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RE: Agency Regulatory Plan – South Florida Regional Planning Council

Dear Mr. Plante and Ms. Royal:

Section 120.74, Florida Statutes, requires all agencies to prepare a new agency regulatory plan each year. The required elements of the plan for the South Florida Regional Planning Council are as follows:

- a) No laws were enacted or amended during the previous 12 months.
- b) No new laws are expected to be implemented by rulemaking before the following July 1, 2027.
- c) In correspondence dated July 31, 2026, the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee identified technical deficiencies in Rules 29J-2.004 and 29J-2.009 of the Florida Administrative Code. The Council agreed to amend Rule 29J-2.004 to remove Section 120.54, F.S., as a cited rulemaking authority and law implemented, and to amend Rule 29J-2.009 to comply with Section 120.5435, F.S., by submitting incorporated materials in the prescribed electronic format to the Department of State and by including an electronic hyperlink to the materials required under Section 120.54(1)(i)3.a., F.S. The Council anticipates taking this action by December 2026.
- d) The Council Chair, Executive Director, and Council Attorney certify that they have reviewed this plan, and that the agency regularly reviews its rules. The existing rules were most recently reviewed (2026) in association with the preparation of this report. The existing rules were determined to remain consistent with the agency's rulemaking authority and the laws implemented.



The South Florida Regional Planning Council will review the following rules at the request of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee. These are the rules currently adopted by the Council. Since we anticipate completing the review within the first year, no additional rule reviews are expected in the subsequent years.

- [§ 29J-2.004 - Intergovernmental Coordination and Review Procedures](#) (2026)
- [§ 29J-2.009 - Strategic Regional Policy Plan for South Florida](#) (2026)

Certification:



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