



**State of Florida  
Department of Children and Families**

**Rick Scott**  
*Governor*

**Mike Carroll**  
*Secretary*

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July 27, 2016

The Honorable Rick Scott  
Governor  
The Capitol  
400 South Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001

Dear Governor Scott:

Per Florida law, the Department of Children and Families is responsible for reporting to the Governor, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability the status of any citizen support or direct-support organizations that are administered by the agency. Furthermore, F.S. 20.058 requires the department to report, by August 15 of each year, any proceeds received from any citizen support or direct-support organization maintained via the agency website. The report must also include a recommendation by our agency on whether to continue, terminate or modify the agency's association with each organization.

In order to comply with this statute, I would like to state that the Department of Children and Families does not currently administer a citizen support or direct-support organization.

It is my privilege to answer any questions that you may have regarding compliance with this law.

Sincerely,

Mike Carroll  
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R. Philip Twogood, Coordinator  
Florida Office of Program Policy Analysis and  
Government Accountability  
111 West Madison, Room 312  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1475

Dear Mr. Twogood:

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The Honorable Steve Crisafulli  
Speaker, Florida House of Representatives  
420 The Capitol  
402 South Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1300

Dear Speaker Crisafulli:

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The Honorable Andy Gardiner  
President of the Florida Senate  
409 The Capitol  
404 South Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1100

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