Information for Purchasing Pre-Sale Specialty License Plate Vouchers

- House Bill 1135 will go into effect October 1, 2020. However, programming for the new specialty license plates will not be available until October 16, 2020. On October 16, 2020, customers can purchase the vouchers at all county tax collector offices and license plate agencies in Florida.

- The presale time-period is October 16, 2020 – October 15, 2022. The organizations have 2-years for 3,000 pre-sale vouchers or 4,000 pre-sale vouchers for out-of-state colleges or universities to be sold.

- Specialty license plates will be issued in the order they appear in Florida Statute 320.08058, provided the organization has met the presale requirement.

- Anyone can purchase a voucher. However, the Receiving Customer must have a vehicle in their name, as owner or co-owner, to redeem the voucher.

- When someone wants to purchase a voucher, they need to tell the clerk which specialty license plate voucher they would like to purchase.

- If they are buying the voucher for themselves, they will be the Purchasing Customer and Receiving Customer. They will need to provide their driver license number or date of birth to the clerk.

- If they are buying the voucher for someone else, they will be the Purchasing Customer; the Receiving Customer will be the person they are giving the voucher to. They will need to provide their driver license number as the Purchasing Customer and the name, date of birth or driver license number of the Receiving Customer to the clerk.

- The voucher fee is the specialty license plate fee $25, processing fee $5, service fee and branch fee $3. The voucher fee is $33.00.

- When the transaction has been processed, the customer will receive with a Specialty License Plate Voucher Receipt.

- Once all requirements have been met, the department will place the order for the specialty license plate. When they are manufactured, they will be sent to the county tax collector offices and will be distributed to the license plate agencies in their county.

- After the specialty license plates are shipped, the department will send a letter to all the Receiving Customers. The letter will provide instructions on how to redeem their voucher.

- At the end of the 2-year period, if the organization has not met the 3,000 pre-sale vouchers or 4,000 pre-sale vouchers for out-of-state colleges or universities the department will discontinue the specialty license plate voucher and it will no longer be available for sale. If this happens, customers that purchased the voucher can use the credit toward another specialty license plate or request a refund.

- Only 150 specialty license plates will be available at any given time.

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