

# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES



**WILTON SIMPSON  
COMMISSIONER**

**BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS AND MAPPERS  
APPLICATION FOR RETIRED STATUS**

Chapter 472, Florida Statutes  
Rule 5J-17.028, Florida Administrative Code

Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services  
**Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers**  
**Application for Retired Status**

If you have any questions or need assistance in completing this application, please contact the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services at 1-800-HELP-FLA (435-7352) or (850) 410-3800.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

In accordance with Section 472.008(2), Florida Statutes, and Rule 5J-17.028, Florida Administrative Code, a surveyor and mapper who meets the criteria specified can be granted the title "Professional Surveyor and Mapper Retired."

Once a licensee elects Retired Status and then wishes to change licensure status, application must be made to the board and the applicant must meet the licensure requirements in effect at the time of new application.

Please take the time to review the rule carefully. If you still wish to elect Retired Status, please complete the application and return it to the Department.

There is no fee associated with this application. Once the application is received, it will be presented to the board at its next meeting for review.

**Rule 5J-17.028, Florida Administrative Code**

- (1) A person wishing to apply for Retired Status shall submit a completed application to the Board by applying online at: [www.FDACS.gov](http://www.FDACS.gov). In lieu of completing an application online, an applicant shall obtain and complete the application entitled "Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers Application for Retired Status", FDACS-10053, Rev. 02/17, hereby incorporated by reference. Copies of the form may be obtained from the Board office or accessed online at: <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-08761>. The Board shall certify as eligible for Retired Status any applicant who has completed the application form and who has chosen to relinquish or not to renew his or her license.
- (2) Professional Surveyors and Mappers on Retired Status may use the term "Professional Surveyor and Mapper Retired or PLS Retired"; however, such surveyor or mapper shall refrain from any practice of surveying and mapping and the use of his or her seal. Any Professional Surveyor and Mapper in Retired Status who wishes to become active shall make application for licensure and meet the licensure criteria in effect at the time of application.

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

**Initial Application**            Submit this application. There is no fee required.

**Please send your completed application to:**

FDACS  
Division of Consumer Services  
Surveyors and Mappers  
2005 Apalachee Parkway  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-6500

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**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name:

License Number:

Mailing Address (if applicable please include suite, apartment and/or unit numbers):

City:

State:

Zip Code:

County (if address is in Florida):

Country:

Email Address:

Contact Number(s):

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Home Phone Cellular Phone

**ATTEST STATEMENT**

I certify that I have provided the above information completely and truthfully to the best of my knowledge. I further certify that I have read Rule 5J-17.028, Florida Administrative Code, and I wish to apply for Retired Status. I understand that should I decide to practice surveying and mapping in the future, I will be required to make a new application for licensure to the Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers and that I will have to meet the existing licensure criteria outlined in Chapter 472, Florida Statutes, at the time of application.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_