



Senator Dorothy L. Hukill

LEGISLATIVE NEWSLETTER



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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATOR

Back-to-School Sales Tax Holiday, August 2 – 4, 2013

Greetings everyone! We are a little over half way through the summer months, and what a productive summer it has been. I am pleased to share that as our families begin to prepare for the start of the school season they will have some tax relief while they are out shopping. The Florida Legislature passed the Back-to-School Sales Tax Holiday which helps Florida's families gather necessary tools to help their children succeed in the upcoming school year.

The back-to-school sales tax holiday will begin at 12:01 a.m., Friday, August 2, 2013, and end at 11:59 p.m., Sunday, August 4, 2013. During this period, no Florida sales tax or local option tax will be collected on sales of clothing, footwear, and certain accessories selling for \$75 or less per item, on certain school supplies selling for \$15 or less per item. New this year, no sales tax will be due on computers and certain related accessories selling for \$750 or less per item when purchased for noncommercial home or personal use.

For your ease of reference I have provided you a link to view a listing of items that are exempt or taxable: [List of tax-exempt and taxable items](#)

For additional information please feel free to click on this link to the [Department of Revenue's Website](#).

- Dorothy

UPCOMING PUBLIC MEETING:

Who: Volusia County Legislative Delegation Members
Senator Dorothy L. Hukill, Chair; Representative Dwayne Taylor, Vice-Chair
Senator David Simmons; Senator John Thrasher; Representative David Hood;
Representative Travis Hutson & Representative David Santiago

What: Volusia County Legislative Delegation Meeting

When: Wednesday, October 16, 2013 from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Where: DeLand City Hall Commission Chamber
120 S. Florida Avenue, DeLand, FL 32720

*No charge – Open to the public