

2020 ELECTION SECTION



Candidate Q&A

Taylor County Clerk of Court

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offer increased services to

the county. Although some updates in technology may be happening now, we have more advances that need to

be made.
• Customer Service – I will listen to both our internal and external customers for

input and have no hesitation to borrow the best practices of others. The current staff has all been trained

for their roles and know their areas of the business. I will encourage cross-training roles to enhance the

knowledge and skills of the staff and to handle customer needs when employees are absent.

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also important to continue improving in-person services and always have an open door to assist citizens. I know that I have the personality and demeanor to work with the public to ensure that they have a positive experience whenever they need the clerk.
During my 27 years working in the clerk's office,

I have seen the progression from manual to electronic and online methods of conducting business.
I have also received training and education, along with other clerks around the state, about

how electronic and online methods of conducting business is going to continue to expand in the years to come.
I am the only candidate for this position who has actually filed cases using the

state-wide Eportal system and knows how it works. I am the only candidate who is familiar with the statutory deadlines that accompany different types of actions that are filed with the clerk and how those statutes and

laws affect the citizens if they are not complied with.
I believe I have what it takes to move the clerk's office forward and meet the needs of Taylor County residents.

Taylor County Superintendent of School

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of dollars, money which can be re-allocated to provide the professional development we are going to need with all these new virtual tools coming out.
As far as additional funding for teacher salaries,

Governor DeSantis recently signed House Bill 641 that came into law July 1. This dedicated \$500 million in the state's budget to raise teacher salaries in Florida. \$400 million is invested to raise the minimum base

pay for full-time classroom teachers, and \$100 million is to raise the salaries of Florida's veteran teachers and other instructional personnel.
This long-overdue law puts Florida among the

best states in the nation for minimum teacher pay.
Thanks to the Governor, this will hopefully alleviate the teacher shortage and finally provide worthy compensation to the

people who deserve it most.
And let's be honest, with all the curricular changes our teachers will face this upcoming year, there has never been a better time!

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three percent.
This increase in our fund balance was possible because of financial reallocation and intended to ensure for the financial stability of the Taylor

County School District. Our ability to increase our fund balance has been acknowledged and praised by many around the state.
Because of the increase in our reserve balance and additional monies given for teacher pay increases provided by the state of

Florida, we do not foresee having to make reductions due to the pandemic. However, we will need to ensure that our families are keeping their students enrolled in one of our two learning options.
These options are traditional brick and mortar

attendance or attendance via our new digital CANVAS learning platform. By ensuring students are still enrolled in Taylor County School District, our FTE will stay the same, which means yearly state funding per student will not

decrease.
If families choose another alternative such as homeschool or FLVS, we will not receive FTE monies for those students, and this will negatively affect our funding.
With the current state

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ensure law enforcement are not addressing disciplinary

issues that fall under school administration. My solution for improvement would include implementation of annual implicit bias

training, analyzing annual arrest data, and the district participation with pre-arrest diversion "juvenile civil citation" programs.

and with the students. The better you know someone, you are to resolve or diffuse a situation.

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on our campuses serving our schools and interacting

with our students on a personal basis, not just a professional basis.
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more about the topic, that topic will be scheduled for a future Board meeting. Each speaker is limited to three minutes and the time dedicated to this topic will not exceed twenty minutes.

ADJOURNMENT

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Superintendent of Schools
SUBJECT: School Board Workshop, July 27, 2020 in the Lafayette High School Cafeteria beginning at 5:00 PM. CDC guidelines on social distancing will be practiced during the duration of the workshop.
School Board Workshop to discuss the following:
(1) 8th Grade Trip

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE AIR PERMIT

Florida Department of Environmental Protection
Division of Air Resource Management, Office of Permitting and Compliance
Draft Air Permit No. 1230001-092-AC
Foley Cellulose, LLC, Foley Mill Taylor County, Florida
Applicant: The applicant for this project is Foley Cellulose, LLC. The applicant's authorized representative and mailing address is: Mr. Thomas Kicklighter, Vice President and General Manager, Georgia Pacific - Foley Cellulose, LLC, Foley Mill, One Buckeye Drive, Perry, Florida 32348-7702.
Facility Location: Foley Cellulose, LLC operates the existing Foley Mill, which is in Taylor County at One Buckeye Drive, Perry, Florida.
Project: The Foley Mill is an existing softwood Kraft Process Pulp Mill that manufactures bleached market pulps and dissolving cellulose pulps consisting of the following major activities: two Kraft pulp mills, chemical recovery, causticizing, purification (i.e. bleaching), papermaking, woodyard, and utility operations.
The purpose of this project is to revise Permit No. 1230001-065-AC to change the following details of the

Soap Project: redirect the exhaust vent of the No.1 Weak Filtrate Tank from atmosphere to the No.1 Foam Tower; replace the existing No.1 Foam Tower with the like-kind unit of the same capacity and specifications; remove previously requested changes to the West Soap Storage Tank and No.2 Weak Black Liquor Storage tank; remove previously requested addition of the Soap Separation Tank unit; clarify that the new soap separator used to separate soap from weak black liquor will be located inside the 5BLE Feed Tank; and, for minor clarifications. The affected filtrate tanks, weak black liquor storage tanks and foam towers are not subject to any unit-specific state or federal regulations or limitations. The proposed revisions will not result in any changes in actual emissions; therefore, the project is not subject to a Prevention of Significant Deterioration preconstruction review pursuant to Rule 62-212.400, of the Florida Administrative Code.
Permitting Authority: Applications for air construction permits are subject to review in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 403, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Chapters 62-4, 62-210 and 62-212 of the Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). The proposed project is not exempt from air permitting requirements and an air permit is required to perform the proposed work. The Permitting Authority responsible for making a permit determination for this project is the Office of Permitting and Compliance in the Department of Environmental Protection's Division of Air Resource Management. The Permitting Authority's physical address is: 2600 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida. The Permitting Authority's mailing address is: 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS #5505, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400. The Permitting Authority's phone number is 850-717-9000.
Project File: A complete project file is available for public inspection during the normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except legal holidays), at the address indicated above for the Permitting Authority. The complete project file includes the Draft Permit, the Technical Evaluation and Preliminary

Determination, the application and information submitted by the applicant (exclusive of confidential records under Section 403.111, F.S.). Interested persons may contact the Permitting Authority's project engineer for additional information at the address and phone number listed above. In addition, electronic copies of these documents are available on the following web site by entering the draft permit number: <https://fldep.dep.state.fl.us/air/emission/apds/default.asp>.
Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit: The Permitting Authority gives notice of its intent to issue an air construction permit to the applicant for the project described above. The applicant has provided reasonable assurance that operation of proposed equipment will not adversely impact air quality and that the project will comply with all applicable provisions of Chapters 62-4, 62-204, 62-210, 62-212, 62-296 and 62-297, F.A.C. The Permitting Authority will issue a Final Permit in accordance with the conditions of the proposed Draft Permit unless a timely petition for an administrative hearing is filed under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. or unless public comment received in accordance with this notice results in a different decision or a significant change of terms or conditions.
Comments: The Permitting Authority will accept written comments concerning the proposed Draft Permit for a period of 14 days from the date of publication of the Public Notice. Written comments must be received by the Permitting Authority by close of business (5:00 p.m.) on or before the end of this 14-day period. If written comments received result in a significant change to the Draft Permit, the Permitting Authority shall revise the Draft Permit and require, if applicable, another Public Notice. All comments filed will be made available for public inspection.
Petitions: A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative hearing in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. Petitions filed by any persons other than those entitled to written notice under Section 120.60(3), F.S., must

be filed within 14 days of publication of the Public Notice or receipt of a written notice, whichever occurs first. Under Section 120.60(3), F.S., however, any person who asked the Permitting Authority for notice of agency action may file a petition within 14 days of receipt of that notice, regardless of the date of publication. A petitioner shall mail a copy of the petition to the applicant at the address indicated above, at the time of filing. A petition for administrative hearing must contain the information set forth below and must be filed (received) with the Agency Clerk in the Office of General Counsel, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, MS 35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, Agency_Clerk@dep.state.fl.us, before the deadline. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time period shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention (in a proceeding initiated by another party) will be only at the approval of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with Rule 28-106.205, F.A.C.
A petition that disputes the material facts on which the Permitting Authority's action is based must contain the following information: (a) The name and address of each agency affected and each agency's file or identification number, if known; (b) The name, address, any email address, telephone number and any facsimile number of the petitioner; the name, address any email address, telephone number, and any facsimile number of the petitioner's representative, if any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding; and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial interests will be affected by the agency determination; (c) A statement of when and how each petitioner received notice of the agency action or proposed decision; (d) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact. If there are none, the petition must so state; (e) A concise statement of the

ultimate facts alleged, including the specific facts the petitioner contends warrant reversal or modification of the agency's proposed action; (f) A statement of the specific rules or statutes the petitioner contends require reversal or modification of the agency's proposed action including an explanation of how the alleged facts relate to the specific rules or statutes; and, (g) A statement of the relief sought by the petitioner, stating precisely the action the petitioner wishes the agency to take with respect to the agency's proposed action. A petition that does not dispute the material facts upon which the Permitting Authority's action is based shall state that no such facts are in dispute and otherwise shall contain the same information as set forth above, as required by Rule 28-106.301, F.A.C. Because the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate final agency action, the filing of a petition means that the Permitting Authority's final action may be different from the position taken by it in this Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit. Persons whose substantial interests will be affected by any such final decision of the Permitting Authority on the application have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above.
Extension of Time: Under Rule 62-110.106(4), F.A.C., a person whose substantial interests are affected by the Department's action may also request an extension of time to file a petition for an administrative hearing. The Department may, for good cause shown, grant the request for an extension of time. Requests for extension of time must be filed with the Office of General Counsel of the Department at 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station 35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, or via electronic correspondence at Agency_Clerk@dep.state.fl.us, before the deadline for filing a petition for an administrative hearing. A timely request for extension of time shall toll the running of the time period for filing a petition until the request is acted upon.
Mediation: Mediation is not available in this proceeding.