Emergency Order 051722
Emergency Management—Miami-Dade County Extension
Pursuant to Executive Orders 21-148, 21-174, 21-210, 21-247, 22-15, 22-76, and 22-113

WHEREAS, on June 24, 2021, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order ("EO") 21-148; on July 22, 2021, issued EO 21-174; on September 20, 2021, issued EO 21-210; on November 19, 2021, issued EO 21-247; on January 18, 2022, issued EO 22-15; on March 21, 2022, issued EO 22-76; and on May 16, 2022, issued EO 22-113, declaring and extending a state of emergency in Miami-Dade County, in response to the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida.

WHEREAS, the Governor, in EO 21-148, EO 21-174, EO 21-210, EO 21-247, EO 22-15, EO 22-76, and EO 22-113 granted the State Coordinating Officer with the authority to suspend the effect of any statute, rule, or order that would in any way prevent, hinder, or delay any mitigation, response, or recovery action necessary to cope with the emergency.

WHEREAS, state law imposes statutory fees associated with the replacement of driver licenses, identification cards, vehicle and vessel registrations and titles, license plates, validation stickers and disabled parking permits.

WHEREAS, there is unpreventable loss of driver licenses, identification cards, vehicle and vessel registrations and titles, license plates, validation stickers and disabled parking permits due to the major structural building collapse located at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida.
WHEREAS, replacement driver licenses, identification cards, vehicle and vessel registrations and titles, license plates, validation stickers and disabled parking permits need to be issued during this state of emergency due to no fault of individuals affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida.

WHEREAS, HSMV Emergency Order 032222, which expires on May 17, 2022, provided specified motor vehicle and driver license/identification card replacement fee relief to individuals affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TERRY L. RHODES, Executive Director of the Department, pursuant to the authority granted by the State Coordinating Officer pursuant to EO 21-148, EO 21-174, EO 21-210, EO 21-247, EO 22-15, EO 22-76, and EO 22-113 promulgate the following Emergency Order to take immediate effect, immediately:

Section 1. I hereby waive replacement fees for driver license and identification card credentials pursuant to section 322.21, F.S., for any customer adversely affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida, in a way that caused the customer to lose their driver license or identification card.

Section 2. I hereby waive replacement fees for vehicle registrations pursuant to section 320.0607, F.S., for any customer adversely affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida, in a way that caused the customer to lose their vehicle registration(s).

Section 3. I hereby waive replacement fees for vehicle titles pursuant to section 319.32, F.S., for any customer adversely affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida, in a way that caused the customer to lose their vehicle title(s).

Section 4. I hereby waive replacement fees for disabled parking permits pursuant to section 320.0848, F.S., for any customer adversely affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida, in a way that caused the customer to lose their disabled parking permit(s).
Section 5. I hereby waive replacement fees for vessel registrations pursuant to section 328.72, F.S., for any customer adversely affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida, in a way that caused the customer to lose their vessel registration(s).

Section 6. I hereby waive replacement fees for vessel titles pursuant to section 328.11, F.S., for any customer adversely affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida, in a way that caused the customer to lose their vessel title(s).

Section 7. I hereby waive replacement fees for license plates and validation stickers pursuant to sections 320.06, 320.0607 and 320.0609, F.S., for any customer adversely affected by the major structural building collapse at 8777 Collins Avenue in Surfside, Florida, in a way that caused the customer to lose their license plate(s) and validation sticker(s).

Section 8. All such waivers applied with respect to this state of emergency before the issuance of this Emergency Order and issued under the authority of EO 21-148, EO 21-174, EO 21-210, EO 21-247, EO 22-15, EO 22-76, and EO 22-113 are ratified. This Emergency Order takes effect immediately and shall expire at midnight on July 15, 2022, or on the rescission or expiration of this Emergency Order or EO 22-113, whichever is earlier.

Executed this 17th day of May, 2022.

TERRY L. RHODES, Executive Director