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 Proposed Rules

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Finance**

RULE NO.:           RULE TITLE:  
 69V-40.070        Bona Fide Nonprofit Organization  
                           Exemption Criteria and Processes.

**PURPOSE AND EFFECT:** The purpose and effect is to create Rule 69V-40.070, F.A.C, to conform to and implement Chapter No. 2024-134, Laws of Florida, which was signed into law on April 26, 2024 and went into effect July 1, 2024. The law requires the Office to prescribe, via rulemaking, criteria and processes for determining whether an organization is and remains a bona fide nonprofit organization.

**SUMMARY:** The new rule will prescribe criteria and processes for determining whether an organization is and remains a bona fide nonprofit organization.

**SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:**

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Agency expressly relies on an analysis of potential impact conducted by persons with subject matter knowledge of this rule.

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

**RULEMAKING AUTHORITY:**       494.0011(2)(b)7., 494.00115(3)(a) FS

**LAW IMPLEMENTED:** 494.0011(2)(b)7., 494.00115(3) 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: Sheila Harley, Office of General Counsel, (850)410-9716, Sheila.Harley@flofr.gov.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

**69V-40.070 Bona Fide Nonprofit Organization Exemption Criteria and Processes.**

(1) To apply for an exemption as a bona fide nonprofit organization within the scope of section 494.00115, F.S., an organization must submit to the Office a completed Bona Fide Nonprofit Organization Exemption Form, Form OFR-494-15. The form must be filed with the Office via email at: OFR.BFNO@flofr.gov.

(2) Request for Additional Information. An incomplete Bona Fide Nonprofit Organization Exemption Form shall not be considered as validly received. A request for additional information will be made by the Office within thirty (30) days after initial receipt of Form OFR-494-15. The additional information must be received by the Office within forty-five (45) days from the date of request. The Office will grant a request for an additional forty-five (45) days to submit the additional information. The Office will not grant a request after the original forty-five (45) day deadline has passed. Failure to timely provide all additional information shall result in the exemption request being withdrawn, which will result in the exemption request being removed from further consideration by the Office.

(3) Amendment of Pending Exemption. A prospective bona fide nonprofit organization shall notify the Office of Financial Regulation within ten (10) days of the occurrence of any change in the information reported on Form OFR-494-15 by filing Form OFR-494-15 with the Office via email at: OFR.BFNO@flofr.gov and by indicating the change on the form.

(4) Withdrawal of Exemption Determination. A prospective bona fide nonprofit organization may withdraw an exemption determination prior to an initial determination of the exemption being made by the Office by filing Form OFR-494-15 with the Office via email at: OFR.BFNO@flofr.gov and by indicating on the form the organization’s intent to withdraw. The withdrawal is effective upon receipt.

(5) Application Evaluation. Within ninety (90) days after receipt of a completed exemption determination request, the Office will evaluate all information and supporting documentation provided in connection with the exemption determination request. After completing its review of the determination request, the Office will determine whether the bona fide nonprofit organization satisfies the criteria set forth in section 494.00115(3)(a), Florida Statutes. Within ninety (90) days after receipt of a completed exemption determination

request, the Office will notify the organization via the contact email provided in Form OFR-494-15 whether the organization is exempt from regulation under chapter 494, F.S., pursuant to section 494.00115, F.S.

(6) Upon approval of an exemption determination request, a bona fide nonprofit organization will be exempt from regulation under chapter 494, F.S., until December 31 for the year in which the exemption was approved.

(7) Annual Certification.

(a) An organization determined by the Office to be a bona fide nonprofit organization shall, between December 1 and December 31 of each year, submit a certification requesting that the Office determine whether the organization continues to meet the criteria set forth in section 494.00115(3)(a), Florida Statutes, by filing Form OFR-494-15 with the Office via email at: OFR.BFNO@flofr.gov, by indicating on the form the organization's intent to file an annual certification, and by providing certification information as requested in the form.

(b) The Office shall review each certification request and inform the organization of any request for additional information required to complete its review. The additional information must be received by the Office within 30 days from the date of the request. Failure by the organization to respond within 30 days from the date of the request shall be construed by the Office as grounds to reject the certification request for failure to provide the requested information.

(c) Upon the Office determining that a completed certification request has been submitted, the Office shall determine if the organization continues to meet the criteria set forth in section 494.00115(3)(a), Florida Statutes. If an organization continues to meet the criteria, the bona fide nonprofit organization will be exempt from regulation under chapter 494, F.S., until December 31 of the year following the expiration date of the previously granted exemption. If an organization does not continue to meet the criteria set forth in section 494.00115(3)(a), Florida Statutes, the Office will reject the organization's certification request and the organization must cease acting within the scope of the exemption under section 494.00115, F.S. If a bona fide nonprofit organization has submitted a completed annual certification request on or before December 31, the exemption remains active until the annual certification is approved or revoked.

(d) If the bona fide nonprofit organization fails to file for annual certification by December 31, the organization shall lose its status as a bona fide nonprofit organization and must apply for a new exemption as a bona fide nonprofit organization by filing a new Form OFR-494-15 with the Office.

(8) A bona fide nonprofit organization shall give the Office thirty (30) days written notice prior to any proposed material

change to the organization's mission, policies, practices, or operations to enable the Office to consider whether the organization would still qualify as a bona fide nonprofit organization. Written notice must be sent to the Office via email at: OFR.BFNO@flofr.gov. Material changes would include changes to questions B1-5, C1-8, C10-14, & D on Form OFR-494-15.

(9) An employee acting as a loan originator for an organization the Office has determined is a bona fide nonprofit organization pursuant to section 494.00115, F.S., and this rule is exempt from the requirement of obtaining a loan originator license for the period of time that the Office's determination is in place. This exemption from licensure does not apply if the employee originates residential mortgage loans, as that term is defined in 12 U.S.C. § 5102, outside the scope of the employee's work duties at the bona fide nonprofit organization or originates residential mortgage loans with terms unfavorable to borrowers. 12 U.S.C. § 5102, effective January 3, 2024, is incorporated by reference and adopted by this rule, and available at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-XXXXX>.

(10) A bona fide nonprofit organization may terminate its exemption status by filing Form OFR-494-15 with the Office via email at: OFR.BFNO@flofr.gov and by indicating on the form the organization's intent to terminate its status as a bona fide nonprofit organization.

(11) The Office will revoke the status of an organization it has determined to be a bona fide nonprofit organization, should the organization fail to satisfy the criteria set forth in section 494.00115(3)(a), F.S.

(12) In the event the bona fide nonprofit organization status of an organization is revoked, the employee loan originators of the bona fide nonprofit organization will no longer be exempt from the licensure requirements of chapter 494, Florida Statutes.

(13) Form OFR-494-15 is incorporated by reference in Rule 69V-40.002, F.A.C.

*Rulemaking Authority 494.0011(2)(b)7., 494.00115(3)(a) FS. Law Implemented 494.0011(2)(b)7., 494.00115(3) FS. History—New*

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:

Gregory C. Oaks

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Financial Services Commission

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 17, 2024

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: January 3, 2025

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Finance**

<b>RULE NOS.:</b>	<b>RULE TITLES:</b>
69V-160.030	Application Procedure for Consumer Finance License
69V-160.031	Consumer Finance License Renewal and Reactivation
69V-160.032	Amendments, Change of Name, Change of Entity and Change in Control or Ownership
69V-160.036	Electronic Filing of Forms and Fees
69V-160.038	Liquid Assets, Letter of Credit, and Surety Bond
69V-160.039	Adoption of Forms
69V-160.111	Disciplinary Guidelines

**PURPOSE AND EFFECT:** The purpose and effect is to amend Rules 69V-160.030, 69V-160.031, 69V-160.032, 69V-160.036, 69V-160.038, 69V-160.039, and 69V-160.111., F.A.C., to conform to and implement Chapter No. 2024-276, Laws of Florida, which was signed into law on June 28, 2024 and went into effect July 1, 2024. The law creates a branch license for consumer finance companies.

**SUMMARY:** The rules are being amended to define the term "principal place of business," clarify the application procedure for a principal place of business, clarify the renewal process for principal places of business and branch locations, clarify processes and procedures regarding the filing of branch application amendments, specify the forms and fees required to be filed electronically by a principal place of business and branch location, specify financial conditions of licensure required of principal places of business and branch locations, adopt a branch application form, adopt an annual report form, and to provide administrative penalties for persons who violate the provisions in chapter 516, F.S., that went into effect July 1, 2024.

**SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:**

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

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**RULEMAKING AUTHORITY:** 516.03, 516.03(1), 516.037, 516.05, 516.05(4), 516.05(5), 516.05(10), 516.22(1), 516.23(3) FS

**LAW IMPLEMENTED:** 516.01, 516.02, 516.02(1), 516.03, 516.03(1), 516.031, 516.035, 516.037, 516.05, 516.05(1),(2), 516.05(4), 516.05(5), 516.07, 516.15, 516.16, 516.17, 516.21, 516.31, 516.36 FS

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**THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS:** Sheila Harley, Office of General Counsel, (850)410-9716, Sheila.Harley@flofr.gov.

**THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:**

**69V-160.030 Application Procedure for Consumer Finance Company License.**

(1) Each person desiring to apply for a license for the principal place of business of licensure as a consumer finance company shall submit the following to the Office of Financial Regulation:

- (a) through (e) no change
- (2) through (5) no change
- (6) Refunds. If the application is withdrawn, abandoned, or denied, all fees are non-refundable.
- (7) No change

(8) For the purpose of this rule chapter, "principal place of business" means the main office, first location, or corporate headquarters of a consumer finance company, as determined by the consumer finance company. Each additional physical location of a consumer finance company is a branch as defined in Section 516.01(1), F.S.

*Rulemaking Authority 516.037, 516.22(1), 516.23(3), 516.03(1), 516.05(10) FS. Law Implemented 516.03(1), 516.037, 516.05, 516.07 FS. History—New 12-18-88, Amended 5-9-90, 10-1-95, 1-5-00, Formerly 3D-160.030, Amended 12-20-07, 1-18-21, 2-16-23, 8-3-23,\_\_\_\_\_.*

**69V-160.031 Consumer Finance License Renewal and Reactivation.**

(1) Each active consumer finance company license for the principal place of business and each branch will be renewed for the biennial period beginning January 1 of every odd-numbered year, upon submission of the statutory renewal fee, and submission of the Consumer Finance Company Attestation Form, Form OFR-516-05.

(2) If the Office of Financial Regulation has not received the renewal fee by December 31 prior to January 1 of the renewal year of expiration, the license shall revert from active

to inactive status. The inactive license may be reactivated within six (6) months after becoming inactive upon payment of the biennial license fee, payment of the reactivation fee which is a fee equal to the biennial license fee, and submission of the Consumer Finance Company Attestation Form, Form OFR-516-05.

(3) through (8) No change

*Rulemaking Authority 516.03(1), 516.037, 516.22(1), 516.23(3) FS. Law Implemented 516.03(1), 516.037, 516.05(1), (2) FS. History—New 12-13-88, Amended 1-5-00, 12-25-00, Formerly 3D-160.031, Amended 12-20-07, 8-3-23, \_\_\_\_\_.*

### **69V-160.032 Amendments, Change of Name, Change of Entity and Change in Control or Ownership.**

(1) Each person licensed under Chapter 516, F.S., that proposes to change its name, form of business organization, or any other information contained in any initial application form or any amendment thereto, must file an amendment pursuant to Section 516.05, F.S., not later than thirty-days (30) after the effective date of the change on Application for Consumer Finance Company License, Form OFR-516-01 or Application for Consumer Finance Company Branch License, Form OFR-516-06. Name changes pursuant to this subsection shall not involve any change in controlling interest of the licensed entity.

(2) through (5) No change

(6) Form OFR-516-01 and Form OFR-516-06 are is incorporated by reference in Rule 69V-160.039, F.A.C.

*Rulemaking Authority 516.05(4), 516.05(5), 516.23(3) FS. Law Implemented 516.01, 516.02(1), 516.05(4), 516.05(5) FS. History—New 12-20-07, Amended 8-3-23, \_\_\_\_\_.*

### **69V-160.036 Electronic Filing of Forms and Fees.**

(1) No change

(2) All forms required to be filed with the Office of Financial Regulation adopted under Rules Rule 69V-160.030 and 69V-160.0301, F.A.C., must be filed with the Office of Financial Regulation through the REAL system.

(3) All fees required to be filed with the Office of Financial Regulation under Rules 69V-160.030 and 69V-160.0301 ~~69V-160.031~~, F.A.C., must be filed through the REAL System.

(4) Any person may request an exemption from the electronic filing requirements of this rule due to a technological or financial hardship by submitting Form OFR-516-02, Request for Exemption from Electronic Filing Requirements, effective 3/16/2011,

<http://www.flrules.org/gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-00143>, to: Office of Financial Regulation, Division of Consumer Finance, Bureau of Registration, 200 E. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0376. The Office of Financial Regulation will provide any person granted an exemption under this subsection with instructions on how to file forms and fees in paper format. Form OFR-516-02 is hereby incorporated by

reference and available on the Office's website at [www.flofr.gov](http://www.flofr.gov) and by mail from the Office of Financial Regulation, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0376.

*Rulemaking Authority 516.03 FS. Law Implemented 516.03 FS. History—New 9-20-09, Amended \_\_\_\_\_.*

### **69V-160.038 Liquid Assets, Letter of Credit, and Surety Bond.**

(1) A consumer finance company licensee must at all times maintain liquid assets in the amount of \$25,000, on deposit with the institution and held solely for the purpose of licensure. In lieu of liquid assets, one of the following alternative collateral devices may be maintained:

(2)(a) A certificate of deposit pledged to the Office in the amount of \$25,000 for the principal place of business and each branch ~~this~~ location. The certificate of deposit must be deposited in a financial institution as defined in Section 655.005(1)(i), F.S. An original of Form OFR-516-03, incorporated by reference in Rule 69V-160.037, F.A.C., must be submitted to the Office.

(3)(b) An irrevocable letter of credit in the amount of \$25,000 for the principal place of business and each branch ~~this~~ location. The irrevocable letter of credit must be issued by a financial institution as defined in Section 655.005(1)(i), F.S.

(4)(c) A surety bond in the amount of at least \$25,000. A consumer finance company with a licensed principal place of business at least one currently licensed location ~~at least one currently licensed location~~ must provide to the Office a rider or surety bond in an amount of at least \$5,000 for each branch ~~additional~~ license. However, the aggregate amount of the surety bond required for a consumer finance company with multiple licenses may not exceed \$100,000. The surety bond or rider must be issued by a bonding company or insurance company authorized to do business in this state. An original of Form OFR-516-02, incorporated by reference in Rule 69V-160.037, F.A.C., must be submitted to the Office.

*Rulemaking Authority 516.22(1) FS. Law Implemented 516.05, 516.07 FS. History—New 2-16-23, Amended \_\_\_\_\_.*

### **69V-160.039 Adoption of Forms.**

(1) The following forms are incorporated by reference and adopted by this rule for the purposes of Rules 69V-160.001-.111, F.A.C.:

(a) through (d) No change

(e) Application for Consumer Finance Company Branch License, Form OFR-516-06, effective XX-XX-XXXX, and available \_\_\_\_\_ at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-XXXXX>.

(f) Consumer Finance Company Annual Report, Form OFR-516-07, effective XX-XX-XXX, and available at \_\_\_\_\_

<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-XXXXX>.

(2) No change

*Rulemaking Authority 516.03, 516.037, 516.05, 516.22(1) FS. Law Implemented 516.03, 516.037, 516.05 FS. History—New 2-16-23, Amended 8-3-23, \_\_\_\_\_.*

**69V-160.111 Disciplinary Guidelines.**

(1) Pursuant to Section 516.07, F.S., Disciplinary Guidelines for Consumer Finance Companies, Form OFR-516-04, which is hereby incorporated by reference, effective ~~XX-XXXX~~ 08-2023, available on the Office’s website at [www.flofr.gov](http://www.flofr.gov) and available at <http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-XXXXX>

<http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-15703>, are applicable to each ground for disciplinary action that may be imposed by the Office against a person for each act that is a violation of Chapter 516, F.S. For the purpose of this rule and the disciplinary guidelines, the term “citation” means: a notice of noncompliance, reprimand, written agreement, or final order docketed by the agency that specifies a violation of Chapter 516, F.S., or any rule promulgated under that chapter.

(2) through (6) No change

*Rulemaking Authority 516.23(3) FS. Law Implemented 516.02, 516.031, 516.035, 516.037, 516.05, 516.07, 516.15, 516.16, 516.17, 516.21, 516.31, 516.36 FS. History—New 3-20-91, Formerly 3D-160.111, Amended 2-16-23, 8-3-23, \_\_\_\_\_.*

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:  
Gregory C. Oaks

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Financial Services Commission

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 17, 2024

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: January 3, 2025

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Finance**

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:  
69V-160.0301 Application Procedures for a Consumer Finance Company Branch License.

69V-160.040 Annual Reports

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect is to create Rules 69V-160.0301 and 69V-160.040, F.A.C., to conform to and implement Chapter No. 2024-276, Laws of Florida, which was signed into law on June 28, 2024 and went into effect July 1, 2024. The law creates a branch license for consumer finance companies and requires consumer finance companies to file an annual report with the Office

SUMMARY: The rules will set forth processes and procedures for the filing of branch license applications and annual reports.

**SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:**

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

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Agency expressly relies on an analysis of potential impact conducted by persons with subject matter knowledge of the rules.

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

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 516.037, 516.22(1), 516.23(3), 516.03(1), 516.05(10), 516.38

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 516.03(1), 516.037, 516.05, 516.07, 516.38

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Sheila Harley, Office of General Counsel, (850)410-9716, Sheila.Harley@flofr.gov.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

**69V-160.0301 Application Procedures for a Consumer Finance Company Branch License.**

(1) A consumer finance company that intends to conduct business from a branch shall submit the following:

(a) A completed Application for Consumer Finance Company Branch License, Form OFR-516-06, which is incorporated by reference in Rule 69V-160.039, F.A.C.; and,

(b) The statutory, nonrefundable application fee required by Section 516.03(1), F.S.

(2) Request for additional information. Any request for additional information will be made by the Office of Financial Regulation within thirty (30) calendar days after receipt of the application by the Office of Financial Regulation. The additional information must be received by the Office of Financial Regulation within forty-five (45) calendar days after the date of the request. The Office will grant a request for an additional forty-five (45) days to submit the additional information. The Office will not grant a request after the original forty-five (45) day deadline has passed. Failure to

timely provide all additional information shall result in the application being deemed abandoned, which will result in the application being removed from further consideration by the Office and closed.

(3) Amendments to Pending Applications. If the information contained in any application form for branch license, or any amendment thereto, becomes inaccurate for any reason, prior to approval of the branch license, the applicant shall file an amendment correcting such information on Form OFR-516-06.

(4) Withdrawal of Application. An applicant may request withdrawal of an application prior to a determination of the application being made by the Office of Financial Regulation by submitting Form OFR-516-06. Withdrawals will be deemed effective upon receipt by the Office.

(5) Refunds. If the application is withdrawn, abandoned, or denied, all fees are non-refundable.

(6) Upon approval of an application, a branch license will be issued for the remainder of the biennial licensure period. Rulemaking Authority 516.037, 516.22(1), 516.23(3), 516.03(1), 516.05(10) FS. Law Implemented 516.03(1), 516.037, 516.05, 516.07 FS. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **69V-160.040 Annual Reports.**

(1) In accordance with Section 516.38, F.S., by March 15, 2025, and each March 15 thereafter, each consumer finance company shall submit a complete and accurate annual report to the Office by filing Form OFR-516-07, Consumer Finance Company Annual Report, electronically through the Office's REAL System at [www.flofr.gov](http://www.flofr.gov). Form OFR-516-07 is incorporated by reference in Rule 69V-160.039, F.A.C.

(2) Any person may request an exemption from the electronic filing requirements of this rule due to a technological or financial hardship by submitting Form OFR-516-02, Request for Exemption from Electronic Filing Requirements, to: Office of Financial Regulation, Division of Consumer Finance, Bureau of Registration, 200 E. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0376. The Office of Financial Regulation will provide any person granted an exemption under this subsection with instructions on how to file forms and fees in paper format. Form OFR-516-02 is incorporated by reference in Rule 69V-160.036, F.A.C.

Rulemaking Authority 516.22(1), 516.38 FS. Law Implemented 516.38 FS. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:  
Gregory C. Oaks

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Financial Services Commission

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 17, 2024

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

##### **Finance**

RULE NO.:           RULE TITLE:

69V-560.7044   Limit on Cashing Corporate Checks

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect is to amend Rule 69V-560.7044, F.A.C., to clarify persons excluded from the 200% limitation set forth in section 560.309, F.S.

SUMMARY: The rule amendment will specify who is excluded from the 200% limitation and will require a check casher to maintain certain workers' compensation coverage documentation.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

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RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 560.105, F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 560.309, F.S.

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

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Sheila Harley, Office of General Counsel, (850)410-9716, [Sheila.Harley@flofr.gov](mailto:Sheila.Harley@flofr.gov).

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

##### **69V-560.7044 Limit on Cashing Corporate Checks.**

(1) It is unlawful for a check casher to cash corporate checks for a payee where the aggregate face amount of corporate checks cashed for the payee statewide exceeds 200 percent of the payroll amount listed in the payee's current workers' compensation policy. The 200 percent limit is calculated from the date the payee's policy coverage begins and

continues until the date the policy coverage expires or is cancelled.

(2) The 200 percent limitation does not apply to payees exempt from or not required to obtain a workers compensation policy.

(3) The 200 percent limitation does not apply to payees who utilize the services of an employee leasing company licensed pursuant to Section 468.527, F.S., for the provision of leased employees, if the workers' compensation policy for the leased employees is in the name of the employee leasing company. The check casher must maintain documentation of the employee leasing company's workers' compensation coverage for leased employees.

*Rulemaking Authority 560.105 FS. Law Implemented 560.309 FS. History—New 3-7-24, Amended \_\_\_\_\_.*

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:  
 Gregory C. Oaks  
 NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Financial Services Commission  
 DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 17, 2024  
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**Section III  
 Notice of Changes, Corrections and  
 Withdrawals**

NONE

**Section IV  
 Emergency Rules**

NONE

**Section V  
 Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule  
 Variance or Waiver**

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION  
 Division of Hotels and Restaurants  
 RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:  
 61C-4.010 Sanitation and Safety Requirements  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 16, 2025, the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, received a petition for an Emergency Variance for paragraph 61C-1.004(2)(a), Florida

Administrative Code, subsection 61C-4.010(7), Florida Administrative Code, subsection 61C-4.010(6), Florida Administrative Code, and Section 6-402.11, 2017 FDA Food Code from Chubby Mermaid Brewing Company Inc. located in Bonita Springs. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement that at least one accessible bathroom on the same level be provided for use by customers and employees. They are requesting to utilize bathrooms located on a different level. The Division of Hotels and Restaurants will accept comments concerning the Petition for 5 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received on or before 5:00 p.m.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION  
 Division of Hotels and Restaurants  
 RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:  
 61C-5.001 Safety Standards

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 14, 2025, the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, received a petition for Holiday Inn and Suites at 4715 Helen Hauser Blvd., Titusville, FL 32780. Petitioner seeks a Routine Permanent variance of the requirements of ASME A17.1, 2004, edition, Sections 2.4.1.5 and 2.15.9.2, as adopted by 61C-5.001, Florida Administrative Code that requires when the car is resting on its fully compressed buffers or bumpers, no part of the car, or any equipment attached thereto or equipment traveling with the car, shall strike any part of the pit or any equipment mounted therein and the guard plate shall have a straight vertical face, extending below the floor surface of the platform, conforming to one of the following: (a) where the elevator is required to conform to 2.19.2.2(b) the depth of the truck zone, where provided, plus 75 mm (3 in.), but in no case less than 1 220 mm (48 in.) (b) where the elevator is not required to conform to 2.19.2.2(b) the depth of the leveling zone or truck zone, where provided, plus 75 mm (3 in.); but in no case less than 525 mm (21 in.), which poses a significant economic/financial hardship. Any interested person may file comments within 14 days of the publication of this notice with Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013 (VW2025-004).

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013. dhr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-5.001 Safety Standards

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 15, 2025, the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, received a petition for Lake Harbour Cove Condo at 3040 Lakeshore Dr., Riviera Beach, FL 33404. Petitioner seeks an Emergency Temporary variance of the requirements of ASME A17.1, 2019, edition, Section 2.27.2, as adopted by 61C-5.001, Florida Administrative Code that requires elevators to be provided with an emergency or standby power system to operate the elevator in case the normal power supply fails, which poses a significant economic/financial hardship. Any interested person may file comments within 5 days of the publication of this notice with Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013 (VW2025-005).

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013. [chr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com](mailto:chr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com)

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-5.001 Safety Standards

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 15, 2025, the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, received a petition for Mayo Clinic at 4500 San Pablo Rd South, Jacksonville, FL 32224. Petitioner seeks a Routine Permanent variance of the requirements of ASME A17.1, 2016, edition, Section 2.2.25, as adopted by 61C-5.001, Florida Administrative Code that requires in elevators provided with Firefighters' Emergency Operation, a drain or sump pump shall be

provided. The sump pump/drain shall have the capacity to remove a minimum of 11.4 m<sup>3</sup>/h (3,000 gal/h) per elevator, which poses a significant economic/financial hardship. Any interested person may file comments within 14 days of the publication of this notice with Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013 (VW2025-006).

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013. [chr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com](mailto:chr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com)

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-5.001 Safety Standards

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A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Bureau of Elevator Safety, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1013. [chr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com](mailto:chr.elevators@myfloridalicense.com)

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 10, 2025, the Department of Health, Office of Medical Marijuana Use, received a petition for Variance from Emergency Rule 64ER21-13, Florida Administrative Register, filed by Curaleaf, Inc., seeking variance or waiver of paragraph (3)(c) and subsection (10) of Emergency Rule 64ER21-13, Florida Administrative Register. Specifically, the Petition seeks variance or waiver from the requirement to obtain certification from a local fire code official because Petitioner's processing facility is a freestanding, nonresidential, farm building with a maximum occupancy of fifteen (15) persons and is exempt from both the Florida Building Code and the Florida Fire Prevention Code. See Section 604.50, F.S.; Section 633.202(16)(b)1., F.S.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Comments may be submitted to, and a copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting: Shena Grantham, Department of Health, Office of General Counsel, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin A-02, Tallahassee, Florida 32399 or by email at [Shena.Grantham@flhealth.gov](mailto:Shena.Grantham@flhealth.gov).



DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES  
 Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services  
 RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:  
 69K-18.004 Intern Training Agencies.  
 The Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services hereby gives notice: The requests for waiver, by SCI Funeral Services of Florida, LLC, that the number of cases done by the prior owner of the funeral establishments should count against the requirement of the cited rule granted at the December 5, 2024, Board Meeting.  
 A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Crystal Grant at (850)413-3039

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES  
 Securities  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 15, 2025, the Office of Financial Regulation, received a petition for Waiver from Rule from Piero Siveroni. The petition seeks a Waiver from subsection 69W-600.0024(6) which requires an associated person of an investment adviser or federal covered adviser to provide the Office with one of the following:  
 1. Proof of passing, within two years of the date of application for registration, the Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination (Series 65); or 2. Proof of passing, within two years of the date of application for registration, the General Securities Representative Examination (Series 7), the Uniform

Combined State Law Examination (Series 66), and proof of passing within four years of the date of application for registration, the Securities Industry Essentials (SIE) Examination. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.gov within 14 days of publication of this notice.  
 A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Office of Financial Regulation, P.O. Box 8050, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-8050, (850)410-9889, Agency.Clerk@flofr.gov.

## Section VI Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
 Division of Florida Colleges  
 The Florida State College at Jacksonville (FSCJ) District Board of Trustees (DBOT) along with the FSCJ Foundation Board of Directors (FBOD) announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.  
 DATE AND TIME: Friday, January 24, 2025, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
 PLACE: Omni Amelia Island Resort, Conference Center – Cumberland Ballroom B/C, 39 Beach Lagoon Road, Amelia Island, FL 32034  
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: College Planning Meeting 2025  
 A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kimberli Sodek, Office of the College President (OCP) Administration Support Manager (ASM) at Kim.Sodek@fscj.edu. Copies of the agenda for the workshop will be available for inspection beginning Friday, January 17, 2025, and copies will be provided upon written request and the payment of approved duplicating charges.  
 Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 24 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: OCP ASM Kimberli Sodek at (904)632-3205 or Kim.Sodek@fscj.edu. 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: Kimberli Sodek, OCP ASM at (904)632-3205 or Kim.Sodek@fscj.edu.  
 Florida State College at Jacksonville does not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, disability, color, ethnicity, national origin, religion, gender, age, sex, sexual

orientation/expression, marital status, veteran status, pregnancy or genetic information in its programs, activities and employment. For more information, visit the Equal Access/Equal Opportunity page at: <https://www.fscj.edu/discover/humanresources/eo-equity>.

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

The Florida Department of Transportation, DISTRICT SEVEN announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, January 28, 2025, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Pasco County Board of County Commission Meeting, 8731 Citizens Dr, New Port Richey, FL 34654

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: State Road 54 / Wesley Chapel Boulevard / 5th Avenue from State Road 581 / Bruce B Downs Boulevard to US 301 / State Road 39 / Gall Boulevard

AND

State Road 581 / Bruce B Downs Boulevard from State Road 56 to County Road 54 / State Road 54 / Wesley Chapel Boulevard

The Roadway Transfer Agreement between FDOT and Pasco County for the removal of a portion of current State Road 54 and State Road 581 from the State Highway System and transfer ownership to the County.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: N/A 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: Roger Roscoe, FDOT District Seven Title VI Coordinator by email at [roger.roscoe@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:roger.roscoe@dot.state.fl.us) or by phone at 1(813)975-6411 or 1(800)226-7220, extension 6411. 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: Brian Hunter, FDOT, District 7 - Planning, 11201 N. McKinley Dr., Tampa, FL 33612, (813)975-6436, [Brian.Hunter@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Brian.Hunter@dot.state.fl.us).

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

The Florida Public Service Commission announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: Prehearing Conference: Thursday, January 23, 2025, 9:30 a.m.; Hearing: Tuesday, February 11, 2025, 9:30 a.m. Additionally, Wednesday, February 12, 2025, and Thursday, February 13, 2025, have also been reserved for continuation of the hearing if necessary. The starting time of the next day's session will be announced at the conclusion of the prior day. The hearing may be adjourned early if all testimony is concluded.

PLACE: Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: DOCKET NO. AND TITLE: 20240068-WS - Application for increase in water and wastewater rates in Charlotte, Highlands, Lake, Lee, Marion, Orange, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, and Seminole Counties, by Sunshine Water Services Company.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED AT THE PREHEARING:

The purpose of this prehearing conference is to: (1) simplify the issues; (2) identify the positions of the parties on the issues; (3) consider the possibility of obtaining admissions of fact and of documents which will avoid unnecessary proof; (4) identify exhibits; (5) establish an order of witnesses; and (6) consider such other matters as may aid in the disposition of the action.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED AT THE HEARING:

The purpose of this hearing shall be to receive testimony and exhibits and to take final action relative to the Petition for rate increase by Sunshine Water Services Company and to take action on any motions or other matters that may be pending at the time of the hearing. The Commission may rule on any such motions from the bench or may take the matters under advisement. This proceeding shall: (1) allow the parties to present evidence and testimony in support of their positions; (2) allow for such other purposes as the Commission may deem appropriate.

All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony. The hearing will be governed by the provisions of Chapters 120 and 367, Florida Statutes, and Chapters 25-22 and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

**EMERGENCY CANCELLATION OF HEARING**

If settlement of the case or a named storm or other disaster requires cancellation of the proceedings, Commission staff will attempt to give timely direct notice to the parties. Notice of cancellation will also be provided on the Commission's website (<http://www.floridapsc.com>) under the Hot Topics link found on the home page. Cancellation can also be confirmed by calling the Office of the General Counsel at (850)413-6199.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Commission staff, Ryan Sandy, Esq., by telephone at (850)413-6856 or by email at [rsandy@psc.state.fl.us](mailto:rsandy@psc.state.fl.us).

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: the Office of Commission Clerk at 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 or (850)413-

6770 (Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8770 Voice or 1(800)955-8771 TDD). Assistive Listening Devices are available upon request from the Office of Commission Clerk, Gerald L. Gunter Building, Room 152. 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).

**REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS**

**Emerald Coast Regional Council**

The Florida-Alabama LRTP Steering Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday January 22, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Emerald Coast Regional Council 418 E Gregory Street Suite 100, Pensacola, FL 3250 or virtual via Teams:

Join the meeting now

Meeting ID: 266 044 712 481

Passcode: fz2xb65w

Dial in by phone

+1(904)747-2252,,134790447# United States, Maxville

Find a local number

Phone conference ID: 134 790 447#

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The 2050 Florida-Alabama LRTP Steering Committee will meet on Wednesday January 22, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. This meeting will be held at the Emerald Coast Regional Council Office, 418 E Gregory Street Suite 100 Pensacola, FL 32502.

Participation is asked for without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons who believe they have been discriminated against on these conditions may file a complaint with the Title VI Coordinator, (850)332-7976.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Gary Kramer at gary.kramer@ecrc.org

**REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS**

**Central Florida Regional Planning Council**

The Heartland Regional Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 29, 2025, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Town of Lake Placid Government Center, 1069 US-27, Lake Placid, FL

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Regular meeting of the Heartland Regional Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) Board.

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, income, or family status. Persons who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or persons who require translation services (free of charge) should contact the CFRPC Title VI/Nondiscrimination Coordinator, Indihra Chambers,

(863)534-7130, or via Florida Relay Service 711, or by email: ichambers@cfrpc.org at least three (3) days before the workshop.

La participación pública es solicitada sin distinción de raza, color, origen nacional, sexo, edad, discapacidad, religión o situación familiar. Las personas que requieren asistencia bajo la Ley sobre Estadounidenses con Discapacidades (ADA) o la traducción de idiomas, de forma gratuita deben ponerse en contacto con la Coordinadora de Título VI / No Discriminación/ADA, Indihra Chambers, CFRPC a (863)534-7130, oa través de el Transmisión de la Florida 711, o por correo electrónico ichambers@cfrpc.org al menos tres (3) días antes del evento o reunion.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Marybeth Soderstrom, Transportation Director, at 1(863)534-7130, ext. 134 or msoderstrom@cfrpc.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: Marybeth Soderstrom, Transportation Director, at 1(863)534-7130, ext. 134 or msoderstrom@cfrpc.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: Marybeth Soderstrom, Transportation Director, at 1(863)534-7130, ext. 134 or msoderstrom@cfrpc.org.

**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

**St. Johns River Water Management District**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

40C-8.031 Minimum Surface Water Levels and Flows and Groundwater Levels

The St. Johns River Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: February 25, 2025, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: St. Johns River Water Management District, Apopka Service Center, 2501 S. Binion Rd, Apopka, FL 32703

Microsoft TEAMS Link: [https://bit.ly/Prevatt\\_SJRWMD](https://bit.ly/Prevatt_SJRWMD)

Meeting ID: 255 630 497 890

Passcode: Rh6gu3D3

Call in number: 1(386)256-1151

Phone Conference ID: 493 932 19, then press #

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The St. Johns River Water Management District (District) will hold

a public meeting to kick-off the peer review of the draft Lake Prevatt MFLs report. The purpose of establishing MFLs is to protect priority water bodies within the District from significant harm due to groundwater withdrawals. A presentation by the District will start at 10:00 a.m., and afterwards there will be a site visit at Lake Prevatt. People who wish to attend the site visit must provide their own transportation. The site visit is subject to cancellation or may be rescheduled due to inclement weather. Lunch will not be provided. People who wish to bring lunch should do so, and a 30-minute break can be taken during the site visit. One or more members of the District's Governing Board may attend this meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention: Andrew Sutherland, 4049 Reid Street, Palatka, Florida 32177, (386)329-4201 or asutherl@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: District Clerk, (386)329-4127. 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: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention: Andrew Sutherland, 4049 Reid Street, Palatka, Florida 32177, (386)329-4201 or asutherl@sjrwmd.com.

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**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

South Florida Water Management District

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

**DATE AND TIME:** Monday, January 27, 2025, 2:00 p.m., Loxahatchee River Management Coordinating Council Meeting

**PLACE:** River Center, 805 N. US Highway 1, Jupiter, FL 33477

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Loxahatchee River Management Coordinating Council will meet to discuss the goals and objectives regarding the management of the Wild and Scenic portion of the Loxahatchee River.

The public and stakeholders are invited to participate in person and will have an opportunity to provide comment during the meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Elizabeth Salewski, Ph.D., (561)682-2429 or esalewsk@sfwmd.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 seven days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Molly Brown, District Clerk, at mobrown@sfwmd.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: Elizabeth Salewski, Ph.D., (561)682-2429 or esalewsk@sfwmd.gov.

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**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

South Florida Water Management District

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

**DATE AND TIME:** Thursday, January 30, 2025, 6:00 p.m., Governing Board Reception

**PLACE:** Miccosukee Casino & Resort, 500 SW 177th Ave, Miami, FL 33194

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Members of the Governing Board and Big Cypress Basin Board may attend a reception open to the public. There is no cost to attend, and free parking is available.

No Governing Board action will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Molly Brown at mobrown@sfwmd.gov. The agenda will be posted to the District's website, www.SFWMD.gov/meetings, seven days prior to the meeting.

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: Molly Brown, District Clerk, at mobrown@sfwmd.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: Molly Brown, District Clerk, at mobrown@sfwmd.gov.

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**SPACE FLORIDA**

The Space Florida announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** January 24, 2025, 10:00 a.m., EST

**PLACE:** Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Henderson Welcome Center, Board Room, 602 S. Clyde Morris Blvd, Daytona Beach, FL 32114, Teleconference - (872)242-7813: Conference ID: 632 362 954#

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Space Florida Audit, Accountability, & Governance Budget Workshop

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Terrie Ireland at tireland@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301, Ext: 241

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: Terrie Ireland at [tireland@spaceflorida.gov](mailto:tireland@spaceflorida.gov) or (321)730-5301, Ext: 241. 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: Terrie Ireland at [tireland@spaceflorida.gov](mailto:tireland@spaceflorida.gov) or (321)730-5301, Ext: 241

**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**  
Office of the Secretary

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

DATE AND TIME: Friday, January 24, 2025, 10:00 a.m., EST

PLACE: Online via GoTo Webinar.

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Florida Department of Environmental Protection is hosting a meeting of the Biscayne Bay Commission to discuss matters pertaining to the protection of the vital natural resources within Biscayne Bay. The registration link is available at <https://ProtectingFloridaTogether.gov/BiscayneBayCommission>. This meeting will also be broadcast by The Florida Channel at <https://TheFloridaChannel.org/>.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: <https://protectingfloridatogether.gov/BiscayneBayCommission> Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, religion, sex, pregnancy, national origin, age, handicap, or marital status. Persons who require special accommodations under the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) or persons who require translation services (free of charge) are asked to contact DEP’s Limited English Proficiency Coordinator at (850)245-2118 or [LEP@FloridaDEP.gov](mailto:LEP@FloridaDEP.gov) at least 48 hours before the meeting. If you have a hearing or speech impairment, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, (800)955-8771 (TDD) or (800)955-8770 (voice).

For more information, you may contact: [BBCommission@FloridaDEP.gov](mailto:BBCommission@FloridaDEP.gov) or call (786)798-4505.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**  
Board of Medicine

The Florida Board of Medicine’s Council on Physician Assistants announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 30, 2025, 9:30 a.m., ET, or soon thereafter.

PLACE: You may join the virtual meeting from your computer, tablet, or smartphone through the following link:

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/717632629>. You may also join the meeting via telephone at (571)317-3112 using the access code 717-632-629. To maximize your access to the meeting, the Department recommends that you download the GoToMeeting app on your computer, tablet, or smartphone prior to the meeting. If you are required to or otherwise intend to make an appearance before the Council, you must do so from a quiet place with limited activity. You may not appear from your car. The Department also recommends that you connect to the meeting platform at least 15 minutes prior to the start of the meeting to make sure you can successfully establish a connection.

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** General business of the Council. Please check the Board’s website at <https://flboardofmedicine.gov/meeting-information> for cancellations or changes to the meeting date or time or call the Board at (850)245-4131 for more information.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: <https://flboardofmedicine.gov/meeting-information>.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: the Board by email at [BOM.MeetingMaterials@flhealth.gov](mailto:BOM.MeetingMaterials@flhealth.gov) or by calling the Board at (850)245-4131. 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: the Board at [BOM.MeetingMaterials@flhealth.gov](mailto:BOM.MeetingMaterials@flhealth.gov) or by calling the Board at (850)245-4131.

**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES**

The DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES Mental Health Program Behavioral Health Interagency Collaboration announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, February 13, 2025, 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m., EST

PLACE: SOUTHEAST REGION, 111 S Sapodilla Ave, West Palm Beach FL, 33401

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Department of Children and Families, jointly with the Agency for Health Care Administration shall establish Behavioral Health Interagency Collaboratives throughout the state with the goal of improving accessibility, availability, and quality of

behavioral health services at a local level in accordance with Chapter 394.90826, F.S.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Valoria Thomas, Dept. of Children and Families, Valoria.thomas@flfamilies.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 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Valoria Thomas, Dept. of Children and Families Valoria.thomas@flfamilies.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: Valoria Thomas, Dept. of Children and Families, Valoria.thomas@flfamilies.com

**FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
Vessel Registration and Boating Safety**

**RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:**

68D-24.0038 Silver Glen Springs Protection Zone

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** February 5, 2025, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

**PLACE:** Astor Community Center, 24148 Ann St. Astor, FL 32102

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Proposed establishment of a springs protection zone (SPZ) in Silver Glen Springs and the associated Spring Run.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: William Holcomb William.holcomb@myfwc.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 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The ADA Coordinator, at (850)488-6411. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

**FLORIDA INDEPENDENT LIVING COUNCIL**

The Florida Independent Living Council, Inc. announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** January 27, 2025, 1:00 p.m., Full Council Meeting

**PLACE:** Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88485884644?pwd=UCdVPWvfKxhaWxHiH8BQwIjEvC4sYa.1>

Meeting ID: 884 8588 4644

Passcode: 232803

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Business of the Council. Persons who want to be notified of such meetings may submit a request by contacting the Florida

Independent Living Council, Inc., 1882 Capital Circle NE, Suite 202, Tallahassee, FL 32308, (850)488-5624 or toll free 1(877)822-1993 or email info@floridasilc.org.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Florida Independent Living Council

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 five days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Beth Meyer, PA, ADA at beth@floridasilc.org or (850)488-5624. Last minute requests will be accepted, but may not be possible to fulfill. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

**THE VALERIN GROUP, INC.**

The Palm Beach County Department of Airports (DOA) announces a Final Community Stakeholder Briefing announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** Wednesday, January 29, 2025, 5:30 p.m.

**PLACE:** Palm Beach State College, Lake Worth Campus, 4200 Congress Avenue, The Center for Bachelor’s Program (CBP): Wattenbarger Conference Center, Room 103, Lake Worth, FL 33461-4796, or to participate in the virtual public meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone please register using the following link: [Bit.ly/LNA\\_Final\\_Safety\\_Briefing](https://bit.ly/LNA_Final_Safety_Briefing)

Participants can also listen from their phone by dialing 1(877)309-2074 Access Code:467-661-860.

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Palm Beach County DOA will be hosting a final public briefing regarding a Safety Assessment Study for the Palm Beach County Park (Lantana) Airport (LNA). The study examines the implications of rescinding the jet ban at the airport and provides recommendations regarding possible measures to enhance operational safety.

The Safety Assessment Study is an inclusive evaluation process that encourages citizen and stakeholder participation. During the study, the DOA will conduct a final briefing to present the findings of the Study to airport stakeholders and members of the surrounding community. The briefing will address comments received on the study to date and focus on technical elements of the study, including the airfield assessment and the airspace screening assessment.

The final public briefing will be held on Wednesday, January 29, 2025, at 5:30 p.m. with a presentation beginning at 5:30 p.m. followed by questions and comments from the public. DOA staff and consultant staff members will be available to discuss the project and take public comments.

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

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

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Cynthia M. Portnoy, P.E., Deputy Director Planning & Development, Palm Beach County Department of Airports, 846 Palm Beach International Airport, West Palm Beach, Florida 33406, (561)471-7411 (Telephone) or via email at [LNASafetyAssessment@pbia.org](mailto:LNASafetyAssessment@pbia.org). If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Cynthia M. Portnoy, P.E., Deputy Director Planning & Development, Palm Beach County Department of Airports, 846 Palm Beach International Airport, West Palm Beach, Florida 33406, (561)471-7411 (Telephone) or via email at [LNASafetyAssessment@pbia.org](mailto:LNASafetyAssessment@pbia.org).

#### SCALAR CONSULTING GROUP INC.

The Florida Department of Transportation, District One announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, January 28th, 2025; VIRTUAL: 5:45 p.m., IN PERSON: 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: <https://www.swflroads.com/project/436928-1> or Cape Coral Technical College, 360 Santa Barbara Boulevard North, Cape Coral, FL 33993

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) invites you to a public hearing for the Burnt Store Road Project Development & Environment (PD&E) Study (FPID 436928-1) from Van Buren Parkway to Charlotte County Line in Lee County.

Participate in the January 28th, 2025 hearing in-person or online. Both events will provide the opportunity to view the project video and provide formal comment.

In-Person Option: at Cape Coral Technical College, 360 Santa Barbara Boulevard North, Cape Coral, FL 33993

Anytime between 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Open house

6:00 p.m. Formal presentation and comment

Displays will be available starting at 5:00 p.m. to review at your own pace and the formal presentation will begin at 6:00 p.m.

The project team will be available for discussion.

Live Online Option: starting at 5:45 p.m. at <https://tinyurl.com/BurntStoreRdPH> (please register in advance). Materials will be posted by January 21st, 2025 on the project webpage.

This event will include a livestream of the in-person presentation and the formal comment portion. Please review the

materials on project webpage before attending the virtual event (<https://www.swflroads.com/project/436928-1>). Materials will be posted by January 21st, 2025.

This hearing is being conducted to present the preferred alternative and all analysis to date, as well as to give interested persons an opportunity to express their views concerning the location, conceptual design, and social, economic, and environmental effects of the proposed improvements.

Project documents will be available for public viewing from January 7th, 2025 to February 7th, 2025, at Northwest Regional Library, 519 Chiquita Boulevard North, Cape Coral, FL 33993 and at FDOT District One, Southwest Area Office, 10041 Daniels Parkway, Fort Myers, FL 33913 (by appointment only). They will also be available on the project webpage.

If you are unable to attend the hearing, comments can also be provided through the project webpage (<https://www.swflroads.com/project/436928-1>) or by email ([Steven.Andrews@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Steven.Andrews@dot.state.fl.us)) or mail (FDOT District One, Attn: Steven A. Andrews, 801 N. Broadway Ave., Bartow, FL 33830). While comments about the project are accepted at any time, they must be received or postmarked by February 7th, 2025, to be included in the formal hearing record. All comments are weighted equally. Questions can be answered by calling the FDOT project manager Steven A. Andrews at (863)519-2270. FDOT is sending a notice to all property owners and tenants within at least 300 feet on either side of the project and to other public officials, regulatory agencies, organizations, and individuals interested in the project.

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 FHWA and FDOT.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: FDOT Project Manager, Steven A. Andrews, by phone at (863)519-2270 or by email at [Steven.Andrews@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Steven.Andrews@dot.state.fl.us)

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Cynthia Sykes, FDOT District One Title VI Coordinator by email at [Cynthia.Sykes@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Cynthia.Sykes@dot.state.fl.us) or by phone at (863)519-2287. 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: FDOT Project Manager, Steven A. Andrews, by phone at (863)519-2270 or by email at [Steven.Andrews@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Steven.Andrews@dot.state.fl.us)

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  
DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
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) 2025-RM-05  
Title: NETWORK SERVICES COLLEGE-WIDE  
Due Date by 3:00 p.m., EST – January 24, 2025  
Contact: Rossella Montejo – Rmontejo@mdc.edu  
GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The meeting notice ID 29160739, submitted on 1/16/25 in the Florida Administrative Register (FAR) in Publication Volume 51, Number 11 had an incorrect meeting date. This meeting notice supersedes the previously submitted notice and is corrected to show the updated meeting date.

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 FINANCIAL SERVICES  
Division of Treasury  
2324-01 ITN TR - Treasury Concentration Account Financial Services

Notice of Invitation to Negotiate  
Department of Financial Services  
2324-01 ITN TR  
Treasury Concentration Account Financial Services

The Department of Financial Services (Department), an agency of the State of Florida, is issuing this Invitation to Negotiate (ITN) to solicit Responses from entities (Respondents) that are qualified and capable of providing financial services to determine the best or the most appropriate means of providing support to the Treasury Concentration Account.

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

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

Response Due Date: March 12, 2025 by 3:00 p.m. Eastern Time, to the Procurement Officer identified, at the following address:

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



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

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

## Section XII Miscellaneous

**DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

Index of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State Pursuant to subparagraph 120.55(1)(b)6. – 7., F.S., the below list of rules were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State between 3:00 p.m., Friday, January 10, 2025, and 3:00 p.m., Thursday, January 16, 2025.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
5K-10.001	1/14/2025	2/3/2025
19-8.029	1/15/2025	2/4/2025
61G15-19.0051	1/14/2025	2/3/2025
61G15-22.011	1/14/2025	2/3/2025
61G15-30.001	1/14/2025	2/3/2025
61G15-31.006	1/14/2025	2/3/2025
63M-2.002	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0031	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.00315	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0032	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0033	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0035	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0037	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0038	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0039	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0041	1/16/2025	2/5/2025

63M-2.0043	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0044	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0045	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0046	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0047	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0048	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.005	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0051	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.0052	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.006	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.008	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.009	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.010	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.021	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
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63M-2.023	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.025	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
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63M-2.061	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.062	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.063	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.064	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.070	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.081	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.082	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
63M-2.083	1/16/2025	2/5/2025
64B9-4.022	1/15/2025	2/4/2025
64B16-27.797	1/13/2025	2/2/2025
65A-1.603	1/16/2025	2/5/2025

<b>LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES</b>		
<b>Rule No.</b>	<b>File Date</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>
60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****
65C-9.004	3/31/2022	**/**/****

**AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION**  
 Notice of Litigation

The Agency for Health Care Administration has received the following petitions for administrative hearings as of the close of business on January 13, 2025, concerning certificate of need decisions. No decision has been made as to the sufficiency of these petitions. A brief description of these projects is listed below. Resolution of these requests for hearings by way of a grant or denial of their certificate of need at issue will determine the substantial interest of persons. Those persons whose substantial interest may be determined by these proceedings including settlements, grants, and denials are advised to govern themselves accordingly and may wish to exercise rights including intervention. See Chapter 120, F. S., as well as Section 408.039, F.S. and Section 59C-1.012, F. A. C. In deference to rights of substantially affected persons, AHCA will not settle or otherwise reach a final resolution of these matters for a period of 30 days from the date of the publication.

CON# INITIAL DECISION, PROJECT, CTY, APPLICANT, PARTY REQUEST

HEARING (PRH)

- 10811 Support Denial, to establish a new hospice program, Marion County, Abode Hospice of Florida, LLC d/b/a Haven Hospice, (PRH) Accentcare Hospice & Palliative Care of North Central Florida, LLC
- 10812 Denial, to establish a new hospice program, Marion County, Accentcare Hospice & Palliative Care of North Central Florida, LLC, (PRH) same as applicant
- 10813 Approval, to establish a new hospice program, Marion County, Arc Hospice of Florida, LLC, (PRH) Accentcare Hospice & Palliative Care of North Central Florida, LLC
- 10814 Support Denial, to establish a new hospice program, Marion County, Bristol Hospice – Marion County, LLC, (PRH) Accentcare Hospice & Palliative Care of North Central Florida, LLC
- 10815 Support Denial, to establish a new hospice program, Marion County, Community Hospice of Northeast Florida, Inc., (PRH) Accentcare Hospice & Palliative Care of North Central Florida, LLC

- 10818 Denial, to establish a new hospice program, Palm Beach County, Hospice of Florida, LLC, (PRH) same as applicant
- 10819 Denial, to establish a new hospice program, Miami-Dade County, Affinity Care of Palm Beach County LLC, (PRH) same as applicant
- 10820 Denial, to establish a new hospice program, Miami-Dade County, AMOR Hospice Care, LLC, (PRH) same as applicant
- 10821 Approval, to establish a new hospice program, Miami-Dade County, Arc Hospice of Florida, LLC, (PRH) Continuum Care of Miami-Dade, LLC
- 10821 Approval, to establish a new hospice program, Miami-Dade County, Arc Hospice of Florida, LLC, (PRH) AMOR Hospice Care, LLC
- 10822 Approval, to establish a new hospice program, Miami-Dade County, Heart’n Soul Hospice of Miami, LLC, (PRH) AMOR Hospice Care, LLC
- 10822 Approval, to establish a new hospice program, Miami-Dade County, Heart’n Soul Hospice of Miami, LLC, (PRH) Continuum Care of Miami-Dade, LLC
- 10823 Approval, to establish a new hospice program, Miami-Dade County, ILS HHA of Region 11, LLC d/b/a Independent Living Medical Supplies, (PRH) Continuum Care of Miami-Dade, LLC

**BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

Florida Board of Governors, State University System Meeting Notice Update  
 Board of Governors Meeting noticed for January 30, 2025 will begin at 9:00 a.m.

**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.