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December 7, 2021

FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
Division of Law Enforcement  
Boating and Waterways Section  
Derelict Vessel Program  
Attention: Phil Horning and Jennifer Tyler  
620 South Meridian Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1600

Good Day Mr. Horning and Ms. Tyler,

The Levy County Board of County Commissioners has agreed to and approve this submission to FWC's Derelict Vessel Removal Grant. The Levy BOCC and Chairman authorizes this submission. Levy county has approximately eleven (11) derelict vessels in our waterways and wishes to remove them to create safer waterways and improve the environment.

We look forward to hearing from you and receiving approval of this submission. Thank you in advance for your time and review. Please feel free to contact Tony Parker, Grants Coordinator for Levy County via email at [parker-anthony@levycounty.org](mailto:parker-anthony@levycounty.org) or via phone at (352) 529-7287.

Sincerely,

John Meeks, Chairman  
Levy County Board of County Commission



# FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

## Derelict Vessel Removal Grant Application

### FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Derelict Vessel Removal Grant Application Number:	Date Received:
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I. APPLICANT INFORMATION	
Applicant:	Levy County Board of County Commission
a) Federal Employer ID No.:	59-600017
b) Project Manager Name:	Tony Parker, Alicia Tretheway
c) Project Manager Title:	Grant Coordinator, Procurement Director
d) Mailing Address	P.O. Box 310
e) City/State/ZIP	Bronson/FL/32621
f) Shipping Address	310 School Street
g) City/State ZIP	Bronson/FL/32621
h) Telephone	352-486-5218
i) FAX	352-486-5167
j) Email	Parker-anthony@levycounty.org, tretheway-ali@levycounty.org
k) District Numbers:	5, 22
l) State House	Joe Harding
m) State Senate	Jennifer Bradley

II. PROJECT SUMMARY	
a) Project Title	Levy County, FL BOCC Derelict Vessel Removal
b) Project Goal(s):	<p>The Levy County, FL Board of County Commissioners is working with local FWC officials to locate, document and officially record all derelict vessels that pose a hazard in our regional/county waterways to the environment, residents, and boaters. There are approximately eleven (11) derelict vessels that Levy County will contract salvage/vessel removal professionals to have these vessels safely removed from Levy County coastal water ways.</p> <p>There is a mobilization cost for the vendor to bring all of the equipment and stage for removals of \$35,613.00 and the removals total is \$327,447.00 for a grand total for the project and grant requested as below of \$363,063.00.</p>
c) Project Cost (Total):	\$363,063.00

d) Grant Amount Requested:	\$363,063.00
e) Project Type(s):	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bulk Derelict Vessel Grant (See Section V of guidelines for eligibility and restrictions). <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Removal Derelict Vessel Grant (See Section VI of guidelines for eligibility and restrictions).
<p>There are approximately eleven (11) derelict vessels that Levy County will contract salvage/vessel removal professionals to have these vessels safely removed from Levy County coastal water ways. Levy County will utilize professional(s), who are experts in marine debris removal.</p>	

Brief Project Summary (including the total number of derelict vessels that you are requesting be removed as part of this project). (Note that a detailed Project Summary/Scope of Work is required as an attachment to this application. The Levy County, FL Board of County Commissioners is working with local FWC officials to locate, document and officially record all derelict vessels that pose a hazard in our regional/county waterways to the environment, residents, and boaters. There are approximately eleven (11) derelict vessels that Levy County will contract salvage/vessel removal professionals to have these vessels safely removed from Levy County coastal water ways.

The contractors/vendors who will be contracted to environmentally friendly and safely remove the eleven (11) derelict vessels identified by local and regional FWC staff. The contractors/vendors selected will carry out the removal of derelict vessels from the waters of the state, transport the vessels or vessel's parts to an approved landfill facility and destroy the vessels. The contractors/vendors selected will use Florida Fish and Wildlife Best Management Practices for Derelict Vessel Removal. These include protective measures and equipment to prevent erosion and pollution during removal.

**III. JUSTIFICATION FOR RAPID REMOVAL GRANT REQUEST VS. BULK DERELICT VESSEL GRANT REQUEST**

Describe how the vessel to be removed meets the rapid removal criteria listed in Section VI of the Derelict Vessel Removal Grant guidelines using specific conditions which demonstrate it is in danger of imminent sinking, breaking apart, or is a critical danger to public safety or the environment.

Levy County is seeking the Bulk Derelict Vessel Grant. There are eleven individual vessels in various locations in rivers and coastal areas of Levy County, Florida. They pose hazards to boaters, kayakers and marine life.

**IV. PROJECTED OUTCOMES**

- a. How many total derelict vessels are there in the project's jurisdiction? What percentage of the total derelict vessels located within the project's jurisdiction will be removed by this project? (Limited to those listed in the Statewide Derelict Vessel Database).

There are a total of eleven (11) vessels in Levy County's jurisdiction, and all should be in the statewide database, ready and will be removed by this project.

- b. Describe the system to be used in demonstrating complete removal and destruction of the removed vessel(s). Include the procedure to verify contractor's completeness in removal of the vessel(s).

Levy County will be contracting with a provider(s) for the removal of derelict vessels from the waters of the state, transport the vessels or vessel's parts to an approved landfill facility and destroy the vessels. The contractor selected will use Florida Fish and Wildlife Best Management Practices for Derelict Vessel Removal. These include protective measures and equipment to prevent erosion and pollution during removal.

**V. BUDGET**

Has a detailed cost estimate/proposal been developed for this derelict vessel removal project? If yes, attach a copy of application.

YES

NO

**VI. OTHER SOURCE OF FUNDS (STATUS)**

a.  Federal  State/Local  Loan Agency:

b. Grant Name: Amount:

c. Approval Status:  Approved  Pending Intend to Apply, Date:



**VII. LAW ENFORCEMENT CASE DATE**

(Include a line for each derelict vessel that you are requesting be removed as a part of this project)

	AGENCY	AGENCY CASE NUMBER	VESSEL REGISTRATION	VESSEL MAKE	VESSEL LENGTH	VESSEL REMOVAL QUOTE
1	FL FWC	FWNC21OFF000980	FL6504LU	Oday	27	12744.00
2	FL FWC	FWNC21OFF003483	FL4483BR	Hacker	38	26866
3	FL FWC	FWNC05OFF004397	DO941976	Homemade	50	51100
4	FL FWC	FWNC19OFF004923	DO239825	Elco Marine	42	38976
5	FL FWC	FWNC21OFF005573	Unknown	Unknown Sailboat	27	12744
6	FL FWC	FWNC21OFF000725	DO645387	Unknown Trawler	39	38961
7	FL FWC	FWNC21OFF000959	FL0230FF	San Juan	28	12768
8	FL FWC	FWNC21OFF003743	FL6955LM	Scout	16	7008
9	FL FWC	FWNC09OFF003663	Unknown	Sport Trawl	35	26880
10	FL FWC	FWNC21OFF005754	FL3630BN	BMF Houseboat	45	48300
11	FL FWC	FWNC21OFF000823	DO658944	Landry	50	51100
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					<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>327447</b>

**VIII. APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CHECKLIST**

For mailed applications, include a copy on electronic media with paper copy or you may email entire application to:  
[DVGrant@MyFWC.com](mailto:DVGrant@MyFWC.com)

Inc.	Required Attachments
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	a. Cover Letter: A brief letter explaining overview of project and responsible parties involved.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b. Application: One (1) application with original signature from authorized individual.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	c. Project Proposal: a detailed description of the project as described in the application instructions.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	d. Delegation of Authority: Formal documentation to show that the person signing the application has the authority to apply for, administer and commit the governing body or not-for-profit organization to the grant project on behalf of the applicant.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	e. Detailed Cost Estimate: Cost estimate in the form of a formal bid, written quote from proposed vendor or a detailed cost estimate for the project elements. One (1) tabbed section for each vessel removal requested to include the Derelict Vessel Data Sheet (Attachment "A").

**APPLICANT SIGNATURE**

Application is hereby made for the activities described herein. I certify that I am familiar with the information contained in the application, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, this information is true, complete, and accurate. I further certify that I possess the authority (see grant guidelines Section IV, 4.4) to sign on behalf of the Applicant and that the Applicant has the ability to undertake the proposed activities in compliance with the FWC Derelict Vessel Removal Grant Program Guidelines.

I also certify that the applicant’s governing body is aware of and has authorized the project manager as the official representative of the applicant to act in connection with this application and subsequent project, as well as to provide additional information as may be required. By my signature below, the applicant agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws in conjunction with this proposal and the resulting project if approved.

Print/Type Name: John Meeks

Title: Levy Co. BOCC Chair

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF Levy

\_\_\_\_\_ personally, appeared before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

20\_\_ who subscribed and swore to the above instrument in my presence.

Notary Public Name: \_\_\_\_\_

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Instruction and further information regarding this application and the FWC Derelict Vessel Removal Grant Program can be found in the Program’s Guidelines document or by contacting the Program Administrator at: Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, Boating and Waterways Section, Derelict Vessel Program, 620 South Meridian Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1600 or call (850) 488-5600

**Attachment A**

(Submit one (1) sheet for each vessel requested in grant application)

**Derelict Vessel Data Sheet**

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC21OFF005573
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	NO
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. In state Waters North of the Shell Pile Boat Ramp in Cedar Key	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 8.65602 (W) W083 02.196
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	white
Vessel Length:	27
Vessel Registration:	Unknown
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	YES
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	12,744.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282



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Tisha Whitehurst  
Levy County Visitors Bureau  
607 SW 1st Avenue  
Williston, Florida 32696

RE: Derelict Vessel Case Number FWNC21OFF005573

Dear Tisha Whitehurst:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) has investigated the vessel described below and determined the vessel is abandoned and derelict as defined in sections 705.103 and 823.11, Florida Statutes. FWC has provided notice to the last known owner/custodian of the vessel and afforded him/her an opportunity for a hearing compliant with fundamental procedural due process. Your Agency is now authorized to remove and dispose of the following vessel on behalf of the FWC:

Vessel Make: Sailboat

Vessel Model: Unknown

Vessel Hull Identification Number: Unknown

Vessel Registration Number: Unknown

Vessel Color: White

Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 8.65602 W083 02.196

Vessel Location Description: In State Waters North of the Shell Pile Boat Ramp in Cedar Key.

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

This authorization permits only (1) the destruction of the vessel identified above and (2) the removal and less any salvage value obtained by the disposal of the property salvageable material from this vessel pursuant to subsection 705.103(4), Florida Statutes. Any other use of the vessel is not authorized. This letter does not authorize the removal of any vessels other than the vessel identified above.

Once you have informed me the vessel has been removed and I have photographic documentation of the removal and destruction, FWC will request the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles cancel the title and registration for the vessel.

Name  
Page 2  
Date

Please contact me if you have any other questions.

Sincerely,

Officer William Robson N998  
10247 North Suncoast Boulevard  
Crystal River, FL 34428  
William.Robson@MyFWC.com  
386-438-9013

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**Attachment A**

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**Derelict Vessel Data Sheet**

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC19OFF004923
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	NO
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Canal near the mouth of the Withlacoochee River, near Highway 40	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 0.14802 (W) W082 45.33198
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	green
Vessel Length:	42
Vessel Registration:	DO239825
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	NO
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	38,976.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282



June 17, 2021

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Levy County Visitors Bureau  
607 SW 1st Avenue.  
Williston, Florida 32696

RE: Derelict Vessel Number FWNC21OFF004923  
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Dear Tisha Whitehurst:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) has investigated the vessel described below and determined the vessel is abandoned and derelict as defined in sections 705.103 and 823.11, Florida Statutes. FWC has provided notice to the last known owner/custodian of the vessel and afforded him/her an opportunity for a hearing compliant with fundamental procedural due process.. Your agency is now authorized to remove and dispose of the following vessel on behalf of FWC:

Vessel Make: Elco Marine  
Vessel Model: Cabin Cruiser  
Vessel Hull Identification Number: DO239825  
Vessel Registration Number: DO239825  
Vessel Length: 42 Feet  
Vessel Color: Green  
Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 0.14802 W082 45.33198  
Vessel Location Description: Canal near the mouth of the Withlacoochee River, near Highway 40.

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

This authorization permits only (1) the destruction of the vessel identified above and (2) the removal and less any salvage value obtained by the disposal of the property of salvageable material from this vessel pursuant to subsection 705.103(4), Florida Statutes. Any other use of the vessel is not authorized. This letter does not authorize the removal of any vessels other than the vessel identified above.



Once you have informed me the vessel has been removed and I have photographic documentation of the removal and destruction, FWC will request the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles cancel the title and registration for the vessel.

Please contact me if you have any other question

Sincerely,

Officer Morgan Willis N891  
10247 N. Suncoast Boulevard  
Crystal River, FL 34428  
Morgan.Willis@MyFWC.com  
(352) 447-0677

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**Derelict Vessel Data Sheet**

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC05OFF004397
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	NO
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Waccasassa River East of Boat Ramp	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 12.89958 (W) W082 45.67608
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	red
Vessel Length:	50
Vessel Registration:	FL 6504 LU
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	YES
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	51,100.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282



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Vessel Make: Homemade  
Vessel Model: Commercial Fish  
Vessel Hull Identification Number: D941976  
Vessel Registration Number: 941976  
Vessel Color: White  
Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 12.89958 W082 45.67608  
Vessel Location Description: Waccasassa River East of Boat Ramp.

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

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Once you have informed me the vessel has been removed and I have photographic documentation of the removal and destruction, FWC will request the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles cancel the title and registration for the vessel.

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**Attachment A**

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## Derelict Vessel Data Sheet

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC21OFF003483
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	NO
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Suwannee River North of Fowler's Bluff	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 24.005 (W) W083 01.311
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	white
Vessel Length:	38
Vessel Registration:	FL4483BR
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	NO
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	26,866.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
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Vessel Make: Hacker  
Vessel Model: Cabin Cruiser  
Vessel Hull Identification Number: FLZ487050359  
Vessel Registration Number: FL 4483 BR  
Vessel Length: 38 Feet  
Vessel Color: White  
Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 24.005 W083 01.311  
Vessel Location Description: Suwanee River North of Fowler's Bluff.

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

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**Attachment A**

(Submit one (1) sheet for each vessel requested in grant application)

## Derelict Vessel Data Sheet

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC21OFF000980
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	NO
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Northwest of Cedar Key Marina Dry Storage Building	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 24.005 (W) W083 01.311
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	red
Vessel Length:	27
Vessel Registration:	FL 6504 LU
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	NO
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	12,744.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282



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Tisha Whitehurst  
Levy County Visitors Bureau  
607 SW 1st Avenue.  
Williston, Florida 32696

RE: Derelict Vessel Number FWNC21OFF000980

Dear Tisha Whitehurst:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) has investigated the vessel described below and determined the vessel is abandoned and derelict as defined in sections 705.103 and 823.11, Florida Statutes. FWC has provided notice to the last known owner/custodian of the vessel and afforded him/her an opportunity for a hearing compliant with fundamental procedural due process.. Your agency is now authorized to remove and dispose of the following vessel on behalf of FWC:

Vessel Make: O'Day  
Vessel Model: Sailboat  
Vessel Hull Identification Number: XDYM0248M75E  
Vessel Registration Number: FL 6504 LU  
Vessel Length: 27 Feet  
Vessel Color: Red  
Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 8.604 W083 02.235  
Vessel Location Description: Northwest of Cedar Key Marina dry storage building

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

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Once you have informed me the vessel has been removed and I have photographic documentation of the removal and destruction, FWC will request the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles cancel the title and registration for the vessel.

Please contact me if you have any other questions

Sincerely,

Officer Corrie Bell P151  
10247 N. Suncoast Boulevard  
Crystal River, FL 34428  
Corrie.Bell@MyFWC.com  
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AT-RISK OR DERELICT OR ABANDONED VESSEL REPORT



FWC Case: FWNC-21-OFF-000980 dvId: 16664 P151 FWC
Main DV Report Status Page Removal Process Page DHSMV Status Page Court Information Sheet Narrative Documents

Vessel Report: Abandoned Derelict NOAA ADV Case

Inc Summary #: FWNC 21 -OFF- 000980 Search: 16664

Was This Derelict Vessel Caused by Hurricane Yes No Hurricane Name:

Reg/Doc#: FL6504LU Length: 27 Make: O'Day HIN: XDYM0248M75E

Vessel Currently Registered Yes No Registration Expiration Date: 07/04/2007 State: FL

Hull Material: Wood Fiberglass Metal Rubber Concrete Other

Color: RED Motor Attached: Yes No Motor Type: Inboard

Vessel Type: SAILBOAT-SAILING VESSEL-RECREATION Vessel Style: SAILING VESSEL Vessel Use: RECREATIONAL

Name on Vessel: Gypsy Wind Other Identifiers: Floating: Yes No

Vessel Owner/Custodian - First Name: ARCHIE Last Name: STIMPSON MI: L

Date of Birth: 07/08/1964 Drivers License #: S351-012-48-244-0 DL State: FL

Boat Registration - Address: 1355 S PINELLAS BAYWAY UNIT 3

City: TIERRA VERDE State: FL Zip: 33715 Other Id:

Physical Location of Vessel: JUST NORTH OF CEDAR KEY MARINA DRY STORAGE

County: LEVY Latitude: 29 8.604 N Longitude: 083 02.235 W Validate Map Location Changed - See Narrative

PART A: (Abandoned Only: Complete Part A & C)

Wrecked Inoperative Partially Dismantled No Apparent Intrinsic Value

Personal Items Onboard: Yes No Unknown If (Yes), enter inventory or explanation of why unknown in narrative.

PART B: (Derelict: Complete Part A, B, & C)

Wrecked Junked Substantially Dismantled Abandoned at a Florida Port Docked/Grounded/Beached on Property of Another

PART C:

Additional Vessel Information (Check All That Apply):

Other Property Damage: Yes No Explain:

Afloat Adrift In Wetlands Washed Ashore Sunk Pulled to Shore Aground Tied to Dock Tied to Object Vessel is Below Mean High Water Line Vessel is Above Mean High Water Line Listing Capsized Burned Broken Up Stripped

Derelict Cause: Unknown Natural Disaster Other (Explain):

Location Owner: State of Florida Waters State Submerged Lands Federal Property Other (Explain):

Location Owner - First Name: MI: Last Name: Address: City: State: Zip:

Is Vessel Submerged: Yes No % Submerged: 0 Depth in feet: 0

Vessel Threat / Damage

Table with 4 columns: Threat/Damage, Yes, No, Unknown, How (Explain) CHANGE. Row 1: Threat to Navigation, No checked, N/A



Damage to Submerged Lands	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	unsure
Is Sea Grass Damage Evident	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mud bottom
Is Coral Damage Evident	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No coral present
Is Mangrove Damage Evident	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tied to mangrove island
Is Fuel/Oil Leaking Evident	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Danger to Environment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Preventing growth of mangroves
Towed Without Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A

**Recommended Disposition:**  Remove from Water  Take to Landfill  
 Recycle Metal  Have Owner/Custodian Remove  
 Turn Over to Another  Leave As Is

**Attach required Incident Report Narrative (FWCDLE 045A) to describe your diligent search efforts.**

FWC Officer: Bell, Corrie

Date Submitted 2/17/2021

If not FWC, complete following Other Agency information:

Officer - Last Name:

First Name:

Agency Name:

Reviewed by: Rama Shuster 06/18/2021

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**Attachment A**

(Submit one (1) sheet for each vessel requested in grant application)

**Derelict Vessel Data Sheet**

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC21OFF000725
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	YES
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Withlacoochee River, near Yankeetown Marina	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 1.3743 (W) W082 43.35852
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	white
Vessel Length:	39
Vessel Registration:	DO645387
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	NO
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	38,961.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282



July 9, 2021

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Tisha Whitehurst  
Levy County Visitor's Bureau  
607 SW 1st Avenue  
Williston, Florida 32696

RE: Derelict Vessel Number FWNC21OFF000725

Dear Mrs. Tisha Whitehurst:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) has investigated the vessel described below and determined the vessel is abandoned and derelict as defined in sections 705.103 and 823.11, Florida Statutes. FWC has provided notice to the last known owner/custodian of the vessel and afforded him/her an opportunity for a hearing compliant with fundamental procedural due process.. Your agency is now authorized to remove and dispose of the following vessel on behalf of FWC:

Vessel Make: Unknown  
Vessel Model: Commercial Trawler  
Vessel Hull Identification Number: DO645387  
Vessel Registration Number: DO645387  
Vessel Length: 39 Feet  
Vessel Color: White  
Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 1.3743 W082 43.35852  
Vessel Location Description: Withlacoochee River, near Yankeetown

Marina

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

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Once you have informed me the vessel has been removed and I have photographic documentation of the removal and destruction, FWC will request the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles cancel the title and registration for the vessel.

Please contact me if you have any other question

Sincerely,

Officer Morgan Willis N891  
10247 N. Suncoast Boulevard  
Crystal River, Florida 34428  
Morgan.Willis@MyFWC.com  
(352) 390-0120

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**Attachment A**

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**Derelict Vessel Data Sheet**

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC21OFF000959
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	YES
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Just North of Cedar Key Marina Dry Storage	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 8.5965 (W) W83 02.17038
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	white
Vessel Length:	28
Vessel Registration:	FL0230FF
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	NO
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	12,768.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282



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September 24, 2021

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Tisha Whitehurst  
Levy County Visitors Bureau  
607 SW 1st Avenue  
Williston, Florida 32696

RE: Derelict Vessel Number FWNC21OFF0959

Dear Tisha Whitehurst:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) has investigated the vessel described below and determined the vessel is abandoned and derelict as defined in sections 705.103 and 823.11, Florida Statutes. FWC has provided notice to the last known owner/custodian of the vessel and afforded him/her an opportunity for a hearing compliant with fundamental procedural due process.. Your agency is now authorized to remove and dispose of the following vessel on behalf of FWC:

Vessel Make: San Juan  
Vessel Model: *Sailboat*  
Vessel Hull Identification Number: CCK027M78E  
Vessel Registration Number: FL0230FF  
Vessel Length: 28'  
Vessel Color: White  
Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 8.5965/W83 02.17038  
Vessel Location Description: Just North of Cedar Key Marina Dry Storage

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

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FWC Case: FWNC-21-OFF-000959 dvId: 16663 P151 FWC
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Vessel Report: Abandoned Derelict NOAA ADV Case

Inc Summary #: FWNC 21 -OFF- 000959 Search: Search

Was This Derelict Vessel Caused by Hurricane Yes No Hurricane Name:

Reg/Doc#: FL0230FF Length: 28 Make: San Juan HIN: CCKK027M78E

Vessel Currently Registered Yes No Registration Expiration Date: 02/23/2008 State: FL

Hull Material: Wood Fiberglass Metal Rubber Concrete Other

Color: WHITE Motor Attached: Yes No Motor Type: Inboard

Vessel Type: SAILBOAT-SAILING VESSEL-RECREATION Vessel Style: SAILING VESSEL Vessel Use: RECREATIONAL

Name on Vessel: N/A Other Identifiers: Floating: Yes No

Vessel Owner/Custodian - First Name: LENARD Last Name: RENFROE MI: R

Date of Birth: 01/08/1969 Drivers License #: R516-536-52-063-0 DL State: FL

Boat Registration - Address: 6010 SE 211TH ST APT 4

City: HAWTHORNE State: FL Zip: 32640 Other Id:

Physical Location of Vessel: JUST NORTH OF CEDAR KEY MARINA DRY STORAGE

County: LEVY Latitude: 29 8.5965 N Longitude: 083 02.17038 W Validate Map Location Changed - See Narrative

PART A: (Abandoned Only: Complete Part A & C)

Wrecked Inoperative Partially Dismantled No Apparent Intrinsic Value

Personal Items Onboard: Yes No Unknown If (Yes), enter inventory or explanation of why unknown in narrative.

PART B: (Derelict: Complete Part A, B, & C)

Wrecked Junked Substantially Dismantled Abandoned at a Florida Port Docked/Grounded/Beached on Property of Another

PART C:

Additional Vessel Information (Check All That Apply):

Other Property Damage: Yes No Explain:

Afloat Adrift In Wetlands Washed Ashore Sunk Pulled to Shore Aground Tied to Dock Tied to Object Vessel is Below Mean High Water Line Vessel is Above Mean High Water Line Listing Capsized Burned Broken Up Stripped

Derelict Cause: Unknown Natural Disaster Other (Explain):

Location Owner: State of Florida Waters State Submerged Lands Federal Property Other (Explain):

Location Owner - First Name: MI: Last Name: Address: City: State: Zip:

Is Vessel Submerged: Yes No % Submerged: 50 Depth in feet: 4

Vessel Threat / Damage

Table with 4 columns: Threat/Damage, Yes, No, Unknown, and How (Explain) CHANGE. Row 1: Threat to Navigation, Yes checked, No, Unknown, Vessel is wrecked close to a known channel.



Damage to Submerged Lands	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	unsure
Is Sea Grass Damage Evident	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mud bottom
Is Coral Damage Evident	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No coral present
Is Mangrove Damage Evident	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tied to mangrove island
Is Fuel/Oil Leaking Evident	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Danger to Environment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Preventing growth of mangroves
Towed Without Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A

**Recommended Disposition:**  Remove from Water  Take to Landfill  
 Recycle Metal  Have Owner/Custodian Remove  
 Turn Over to Another  Leave As Is

**Attach required Incident Report Narrative (FWCDLE 045A) to describe your diligent search efforts.**

FWC Officer: Bell, Corrie

Date Submitted 2/17/2021

If not FWC, complete following Other Agency information:

Officer - Last Name:

First Name:

Agency Name:

Reviewed by: Robert Johnston 08/29/2021

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**Legend**

-  Cedar Key Marina II
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**Attachment A**

(Submit one (1) sheet for each vessel requested in grant application)

**Derelict Vessel Data Sheet**

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC21OFF003743
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	YES
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Wedged in Mangrove Trees	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 8.60478 (W) W83 01.7523
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	white
Vessel Length:	15' 5"
Vessel Registration:	FL6955LM
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	YES
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	7,008.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282



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Levy County Visitors Bureau  
607 SW 1st Avenue  
Williston, Florida 32696

RE: Derelict Vessel Number FWNC21OFF3743

Dear Tisha Whitehurst:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) has investigated the vessel described below and determined the vessel is abandoned and derelict as defined in sections 705.103 and 823.11, Florida Statutes. FWC has provided notice to the last known owner/custodian of the vessel and afforded him/her an opportunity for a hearing compliant with fundamental procedural due process.. Your agency is now authorized to remove and dispose of the following vessel on behalf of FWC:

- Vessel Make: Scout
- Vessel Model: *Open Motorboat*
- Vessel Hull Identification Number: SLPA8939L900
- Vessel Registration Number: FL6955LM
- Vessel Length: 15' 5"
- Vessel Color: White
- Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 8.60478/W82 01.7523
- Vessel Location Description: Wedged in mangrove trees

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

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FWC Case: FWNC-21-OFF-003743 dvId: 16851 P151 FWC
Main

Vessel Report: Abandoned Derelict NOAA ADV Case

Inc Summary #: FWNC 21 -OFF- 003743 Search: Search

Was This Derelict Vessel Caused by Hurricane Yes No Hurricane Name:

Reg/Doc#: FL6955LM Length: 15' 5" Make: Scout HIN: SLPA8939L900

Vessel Currently Registered Yes No Registration Expiration Date: 11/18/2020 State: FL

Hull Material: Wood Fiberglass Metal Rubber Concrete Other

Color: WHITE Motor Attached: Yes No Motor Type: outboard

Vessel Type: OYSTER / TRAP BOAT-POWER VESSEL-C Vessel Style: POWER VESSEL Vessel Use: COMMERCIAL

Name on Vessel: N/A Other Identifiers: N/A Floating: Yes No

Vessel Owner/Custodian - First Name: JOHN Last Name: PRICE MI: K

Date of Birth: 11/18/1982 Drivers License #: D731701030030 DL State: FL

Boat Registration - Address: 18392 US HIGHWAY 90

City: LIVE OAK State: FL Zip: 32060 Other Id:

Physical Location of Vessel: IN MANGROVES NEAR NUMBER 3 CHANNEL

County: LEVY Latitude: 29 8.60478 N Longitude: 083 01.7523 W Validate Map Location Changed - See Narrative

PART A: (Abandoned Only: Complete Part A & C)

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Wrecked Junked Substantially Dismantled Abandoned at a Florida Port Docked/Grounded/Beached on Property of Another

PART C:

Additional Vessel Information (Check All That Apply):

Other Property Damage: Yes No Explain: Preventing mangrove growth

Afloat Adrift In Wetlands Washed Ashore Sunk Pulled to Shore Aground Tied to Dock Tied to Object Vessel is Below Mean High Water Line Vessel is Above Mean High Water Line Listing Capsized Burned Broken Up Stripped

Derelict Cause: Unknown Natural Disaster Other (Explain):

Location Owner: State of Florida Waters State Submerged Lands Federal Property Other (Explain): Mangrove Island

Location Owner - First Name: MI: Last Name: Address: City: State: Zip:

Is Vessel Submerged: Yes No % Submerged: 50 Depth in feet: 2

Vessel Threat / Damage

Table with 4 columns: Threat/Damage, Yes, No, Unknown, and How (Explain) CHANGE. Row 1: Threat to Navigation, Yes (checkbox), No (checkbox), Unknown (checkbox), N/A

Damage to Submerged Lands	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	unsure
Is Sea Grass Damage Evident	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Some grass
Is Coral Damage Evident	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No coral present
Is Mangrove Damage Evident	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	wedged in mangrove trees
Is Fuel/Oil Leaking Evident	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shine on water in bilge
Danger to Environment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	fuel in the bilge
Towed Without Repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A

**Recommended Disposition:**  **Remove from Water**  **Take to Landfill**  
 **Recycle Metal**  **Have Owner/Custodian Remove**  
 **Turn Over to Another**  **Leave As Is**

**Attach required Incident Report Narrative (FWCDLE 045A) to describe your diligent search efforts.**

FWC Officer: Bell, Corrie

Date Submitted 5/27/2021

If not FWC, complete following Other Agency information:

Officer - Last Name: Bell

First Name: Corrie

Agency Name:

FWC

Reviewed by: Robert Johnston 07/27/2021

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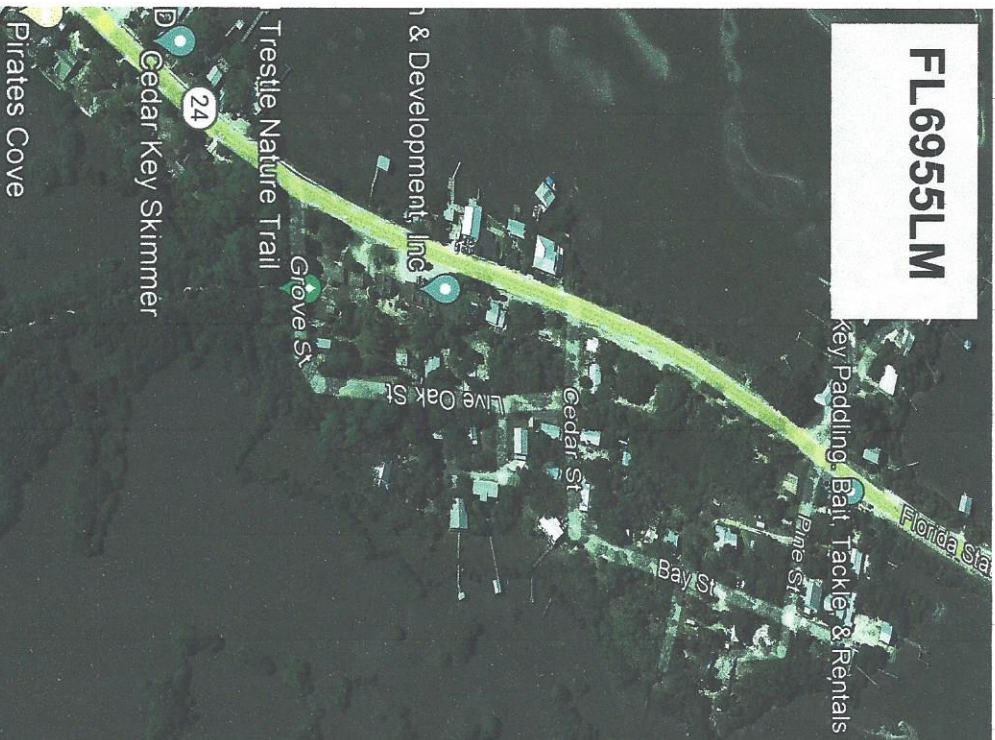
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 John Kyle Price

**Legend**

-  ? Cedar Key Marina II
-  Gypsy Wind

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 1000 ft

**Attachment A**

(Submit one (1) sheet for each vessel requested in grant application)

**Derelict Vessel Data Sheet**

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC09OFF003663
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	YES
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Submerged in Withlacoochee River upriver (East) from USCG Station Yankeetown on North side of River	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 1.93182 (W) W082 42.07548
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	white
Vessel Length:	35
Vessel Registration:	Unknown
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	NO
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	26,880.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282





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Tisha Whitehurst  
Levy County Visitors Bureau  
607 SW 1st Avenue.  
Williston, Florida 32696

RE: Derelict Vessel Number FWNC09OFF003663

Dear Tisha Whitehurst:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) has investigated the vessel described below and determined the vessel is abandoned and derelict as defined in sections 705.103 and 823.11, Florida Statutes. FWC has provided notice to the last known owner/custodian of the vessel and afforded him/her an opportunity for a hearing compliant with fundamental procedural due process. Your agency is now authorized to remove and dispose of the following vessel on behalf of FWC:

Vessel Make: Sport Trawl  
Vessel Model: N/A  
Vessel Hull Identification Number: Unknown  
Vessel Registration Number: Unknown  
Vessel Length: 35 Feet  
Vessel Color: White  
Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 1.93182 /W082 42.07548  
Vessel Location Description: Submerged in Withlacoochee River upriver (East) from USCG Station Yankeetown on North side of River

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

This authorization permits only (1) the destruction of the vessel identified above and (2) the removal and less any salvage value obtained by the disposal of the property of salvageable material from this vessel pursuant to subsection 705.103(4), Florida Statutes. Any other use of the vessel is not authorized. This letter does not authorize the removal of any vessels other than the vessel identified above.



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Once you have informed me the vessel has been removed and I have photographic documentation of the removal and destruction, FWC will request the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles cancel the title and registration for the vessel.

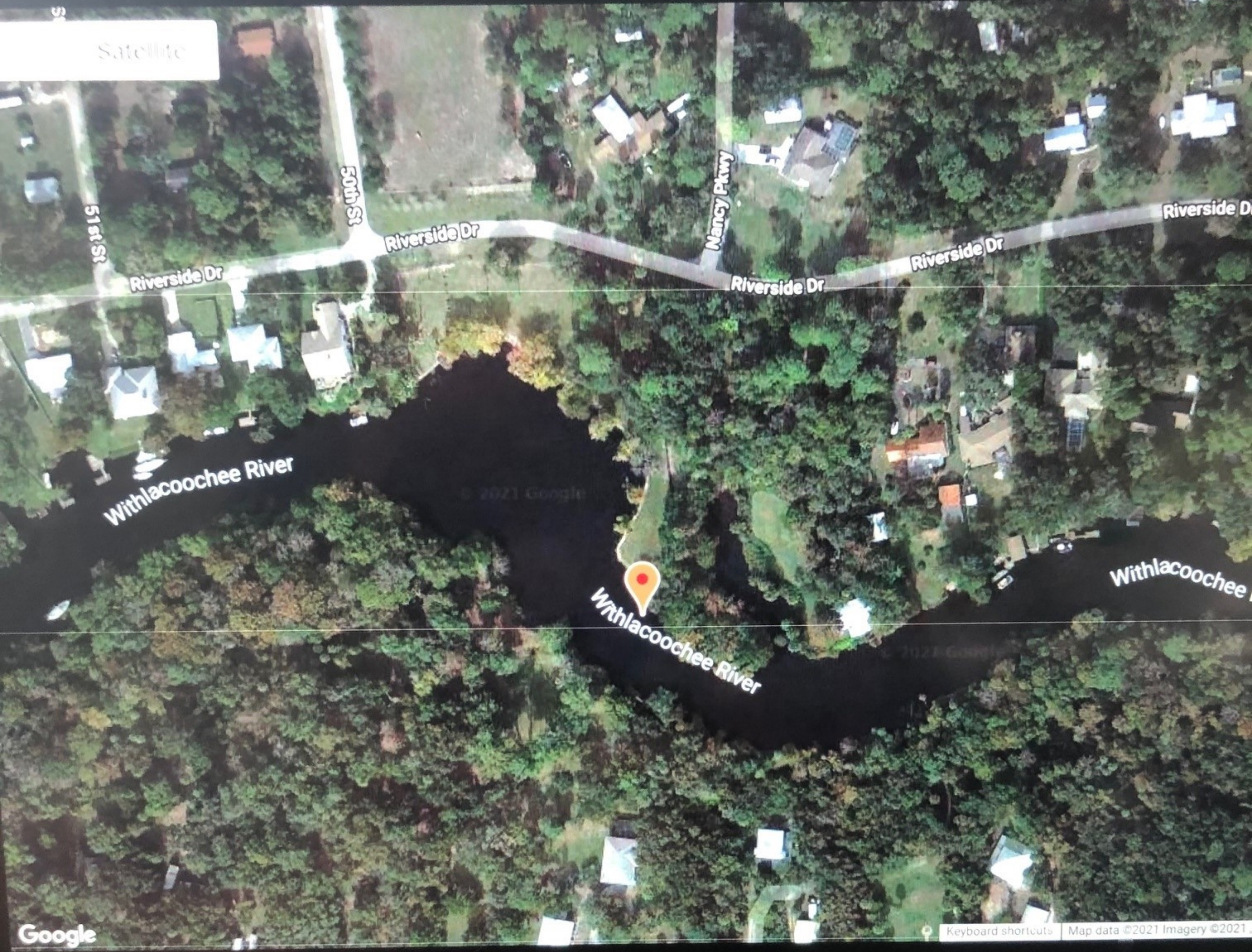
Please contact me if you have any other question

Sincerely,

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**Attachment A**

(Submit one (1) sheet for each vessel requested in grant application)

**Derelict Vessel Data Sheet**

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC21OFF005754
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	NO
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. In State Waters NNE of the Shell Pile Boat Ramp in Cedar Key.	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 8.64498 (W) W083 02.10942
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	white
Vessel Length:	45
Vessel Registration:	FL 3630 BN
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	YES
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	48,300.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
Contractor's Phone	407-921-9282



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Levy County Visitors Bureau  
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Williston, Florida 32696

RE: Derelict Vessel Case Number FWNC21OFF005573

Dear Tisha Whitehurst:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) has investigated the vessel described below and determined the vessel is abandoned and derelict as defined in sections 705.103 and 823.11, Florida Statutes. FWC has provided notice to the last known owner/custodian of the vessel and afforded him/her an opportunity for a hearing compliant with fundamental procedural due process. Your Agency is now authorized to remove and dispose of the following vessel on behalf of the FWC:

Vessel Make: BMF Houseboat

Vessel Model: Unknown

Vessel Hull Identification Number: BMF450160773

Vessel Registration Number: FL 3630 BN

Vessel Color: White

Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 8.64498 W083 02.10942

Vessel Location Description: In State Waters NNE of the Shell Pile Boat Ramp in Cedar Key.

Please photograph the removal and destruction of the vessel and email the images to the email address provided below after the removal is complete. If you will be unable to take or provide the necessary images, please contact me in advance so an FWC officer can attend and document the vessel removal and destruction. Please also notify me of the total cost incurred for the removal and destruction of this vessel. If an owner/custodian can be identified, FWC will send a demand letter to the owner/custodian on your behalf seeking to recover your costs.

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Once you have informed me the vessel has been removed and I have photographic documentation of the removal and destruction, FWC will request the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles cancel the title and registration for the vessel.



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Please contact me if you have any other questions.

Sincerely,

Officer William Robson N998  
10247 North Suncoast Boulevard  
Crystal River, FL 34428  
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386-438-9013



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# Derelict Vessel

FWNC21OFF5754

## Legend

-  Derelict Vessel
-  Shell Pile Boat Ramp

Derelict Vessel

Shell Pile Boat Ramp









**Attachment A**

(Submit one (1) sheet for each vessel requested in grant application)

## Derelict Vessel Data Sheet

Law Enforcement Case Number:	FWNC21OFF000823
County of Vessel's Location:	Levy
Has the vessel's owner or responsible party been charged with a violation of either Section 823.11, F.S. or Section 376.15, F.S.?	YES
If the vessel's owner or responsible party has not been charged with a violation of Section 823.11, F.S. or section 376.15, F.S., did law enforcement request that the State Attorney file charges directly?	NO
Describe the vessel's location: (example: Vessel is in shallow water within mangroves at boat ramp. Submerged in Withlacoochee River at 6601 Riverside Drive	
Vessel Coordinates: (Degrees-Decimal Minutes)	(N) N29 1.57788 (W) W082 43.16148
Has law enforcement officer issued a Letter of Removal Authorization:	YES
Vessel Color:	black
Vessel Length:	50
Vessel Registration:	DO658944
Investigating Agency:	FL FWC
Photo of Vessel: (include photos as attachment in this tab)	NO
Select Removal Type:	BULK REMOVAL
Are there pollutants on the vessel requiring removal?	NO
Is the vessel located in or above seagrass or coral?	NO
Vessel Removal Cost (Include contractors written quote for the vessel)	51,100.00
Contractor's Name:	Live Flyer, Inc.
Contractor's Address:	647 Mill Road, Carrabelle, FL 32322
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Vessel Make: Landry

Vessel Model: N/A

Vessel Hull Identification Number: DO658944

Vessel Registration Number: DO658944

Vessel Length: 50 Feet

Vessel Color: Black

Vessel Location Latitude/Longitude: N29 1.57788/W082 43.16148

Vessel Location Description: Submerged in Withlacoochee River at 6601  
Riverside Drive Yankeetown, Fl. 34498

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# FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

## Derelict Vessel Removal Grant Program

Instructions for completing the FWC Derelict Vessel Removal Grant Application

### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

#### PLEASE READ THE DERELICT VESSEL REMOVAL GRANT PROGRAM GUIDELINES BEFORE PROCEEDING TO THE APPLICATION

- Submit one (1) original of the application with attachments.
- Application may be mailed or emailed to FWC for submissions.
- Staple application in upper left-hand corner, or clip with one binder clip. **Do not place in a spiral binder, three-ring binder, or report cover.**
- Place a tabbed divider between each attachment. Each vessel within the overall project will be a separate section of the application. A Separate removal quote must be given for each vessel in the project. A single quote for all vessels will not be acceptable. The total project cost must be given in the application.
- Make all photocopies of attachments on 8 1/2" x 11" paper.

<b>I. APPLICANT INFORMATION</b>	
a. Applicant:	Enter the name of the governmental entity applying for the grant.
b. Federal Employer ID. No.:	Enter the applicant's Federal Employer Identification (FEID) Number. Payment will be sent to the address associated with this FEID number.
c. Project Manager Name: Title:	Enter the name and title of the person in charge of the project. All correspondence will be sent to this person.
d. Mailing Address:	Enter the mailing address for the Project Manager. All correspondence will be sent to this address.
e. Shipping Address:	Enter the physical address for the Project Manager (no post office boxes) for delivery of overnight mail.
f. Telephone No. Fax No.: Email:	Enter the telephone number, fax number, and email address where the Project Manager may be contacted during regular business hours.
g. District Numbers:	Enter the District numbers for the State House and State Senate.
<b>II. PROJECT SUMMARY</b>	
a. Project Title:	Enter total project monetary cost, including only the eligible project elements for grant funding. Enter the total funds requested from this program.
b. Project Goal(s)	Provide a description of the intended goal(s) of the project in relation to removing derelict vessels from waters of the state to enhance the environment and boater safety.
c. Project Cost:	Enter total project monetary cost, including only eligible project elements for grant funding. Enter the total funds requested from this program.

d. Project Type(s):	Indicate by checking the appropriate box whether this is a Bulk Derelict Vessel Removal Grant application or a Rapid Removal Derelict Vessel Grant Application.
e. Scope of Work/Detailed Project Summary:	Enter project monetary cost, including only the eligible project elements for grant funding. Enter the total funds requested from this program.
<b>III. RAPID REMOVAL PROJECT JUSTIFICATION</b>	
Briefly describe why this project is urgent such that it should not be evaluated and funded under the Bulk Derelict Vessel Removal process. Specifically explain how the vessel is in danger of imminent sinking or breaking apart or is a critical danger to public safety or the environment, such that the vessel should be considered for rapid removal.	
<b>IV. PROJECT OUTCOMES</b>	
a. List the number of total derelict vessels that exist in the project's jurisdiction. List percentage of total active derelict vessels that will be removed by completion of this project. (Use the Statewide Derelict Vessel Database as source of total numbers)	
b. Explain procedures to be used to gauge the effectiveness of the project in order to evaluate contractor's completeness of removal and post environmental damage assessment.	
<b>V. BUDGET</b>	
a. Has a detailed cost estimate been developed for this project?	Indicate whether a preliminary or final cost estimate has been developed. If yes, attach a copy of the estimate to the application.
<b>VI. OTHER SOURCE OF FUNDS (Partnerships)</b>	
a. Funding Source:	Check source of funds: Federal grant, State/Local grant or loan.
b. Grant Name:	Enter name of grant program.
c. Approval Status:	Enter status of grant/loan application. If "Intending to Apply," enter date of application deadline.
<b>VII. Law Enforcement case date (Include a lien for each derelict vessel that you are requesting be removed as part of this project.)</b>	
a. Agency:	Enter the name of the governmental agency that conducted the derelict vessel investigation.
b. Agency Case Number:	Enter the investigating agency's case number pertaining to this vessel's law enforcement investigation.
c. Vessel Registration:	Enter the vessel registration number if one exists.
d. Vessel Make;	Enter the make of the derelict vessel, if known.
e. Vessel Length:	Enter the length of the derelict vessel, if known.
f. Vessel Removal Quote:	Enter the removal cost estimate for this specific vessel. <b>(Each vessel must have its own removal cost estimate)</b>
<b>VII. APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS</b>	
Please place a tabbed divider between each attachment. Submit one (1) original (with original signature) by paper copy via mail, or email the entire application and supporting documentation to <a href="mailto:DVGrant@MyFWC.com">DVGrant@MyFWC.com</a>	
Completed applications should include: cover letter, application form, delegation of authority, project proposal, contractor quotes, and required attachments as referenced in the Derelict Vessel Grant guidelines.	



**Scope of Work**  
**FWC - Levy County, FL BOCC Derelict Vessel Removal**

The Levy County, FL Board of County Commissioners is working with local FWC officials to locate, document and officially record all derelict vessels that pose a hazard in our regional/county waterways to the environment, residents, and boaters. There are approximately eleven (11) derelict vessels that Levy County will contract salvage/ vessel removal professionals to have these vessels safely removed from Levy County coastal water ways.

The contractors/vendors who will be contracted to environmentally friendly and safely remove the eleven (11) derelict vessels identified by local and regional FWC staff. The contractors/vendors selected will carry out the removal of derelict vessels from the waters of the state, transport the vessels or vessel's parts to an approved landfill facility and destroy the vessels. The contractors/vendors selected will use Florida Fish and Wildlife Best Management Practices for Derelict Vessel Removal. These include protective measures and equipment to prevent erosion and pollution during removal.

## FL FWC: Levy County, FL Derelict Vessel Removal Grant

Administrative:	\$	-
RFP and Vendor Selection	\$	-
Public Notice	\$	-

### Vendor Costs

Mobilization	\$	35,613.00
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### Vessel Removal costs(s):

FWNC21OFF000980	27'	FL6504LU	Oday	Sailboat	\$	12,744.00
FWNC21OFF003483	38'	FL4483BR	Hacker	Cabin Cruiser	\$	26,866.00
FWNC05OFF004397	50'	DO941976	Homemade	Comm Fish	\$	51,100.00
FWNC19OFF004923	42'	DO239825	Elco Marine	Cabin Cruiser	\$	38,976.00
FWNC21OFF005573	27'	Unknown	Unknown	Sailboat	\$	12,744.00
FWNC21OFF000725	39'	DO645387	Unknown	Comm Trawler	\$	38,961.00
FWNC21OFF000823	50'	DO658944	Landry	Comm Trawler	\$	51,100.00
FWNC21OFF000959	28'	FL0230FF	San Juan	Sailboat	\$	12,768.00
FWNC21OFF003743	16'	FL6955LM	Scout	Open Motorboat	\$	7,008.00
FWNC09OFF003663	35'	Unknown	Sport Trawl	Trawler	\$	26,880.00
FWNC21OFF005754	45'	FL3630BN	BMF Houseboat	Houseboat	\$	48,300.00

<b>sub-total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>327,447.00</b>
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<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>363,060.00</b>
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