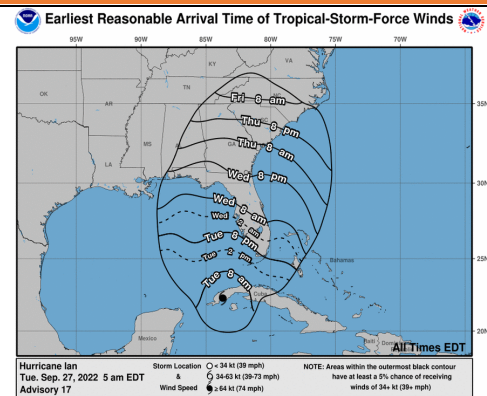


All Eyes On Ian!



The Briefing – Tuesday – September 27 –2022

The last Briefing was Monday – September 26 - 2022

How's your weather - <https://weather.com/>

Update on Ian

5:00 AM EDT Tue Sep 27

Location: 22.3°N 83.7°W

Moving: N at 12 mph

Min pressure: 952 mb

Max sustained: 125 mph

The Latest Updates from the National Hurricane Center

<https://www.nhc.noaa.gov/>

The Florida Division of Emergency Management Information Website

<https://www.floridadisaster.org/>

The Florida Department of Education is tracking School Closures

<https://www.fldoe.org/em-response/storm-info.stml>

Additional Emergency Response Resources

[FloridaDisaster.org](https://www.floridadisaster.org/)

[State Emergency Response Team \(SERT\)](#)

[Emergency Support Functions](#)

[Emergency Coordinating Officers](#)

[Planning and Preparation](#)

Elected Official Salaries for FY 22-23

[**FY 2022-23 Finalized Salaries.docx**](#)

Here is the link to the statutory formula-based salaries of each officer by county for FY 2022-23, as calculated by EDR.

[**County Salary History from FY 1985-86 to FY 2022-23**](#)

Additionally, EDR has updated historical summaries listing the annual formula-based salaries of each elected county and school district officer by county for the period of FY 1985-86 through FY 2022-23.

The Office of Economic and Demographic Research (EDR) calculated the salaries based on the Annual Factor and Cumulative Annual Factor, pursuant to s. 145.19(2), F.S. The certified factors for FY 2022-23 are: 1) Annual Factor, 1.0700; and 2) Cumulative Annual Factor, 3.6524.

Annual increases or decreases in elected officials' salaries are based in large part on annual changes in countywide population and the certified Annual and Cumulative Annual Factors. Consequently, the amount of annual salary increase or decrease in any given year varies by county and officer.

Pursuant to s. 145.021(1), F.S., the term "population" means the latest annual determination of population of local governments produced by EDR and provided to the Governor's Office in accordance with s. 186.901, F.S. Consequently, the official April 1, 2021 countywide population estimates were used to calculate the FY 2022-23 salaries because these estimates reflect the latest annual determination of population of local governments produced in accordance with s. 186.901, F.S.

Although 26 counties had April 1, 2021 countywide population estimates that were less than the corresponding April 1, 2020 estimates, there were no salary decreases for any elected officer in any county when comparing the formula-based FY 2022-23 salaries to the prior year's figures.

Headlines from Around the State

FlaPol: As Ian bears down, campaigning continues for Marco Rubio and Val Demings

The Floridian: Florida Elected Officials Unite in Preparation for Hurricane Ian

The Floridian: Demings VICTIM Act Passes in the House

The Floridian: Waltz, Rubio Introduce Gulf Test Range Bill

WLRN: Another Florida property insurer declared insolvent

WUSF: Tolls are suspended in Tampa Bay and across Florida ahead of Hurricane Ian

Herald: DeSantis lifts some tolls, including Alligator Alley, as Hurricane Ian approaches

FlaPol: Al Lawson campaign makes 'code red' fundraising pitch to ditch Neal Dunn

FlaPol: Grover Norquist endorses Vern Buchanan's tax plan

Herald Tribune: FSU economist: National recession all but certain, state more than likely to follow

The Capitolist: Price gouging hotline activated ahead of Tropical Storm Ian

Post: 'Ominous trend': Florida airports on pace to smash record for guns seized at TSA checkpoints

AP: Hurricane Ian makes landfall in Cuba en route to Florida

FlaPol: FPL prepares 13K-person workforce to respond to Hurricane Ian

Herald Tribune: Hurricane Ian continues growing stronger. Path toward Florida shifts slightly east

FlaPol: Despite eastward shift, Tallahassee, Big Bend remain in Ian's potential path

Herald Tribune: Hurricane Ian threatens to bring 5-8 feet of storm surge. Here's what to know

WLRN: Florida Keys brace for storm surge flooding from Ian

City & State FL: Trickle of ballots starts in Florida general election; U.S. Sugar deal gets OK

Democrat: Florida gets big federal bucks to expand electric vehicle charging stations

Sun-Sentinel: As Ian heads toward Florida, are gas prices poised to spike?

City & State FL: Florida gasoline prices dip to lowest level since January

Wash. Post: His sister died in the Parkland massacre. He wants the gunman to live.

The Capitolist: USF researchers deploy to study evacuation behavior ahead of Hurricane Ian

Politico: DeSantis faces the true test of any Florida governor

WUSF: DeSantis is urging Floridians to use caution as Hurricane Ian looms

News4Jax: Gov. DeSantis: Impacts of Hurricane Ian expected to be 'far and wide'

Herald: DeSantis: Stay vigilant as Ian approaches, make 'best decisions' on possible evacuations

FlaPol: Charlie Crist rips Ron DeSantis insurance failures as Ian surges toward Florida

FlaPol: Charlie Crist to pull ads from Ian-impacted markets

Politico: Florida fortifies Tampa amid threats of flooding from hurricane

FlaPol: Wengay Newton appointed to Florida Ethics Commission. Will it impact Jack Latvala's case?

FlaPol: Public Service Commission cancels meetings ahead of Ian landfall

City & State FL: A run for the money: Five most expensive Florida legislative races still in play

FlaPol: Eunic Ortiz puts campaign operations on hold for Hurricane Ian

FlaPol: Republicans boost Rick Roth's campaign for House District 94 with \$49K

News4Jax: Schools in Baker, Columbia, Putnam counties to close due to Ian. Here's where other Florida districts

Herald: Schools in Florida Keys close as the island chain braces for Ians winds, storm surge

WLRN: Marjory Stoneman Douglas wanted her house to be a museum. Why is it taking so long?

Democrat: 'We couldn't be happier': Board of Trustees awards FSU president \$250,000 bonus, pay raise

Sentinel: Orange County board to discuss a Tenant Bill of Rights

Herald: Nine months after Miami's police union prez was suspended, city still won't say why

Times: Manager who stole nearly \$13M from USF is sentenced to 10 years in prison

WLRN: A 'transformational' raise: thousands of public school workers see wages increase to \$15 an hour

FlaPol: Colleges make different calls in Southwest Florida on when to cancel class

FlaPol: UCF cancels classes, activities Wednesday through Friday due to Hurricane Ian

WLRN: Prosecutors drop criminal case against man arrested at Miami-Dade school board meeting

On the Docket

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2022

- **VIRTUAL SCHOOL** : The Florida Virtual School Board of Trustees will meet. (Tuesday, 9 a.m. <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCSp-oyR-9hroocmIumUXCg>)
- **ENERGY EFFICIENCY** : The Florida Public Service Commission will hold a workshop about a proposed rule related to energy-efficiency goals. (Tuesday, 9:30 a.m., Florida Public Service Commission, Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee.)
- **FLORIDA SOUTHWESTERN TRUSTEES** : The Florida SouthWestern State College Board of Trustees will meet. (Tuesday, 10 a.m., Florida SouthWestern State College, Lee Campus, 8099 College Parkway, Fort Myers.)
- **BROWARD COLLEGE TRUSTEES** : The Broward College Board of Trustees will meet. (Tuesday, 1 p.m., L.A. Lee YMCA/Mizell Community Center, 1409 Sistrunk Blvd., Fort Lauderdale.)
- **KEYS COLLEGE BOARD** : The Board of Trustees of The College of the Florida Keys will meet. (Tuesday, 2 p.m., The College of the Florida Keys, Key West Campus, 5901 College Road, Key West. <https://meet.goto.com/786841333>. Call-in number: 1-571- 317-3112. Code: 786841333)
- **ST. JOHNS WATER BOARD** : The St. Johns River Water Management District Governing Board will hold a hearing on a budget and millage rate for the 2022-2023 fiscal year. (Tuesday, 5:05 p.m., St. Johns River Water Management District, 4049 Reid St., Palatka.)
- **SAWGRASS EXPRESSWAY WIDENING EYED**: The Florida Department of Transportation will hold an online meeting about widening part of the Sawgrass Expressway in Broward County. (Tuesday, 5:30 p.m. Information at www.SawgrassAtlantictoSample.com)
- **MANATEE-SARASOTA COLLEGE BOARD** : The Board of Trustees of the State College of Florida, Manatee-Sarasota will meet. (Tuesday, 5:30 p.m., State College of Florida, Manatee-Sarasota, Bradenton Campus, 5840 26th St. West, Bradenton.)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2022

- **FLORIDA POLYTECHNIC TRUSTEES** : The Florida Polytechnic University Board of Trustees is scheduled to meet. (Wednesday, 8:30 a.m., Florida Polytechnic University, Applied Research Center, 4700 Research Way, Lakeland.)
- **FISH AND WILDLIFE PANEL** : The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission will start a two-day meeting, with issues expected to include a report on captive breeding of diamondback terrapins. (Wednesday, 8:30 a.m., Hilton Miami Dadeland, 9100 North Kendall Dr., Miami.)
- **CITRUS ISSUES ON MENU**: The Florida Citrus Commission will meet. (Wednesday, 9 a.m., Florida Department of Citrus, 605 East Main St., Bartow.)
- **PAROLE CASES**: The Florida Commission on Offender Review will meet. (Wednesday, 9 a.m., Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee. Call-in number: 1-877-309-2073. Code: 337350165)
- **DISTRICT DISCUSSES RESILIENCY**: The South Florida Water Management District will hold a forum about resiliency issues related to sea-level rise and flooding. (Wednesday, 9 a.m., South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach.)
- **HISTORIC PRESERVATION**: The Florida Historical Commission is slated to review historic-preservation grant applications. (Wednesday, 9 a.m., R.A. Gray Building, 500 South Bronough St., Tallahassee. <https://attendeegotowebinar.com/register/6485869983072431376>)

- PSC HOLDS CUSTOMER: The Florida Public Service Commission will hold a customer meeting about a proposed rate increase in Polk County by Hidden Cove, Ltd., which provides water and wastewater service. (Wednesday, 9 a.m. <http://www.floridapsc.com/Conferences/AudioVideoEventCoverage>)
- UNEMPLOYMENT CASES: The state Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission will meet. (Wednesday, 9:30 a.m., Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Blvd., Suite 300, Tallahassee. Call-in number: 850-988-5144. Conference ID: 175899214)
- WORKERS' COMP : The Florida Workers' Compensation Insurance Guaranty Association will meet. (Wednesday, 10 a.m. Information at <https://fwciga.org/meetings/>)
- ALZHEIMER'S ADDRESSED: The state Alzheimer's Disease Advisory Committee is scheduled to meet. (Wednesday, 12:30 p.m., Florida Department of Elder Affairs, 4040 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83233822025?pwd=NnZrdk1udnRzdkNGZVg5OEJ0SkFnQT09>. Meeting ID: 83233822025. Code: 610451)
- CENTRAL FLORIDA COLLEGE BOARD : The College of Central Florida Board of Trustees will meet. (Wednesday, 3 p.m., Hampton Center, 1501 West Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.)
- UTILITY RATES : The Florida Public Service Commission will hold a customer hearing about a proposed rate increase in Polk County by CHC VII, Ltd., which provides water and wastewater service. (Wednesday, 3 p.m. <http://www.floridapsc.com/Conferences/AudioVideoEventCoverage>)
- AUDIOLOGY, HEARING AID PANELS : The Florida Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology and the Florida Board of Hearing Aid Specialists will hold a joint meeting. (Wednesday, 4 p.m. <https://app.gotomeeting.com/?meetingId=335609357>. Call-in number: 1-866-899-4679. Code: 335609357)
- HILLSBOROUGH COLLEGE BOARD : The Hillsborough Community College Board of Trustees will meet. (Wednesday, 4 p.m., Hillsborough Community College, South Shore Campus, 551 24th St., N.E., Ruskin.)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2022

- FISH AND WILDLIFE: The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission will conclude a two-day meeting with an update on the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary and a proposed rule change about gear intended to improve the survival of released reef fish. (Thursday, 8:30 a.m., Hilton Miami Dadeland, 9100 North Kendall Dr., Miami.)
- ENTERPRISE FLORIDA BOARD : The Enterprise Florida Board of Directors will meet in Hillsborough County. (Thursday, 9 a.m., JW Marriott Tampa Water Street, 510 Water St., Tampa.)
- UCF TRUSTEES : The University of Central Florida Board of Trustees will meet. (Thursday, 9 a.m., University of Central Florida, Live Oak Event Center, Orlando.)
- INDEPENDENT EDUCATION COMMISSION : The state Commission for Independent Education will meet. (Thursday, 9 a.m., Orlando Marriott Lake Mary, 1501 International Parkway, Lake Mary.)
- GREENWAYS AND TRAILS PANEL : The Florida Greenways and Trails Council is scheduled to meet in Volusia County. (Thursday, 9 a.m., DeBary Hall Stable, 198 Sunrise Blvd., DeBary.)
- PSC HOLDS CUSTOMER MEETING: The Florida Public Service Commission will hold a customer meeting about rates for Anglers Cove West, Ltd., which provides water and wastewater service in Polk County. (Thursday, 10 a.m. <http://www.floridapsc.com/Conferences/AudioVideoEventCoverage>)
- SUPREME COURT RELEASES OPINIONS: The Florida Supreme Court is scheduled to release its weekly opinions. (Thursday, 11 a.m.)
- NORTHWEST FLORIDA COUNCIL : The Emerald Coast Regional Council will meet. (Thursday, 11:45 a.m., The Crossing at Blackwater Golf Course, 4927 Antioch Road., Crestview.)
- LONG-TERM CARE: The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program state council is scheduled to meet. (Thursday, 1 p.m., Rosen Plaza Hotel, 9700 International Dr., Orlando.)
- FARMWORKERS : The Florida Farmworkers Advisory Council is scheduled to meet. (Thursday, 1 p.m. <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88636690326?pwd=eWxCU3o0WlRYU3Zxd0xJYnh5THpCdz09>. Meeting ID: 88636690326. Code: 413692; Call-in number: 1-929-205-6099)

- UTILITY RATES : The Florida Public Service Commission will hold a customer meeting about rates for S.V. Utilities, which provides water and wastewater service in Polk County. (Thursday, 2 p.m. <http://www.floridapsc.com/Conferences/AudioVideoEventCoverage>)
- LIFE AND HEALTH PANEL : The Florida Life & Health Insurance Guaranty Association is scheduled to meet. (Thursday, 3 p.m. Contact Michelle Robleto at 850-523-1870 for information.)
- SAWGRASS EXPRESSWAY WIDENING: The Florida Department of Transportation will hold a meeting about widening part of the Sawgrass Expressway in Broward County. (Thursday, 5:30 p.m., Tamarac Community Center, 8601 West Commercial Blvd., Tamarac.)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

- MINIMUM WAGE GOES TO \$11: In the second increase under a 2020 constitutional amendment, Florida's minimum wage will go to \$11 an hour on Friday. The voter-approved amendment, spearheaded by prominent Orlando attorney John Morgan, will gradually lead to a \$15-an-hour minimum wage on Sept. 30, 2026, and inflation-linked increases after that. Under the measure, the minimum wage went to \$10 an hour on Sept. 30, 2021, and will increase by \$1 each Sept. 30 until 2026.
- TRANSGENDER TREATMENTS: A joint committee of the Florida Board of Medicine and the Florida Board of Osteopathic Medicine will discuss a draft rule that could restrict doctors from providing treatments to transgender people under age 18. The meeting will come after the Florida Department of Health in July filed a petition seeking a rule-making process on the contentious issue of treatment for gender dysphoria. The petition proposed what is known as a "standard of care" that would prohibit patients under age 18 from receiving sex-reassignment surgery and puberty-blocking, hormone and hormone "antagonist" treatments. It also would require that older patients sign a consent form and then wait 24 hours before starting such treatments. (Friday, 8 a.m., Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee.)
- LONG-TERM CARE: The Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program state council is scheduled to meet. (Friday, 8 a.m., Rosen Plaza Hotel, 9700 International Dr., Orlando.)
- SUICIDE PREVENTION : The Suicide Prevention Coordinating Council will meet. (Friday, 9 a.m., Florida Department of Children and Families, 2415 North Monroe St., Tallahassee.)
- INDEPENDENT EDUCATION COMMISSION : The state Commission for Independent Education will meet. (Friday, 9 a.m., Orlando Marriott Lake Mary, 1501 International Parkway, Lake Mary.)
- GREENWAYS AND TRAILS PANEL : The Florida Greenways and Trails Council is scheduled to meet in Volusia County. (Friday, 9 a.m., DeBary Hall Stable, 198 Sunrise Blvd., DeBary.)
- HUNGER: Agriculture Commissioner Nikki Fried is slated to take part in a "statewide hunger call" to address efforts aimed at ending hunger. (Friday, 11 a.m. <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8382835405127995152>)
- FLORIDA GULF COAST TRUSTEES : The Florida Gulf Coast University Board of Trustees is scheduled to meet. (Friday, 1 p.m. <https://www.fgcu.edu/about/leadership/fgcuboardoftrustees/boardcast>)
- CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS DUE: State candidates and political committees face a Friday deadline for filing reports showing finance activity through Sept. 23.

Upcoming Meetings

Small County Coalition Fall Breakfast Meeting

Wednesday – November 30 - St. Pete – Coinciding with the FAC Winter Meeting

Greet New Commissioners and Adopt Legislative Program

[*Registration for FAC Legislative Annual Conference*](#)

Small School District Council Consortium - Breakfast Meeting

Thursday – December 1 – Grand Hyatt Tampa Bay -Coinciding with the FSBA Winter Meeting

Greet New School Board Members and Adopt Legislative Program

[*FSBA/FADSS 77th Annual Joint Conference – Florida School Boards Association*](#)

Florida Rural Economic Development Summit
December 7-9, 2022 - Renaissance World Golf Village Resort in St. Augustine
[Registration for Summit](#)

About the Briefing!

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Website Links

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