

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to public records; amending s.
3 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public
4 records requirements for the personal identifying and
5 location information of current and former owners and
6 operators of family foster homes and the names and
7 personal identifying and location information of the
8 spouses and children of such owners and operators;
9 providing for future legislative review and repeal of
10 the exemption; providing a statement of public
11 necessity; providing an effective date.

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13 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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15 **Section 1. Paragraph (d) of subsection (4) of section**
16 **119.071, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:**

17 119.071 General exemptions from inspection or copying of
18 public records.—

19 (4) AGENCY PERSONNEL INFORMATION.—

20 (d)1. For purposes of this paragraph, the term:

21 a. "Home addresses" means the dwelling location at which
22 an individual resides and includes the physical address, mailing
23 address, street address, parcel identification number, plot
24 identification number, legal property description, neighborhood
25 name and lot number, GPS coordinates, and any other descriptive

26 | property information that may reveal the home address.

27 | b. "Judicial assistant" means a court employee assigned to
28 | the following class codes: 8140, 8150, 8310, and 8320.

29 | c. "Telephone numbers" includes home telephone numbers,
30 | personal cellular telephone numbers, personal pager telephone
31 | numbers, and telephone numbers associated with personal
32 | communications devices.

33 | 2.a. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of
34 | birth, and photographs of active or former sworn law enforcement
35 | personnel or of active or former civilian personnel employed by
36 | a law enforcement agency, including correctional and
37 | correctional probation officers, personnel of the Department of
38 | Children and Families whose duties include the investigation of
39 | abuse, neglect, exploitation, fraud, theft, or other criminal
40 | activities, personnel of the Department of Health whose duties
41 | are to support the investigation of child abuse or neglect, and
42 | personnel of the Department of Revenue or local governments
43 | whose responsibilities include revenue collection and
44 | enforcement or child support enforcement; the names, home
45 | addresses, telephone numbers, photographs, dates of birth, and
46 | places of employment of the spouses and children of such
47 | personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care
48 | facilities attended by the children of such personnel are exempt
49 | from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
50 | Constitution.

51 b. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
52 and photographs of current or former nonsworn investigative
53 personnel of the Department of Financial Services whose duties
54 include the investigation of fraud, theft, workers' compensation
55 coverage requirements and compliance, other related criminal
56 activities, or state regulatory requirement violations; the
57 names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and
58 places of employment of the spouses and children of such
59 personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care
60 facilities attended by the children of such personnel are exempt
61 from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
62 Constitution.

63 c. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
64 and photographs of current or former nonsworn investigative
65 personnel of the Office of Financial Regulation's Bureau of
66 Financial Investigations whose duties include the investigation
67 of fraud, theft, other related criminal activities, or state
68 regulatory requirement violations; the names, home addresses,
69 telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of employment of
70 the spouses and children of such personnel; and the names and
71 locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the
72 children of such personnel are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s.
73 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

74 d. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
75 and photographs of current or former firefighters certified in

76 compliance with s. 633.408; the names, home addresses, telephone
77 numbers, photographs, dates of birth, and places of employment
78 of the spouses and children of such firefighters; and the names
79 and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the
80 children of such firefighters are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and
81 s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

82 e. The home addresses, dates of birth, and telephone
83 numbers of current or former justices of the Supreme Court,
84 district court of appeal judges, circuit court judges, and
85 county court judges and current judicial assistants; the names,
86 home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of
87 employment of the spouses and children of current or former
88 justices and judges and current judicial assistants; and the
89 names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended
90 by the children of current or former justices and judges and of
91 current judicial assistants are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s.
92 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This sub-subparagraph
93 is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act in
94 accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed on October 2,
95 2028, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment
96 by the Legislature.

97 f. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
98 and photographs of current or former state attorneys, assistant
99 state attorneys, statewide prosecutors, or assistant statewide
100 prosecutors; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers,

101 photographs, dates of birth, and places of employment of the
102 spouses and children of current or former state attorneys,
103 assistant state attorneys, statewide prosecutors, or assistant
104 statewide prosecutors; and the names and locations of schools
105 and day care facilities attended by the children of current or
106 former state attorneys, assistant state attorneys, statewide
107 prosecutors, or assistant statewide prosecutors are exempt from
108 s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

109 g. The home addresses, dates of birth, and telephone
110 numbers of general magistrates, special magistrates, judges of
111 compensation claims, administrative law judges of the Division
112 of Administrative Hearings, and child support enforcement
113 hearing officers; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers,
114 dates of birth, and places of employment of the spouses and
115 children of general magistrates, special magistrates, judges of
116 compensation claims, administrative law judges of the Division
117 of Administrative Hearings, and child support enforcement
118 hearing officers; and the names and locations of schools and day
119 care facilities attended by the children of general magistrates,
120 special magistrates, judges of compensation claims,
121 administrative law judges of the Division of Administrative
122 Hearings, and child support enforcement hearing officers are
123 exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
124 Constitution.

125 h. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,

126 and photographs of current or former human resource, labor
127 relations, or employee relations directors, assistant directors,
128 managers, or assistant managers of any local government agency
129 or water management district whose duties include hiring and
130 firing employees, labor contract negotiation, administration, or
131 other personnel-related duties; the names, home addresses,
132 telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of employment of
133 the spouses and children of such personnel; and the names and
134 locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the
135 children of such personnel are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s.
136 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

137 i. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
138 and photographs of current or former code enforcement officers;
139 the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
140 and places of employment of the spouses and children of such
141 personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care
142 facilities attended by the children of such personnel are exempt
143 from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
144 Constitution.

145 j. The home addresses, telephone numbers, places of
146 employment, dates of birth, and photographs of current or former
147 guardians ad litem, as defined in s. 39.01; the names, home
148 addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of
149 employment of the spouses and children of such persons; and the
150 names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended

151 by the children of such persons are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and
152 s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

153 k. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
154 and photographs of current or former juvenile probation
155 officers, juvenile probation supervisors, detention
156 superintendents, assistant detention superintendents, juvenile
157 justice detention officers I and II, juvenile justice detention
158 officer supervisors, juvenile justice residential officers,
159 juvenile justice residential officer supervisors I and II,
160 juvenile justice counselors, juvenile justice counselor
161 supervisors, human services counselor administrators, senior
162 human services counselor administrators, rehabilitation
163 therapists, and social services counselors of the Department of
164 Juvenile Justice; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers,
165 dates of birth, and places of employment of spouses and children
166 of such personnel; and the names and locations of schools and
167 day care facilities attended by the children of such personnel
168 are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
169 Constitution.

170 l. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
171 and photographs of current or former public defenders, assistant
172 public defenders, criminal conflict and civil regional counsel,
173 and assistant criminal conflict and civil regional counsel; the
174 names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and
175 places of employment of the spouses and children of current or

former public defenders, assistant public defenders, criminal conflict and civil regional counsel, and assistant criminal conflict and civil regional counsel; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of current or former public defenders, assistant public defenders, criminal conflict and civil regional counsel, and assistant criminal conflict and civil regional counsel are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

m. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and photographs of current or former investigators or inspectors of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of employment of the spouses and children of such current or former investigators and inspectors; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such current or former investigators and inspectors are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

n. The home addresses, telephone numbers, and dates of birth of county tax collectors; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of employment of the spouses and children of such tax collectors; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such tax collectors are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

201 o. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
202 and photographs of current or former personnel of the Department
203 of Health whose duties include, or result in, the determination
204 or adjudication of eligibility for social security disability
205 benefits, the investigation or prosecution of complaints filed
206 against health care practitioners, or the inspection of health
207 care practitioners or health care facilities licensed by the
208 Department of Health; the names, home addresses, telephone
209 numbers, dates of birth, and places of employment of the spouses
210 and children of such personnel; and the names and locations of
211 schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such
212 personnel are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of
213 the State Constitution.

214 p. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
215 and photographs of current or former impaired practitioner
216 consultants who are retained by an agency or current or former
217 employees of an impaired practitioner consultant whose duties
218 result in a determination of a person's skill and safety to
219 practice a licensed profession; the names, home addresses,
220 telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of employment of
221 the spouses and children of such consultants or their employees;
222 and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities
223 attended by the children of such consultants or employees are
224 exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
225 Constitution.

226 q. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
227 and photographs of current or former emergency medical
228 technicians or paramedics certified under chapter 401; the
229 names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and
230 places of employment of the spouses and children of such
231 emergency medical technicians or paramedics; and the names and
232 locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the
233 children of such emergency medical technicians or paramedics are
234 exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
235 Constitution.

236 r. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
237 and photographs of current or former personnel employed in an
238 agency's office of inspector general or internal audit
239 department whose duties include auditing or investigating waste,
240 fraud, abuse, theft, exploitation, or other activities that
241 could lead to criminal prosecution or administrative discipline;
242 the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
243 and places of employment of spouses and children of such
244 personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care
245 facilities attended by the children of such personnel are exempt
246 from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
247 Constitution.

248 s. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
249 and photographs of current or former directors, managers,
250 supervisors, nurses, and clinical employees of an addiction

251 treatment facility; the home addresses, telephone numbers,
252 photographs, dates of birth, and places of employment of the
253 spouses and children of such personnel; and the names and
254 locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the
255 children of such personnel are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s.
256 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. For purposes of this
257 sub-subparagraph, the term "addiction treatment facility" means
258 a county government, or agency thereof, that is licensed
259 pursuant to s. 397.401 and provides substance abuse prevention,
260 intervention, or clinical treatment, including any licensed
261 service component described in s. 397.311(27).

262 t. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
263 and photographs of current or former directors, managers,
264 supervisors, and clinical employees of a child advocacy center
265 that meets the standards of s. 39.3035(2) and fulfills the
266 screening requirement of s. 39.3035(3), and the members of a
267 Child Protection Team as described in s. 39.303 whose duties
268 include supporting the investigation of child abuse or sexual
269 abuse, child abandonment, child neglect, and child exploitation
270 or to provide services as part of a multidisciplinary case
271 review team; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers,
272 photographs, dates of birth, and places of employment of the
273 spouses and children of such personnel and members; and the
274 names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended
275 by the children of such personnel and members are exempt from s.

119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

u. The home addresses, telephone numbers, places of employment, dates of birth, and photographs of current or former staff and domestic violence advocates, as defined in s.

90.5036(1)(b), of domestic violence centers certified by the Department of Children and Families under chapter 39; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, places of employment, dates of birth, and photographs of the spouses and children of such personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such personnel are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

v. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and photographs of current or former inspectors or investigators of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of employment of the spouses and children of current or former inspectors or investigators; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of current or former inspectors or investigators are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This sub-subparagraph is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2028, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

301 w. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
302 and photographs of current county attorneys, assistant county
303 attorneys, deputy county attorneys, city attorneys, assistant
304 city attorneys, and deputy city attorneys; the names, home
305 addresses, telephone numbers, photographs, dates of birth, and
306 places of employment of the spouses and children of current
307 county attorneys, assistant county attorneys, deputy county
308 attorneys, city attorneys, assistant city attorneys, and deputy
309 city attorneys; and the names and locations of schools and day
310 care facilities attended by the children of current county
311 attorneys, assistant county attorneys, deputy county attorneys,
312 city attorneys, assistant city attorneys, and deputy city
313 attorneys are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of
314 the State Constitution. This exemption does not apply to a
315 county attorney, assistant county attorney, deputy county
316 attorney, city attorney, assistant city attorney, or deputy city
317 attorney who qualifies as a candidate for election to public
318 office. This sub-subparagraph is subject to the Open Government
319 Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand
320 repealed on October 2, 2029, unless reviewed and saved from
321 repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

322 x. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth,
323 and photographs of current or former commissioners of the
324 Florida Gaming Control Commission; the names, home addresses,
325 telephone numbers, dates of birth, photographs, and places of

employment of the spouses and children of such current or former commissioners; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such current or former commissioners are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This sub-subparagraph is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2029, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

y. The home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and photographs of current clerks of the circuit court, deputy clerks of the circuit court, and clerk of the circuit court personnel; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of employment of the spouses and children of current clerks of the circuit court, deputy clerks of the circuit court, and clerk of the circuit court personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of current clerks of the circuit court, deputy clerks of the circuit court, and clerk of the circuit court personnel are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This sub-subparagraph is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2029, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

z.(I) As used in this sub-subparagraph, the term:

351 (A) "Child" or "children" means an unmarried person under
352 the age of 18 who has not been emancipated by order of the court
353 and who is related to an owner or operator either by blood,
354 marriage, or adoption or who has been placed in a family foster
355 home by the Department of Children and Families.

356 (B) "Family foster home" has the same meaning as in s.
357 409.175(2).

358 (C) "Operator" has the same meaning as in s. 409.175(2).

359 (D) "Owner" has the same meaning as in s. 409.175(2).

360 (II) The home addresses, telephone numbers, places of
361 employment, dates of birth, and photographs of current or former
362 owners and operators of family foster homes; the names, home
363 addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and places of
364 employment of the spouses and children of such persons; and the
365 names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended
366 by the children of such persons are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and
367 s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

368 (III) This sub-subparagraph is subject to the Open
369 Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and
370 shall stand repealed on October 2, 2031, unless reviewed and
371 saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

372 aa.~~z.~~(I) As used in this sub-subparagraph, the term:

373 (A) "Congressional member" means a person who is elected
374 to serve as a member of the United States House of
375 Representatives or is elected or appointed to serve as a member

of the United States Senate.

(B) "Partial home address" means the dwelling location at which an individual resides and includes the physical address, mailing address, street address, parcel identification number, plot identification number, legal property description, neighborhood name and lot number, GPS coordinates, and any other descriptive property information that may reveal the partial home address, except for the city and zip code.

(C) "Public officer" means a person who holds one of the following offices: Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Chief Financial Officer, Attorney General, Agriculture Commissioner, state representative, state senator, property appraiser, supervisor of elections, school superintendent, school board member, mayor, city commissioner, or county commissioner.

(II) The following information is exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution:

(A) The partial home addresses of a current congressional member or public officer and his or her spouse or adult child.

(B) The telephone numbers of a current congressional member or public officer and his or her spouse or adult child.

(C) The name, home addresses, telephone numbers, and date of birth of a minor child of a current congressional member or public officer and the name and location of the school or day care facility attended by the minor child.

(III) This sub-subparagraph is subject to the Open

Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2030, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

3.a. An agency that is the custodian of the information specified in subparagraph 2. and that is not the employer of the officer, employee, justice, judge, or other person specified in subparagraph 2. must maintain the exempt status of that information only if the officer, employee, justice, judge, other person, or employing agency of the designated employee submits a written and notarized request for maintenance of the exemption to the custodial agency. The request must state under oath the statutory basis for the individual's exemption request and confirm the individual's status as a party eligible for exempt status.

b. An agency that is the custodian of information specified in sub-subparagraph 2.z. and that is not the employer of the congressional member, public officer, or other person specified in sub-subparagraph 2.z. must maintain the exempt status of that information only if an individual requests the maintenance of an exemption pursuant to sub-subparagraph 2.z. on the basis of eligibility as a current congressional member or public officer and his or her spouse or child submits, as part of the written and notarized request required by sub-subparagraph a., the date of the congressional member's or public officer's election or appointment to public office, the

date on which that office is next subject to election, and, if applicable, the date on which the current congressional member's or public officer's minor child reaches the age of majority. The custodian must maintain an exemption granted pursuant to subparagraph 2.z. until the qualifying conditions for the exemption no longer apply to the person subject to the exemption.

4.a. A county property appraiser, as defined in s. 192.001(3), or a county tax collector, as defined in s. 192.001(4), who receives a written and notarized request for maintenance of the exemption pursuant to subparagraph 3. must comply by removing the name of the individual with exempt status and the instrument number or Official Records book and page number identifying the property with the exempt status from all publicly available records maintained by the property appraiser or tax collector. For written requests received on or before July 1, 2021, a county property appraiser or county tax collector must comply with this sub-subparagraph by October 1, 2021. A county property appraiser or county tax collector may not remove the street address, legal description, or other information identifying real property within the agency's records so long as a name or personal information otherwise exempt from inspection and copying pursuant to this section is not associated with the property or otherwise displayed in the public records of the agency.

451 b. Any information restricted from public display,
452 inspection, or copying under sub-subparagraph a. must be
453 provided to the individual whose information was removed.

454 5. An officer, an employee, a justice, a judge, or other
455 person specified in subparagraph 2. may submit a written request
456 for the release of his or her exempt information to the
457 custodial agency. The written request must be notarized and must
458 specify the information to be released and the party authorized
459 to receive the information. Upon receipt of the written request,
460 the custodial agency must release the specified information to
461 the party authorized to receive such information.

462 6. The exemptions in this paragraph apply to information
463 held by an agency before, on, or after the effective date of the
464 exemption.

465 7. Information made exempt under this paragraph may be
466 disclosed pursuant to s. 28.2221 to a title insurer authorized
467 pursuant to s. 624.401 and its affiliates as defined in s.
468 624.10; a title insurance agent or title insurance agency as
469 defined in s. 626.841(1) or (2), respectively; or an attorney
470 duly admitted to practice law in this state and in good standing
471 with The Florida Bar.

472 8. The exempt status of a home address contained in the
473 Official Records is maintained only during the period when a
474 protected party resides at the dwelling location. Upon
475 conveyance of real property after October 1, 2021, and when such

476 real property no longer constitutes a protected party's home
477 address as defined in sub-subparagraph 1.a., the protected party
478 must submit a written request to release the removed information
479 to the county recorder. The written request to release the
480 removed information must be notarized, must confirm that a
481 protected party's request for release is pursuant to a
482 conveyance of his or her dwelling location, and must specify the
483 Official Records book and page, instrument number, or clerk's
484 file number for each document containing the information to be
485 released.

486 9. Upon the death of a protected party as verified by a
487 certified copy of a death certificate or court order, any party
488 can request the county recorder to release a protected
489 decedent's removed information unless there is a related request
490 on file with the county recorder for continued removal of the
491 decedent's information or unless such removal is otherwise
492 prohibited by statute or by court order. The written request to
493 release the removed information upon the death of a protected
494 party must attach the certified copy of a death certificate or
495 court order and must be notarized, must confirm the request for
496 release is due to the death of a protected party, and must
497 specify the Official Records book and page number, instrument
498 number, or clerk's file number for each document containing the
499 information to be released. A fee may not be charged for the
500 release of any document pursuant to such request.

Section 2. (1) The Legislature finds that it is a public necessity that the home addresses, telephone numbers, places of employment, dates of birth, and photographs of former and current owners and operators, and their spouses and children, of family foster homes licensed by the Department of Children and Families, and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such persons be made exempt from s. 119.07(1), Florida Statutes, and s. 24(a), Article 1 of the State Constitution. Such identifying and location information can be used to locate children placed in a family foster home by the Department of Children and Families, the owner or operator of such home, and the other children living at the home to threaten or harm the children, owner, or operator; to perpetuate fraud against any of these individuals; or to acquire sensitive personal, financial, medical, and familial information, the release of which could cause great financial harm to the individual.

(2) Children placed in a family foster home are often removed from the care of their biological parents due to physical, sexual, and emotional abuse; domestic violence; drug use; neglect; and many other reasons for which the state has identified the children are in danger. As such, it is necessary to protect the location of such children from being known by their biological parents until the case has been litigated and the children have been returned to their biological parents upon

satisfactory completion of their case plan and having their
parenting rights restored. As a result of being the person
ultimately responsible for the care of a child who is removed
from the home of his or her biological parents, owners and
operators of family foster homes may incur the ill will of the
biological parents, thus making such owners and operators and
their other children targets for acts of revenge. If such
identifying and location information is released, the safety of
the owners and operators of family foster homes and all children
living with them could be seriously jeopardized. The Legislature
further finds that the harm that may result from the release of
such personal identifying and location information outweighs any
public benefit that may be derived from the disclosure of the
information.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2026.