

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: WD 03/25/2009

The Committee on Transportation (Siplin) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 12 - 64

and insert:

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Section 1. Paragraphs (qqq), (rrr), and (sss) are added to subsection (4) of section 320.08056, Florida Statutes, to read: 320.08056 Specialty license plates.-

(4) The following license plate annual use fees shall be collected for the appropriate specialty license plates:

(qqq) Florida Horse Park license plate, \$25. (rrr) Let's Go Surfing license plate, \$25.

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(sss) Trinity license plate, \$25.

Section 2. Subsections (69), (70), and (71) are added to section 320.08058, Florida Statutes, to read:

320.08058 Specialty license plates.-

- (69) FLORIDA HORSE PARK LICENSE PLATES.—
- (a) The department shall develop a Florida Horse Park license plate as provided in this section. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate and the words "Discover Florida's Horses" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to the Florida Agriculture Center and Horse Park Authority created by s. 570.952, which shall retain all proceeds until the startup costs to develop and establish the plates have been recovered. Thereafter, the proceeds shall be used as follows:
- 1. A maximum of 5 percent of the proceeds may be used to administer the license plate program.
- 2. A maximum of 5 percent of the proceeds may be used to promote and market the license plates.
- 3. The remaining fees shall be used by the authority to promote the Florida Agriculture Center and Horse Park located in Marion County; to support continued development of the park, including the construction of additional educational facilities, barns, and other structures; to provide improvements to the existing infrastructure at the park; and to provide for operational expenses of the park.
 - (70) LET'S GO SURFING LICENSE PLATES.—
 - (a) The department shall develop a Let's Go Surfing license

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plate as provided in this section. Let's Go Surfing license plates must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Let's Go Surfing" must appear at the bottom of the plate.

(b) The license plate annual use fees shall be distributed to East Coast Surfing Hall of Fame and Museum, Inc., to fund activities, programs, and projects to promote Florida's surfingrelated tourism, preserve Florida's surfing history and heritage, preserve Florida's surf and shores, and honor lifeguards who patrol Florida's surf and shores to protect beachgoers, surfers, and others. East Coast Surfing Hall of Fame and Museum, Inc., may retain all revenue from the annual use fees until all startup costs for developing and establishing the plate have been recovered. Thereafter, up to 25 percent of the annual use fee revenue may be used for administration, promotion, and marketing of the plate, including costs of the annual audit and compliance affidavit.

(71) TRINITY LICENSE PLATES.—

- (a) The department shall develop a Trinity license plate as provided in this section. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate and the words "Sunshine State" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to the Toomey Foundation for the Natural Sciences, Inc., which shall retain 50 percent of the proceeds until the startup costs to develop and establish the plates have been recovered. Thereafter, the proceeds shall be used as follows:



- 1. A maximum of 25 percent of the proceeds may be used to fund the administrative, promotion, and marketing costs of the license plate program and the foundation.
- 2. The remaining fees shall be used by the foundation to support educational, research, and scientific activities in this state, including the distribution of funds to qualified entities in furtherance of the stated purposes of the foundation.

======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =========== And the title is amended as follows:

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