2.501 Permit Classification
40C-2.900 Forms and Instructions
Notice is hereby given that on November 6, 2026, the above rules completed the rule review process pursuant to Section 120.5435, F.S.

The following rule was filed with technical changes:

40C-2.900 Forms and Instructions.

(1) through (14) No change.

(15) Copies of these forms are available without charge at the District's website at sjrwmd.com and from the following District offices:
District Headquarters
St. Johns River Water Management District
4049 Reid Street
Palatka, Florida 32177-2529
(386)329-4500
St. Johns River Water Management District
7775 Baymeadows Way, Suite 102
Jacksonville, Florida 32256
(904)730-6270
St. Johns River Water Management District
2501 S. Binion Road,
Apopka, Florida 32703
~~601 South Lake Destiny Road, Suite 200~~
~~Maitland, Florida 32751~~
(407)659-4800
St. Johns River Water Management District
525 Community College Pkwy., S.E.
Palm Bay, Florida 32909
(321)984-4940

Rulemaking Authority 373.044, 373.113, 373.118 FS. Law Implemented 373.109, 373.116, 373.118, 373.219, 373.229 FS. History–New 5-30-90, Amended 7-21-91, 7-23-91, 1-20-93, 2-15-95, 4-25-96, 10-2-96, 1-7-99, 2-15-06, 3-8-09, 2-2-12, 8-14-14, 11-3-15, 7-1-18, 8-29-18, Reviewed _____.

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.