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FlaglerSupports.biz hosts webinar Thursday to assist sole proprietors, 1099s

April 1, 2020 – Flagler County offices of Tourism Development and Economic Development are hosting a webinar Thursday to assist businesses navigate available program funding for sole proprietors, 1099s, and gig workers.

The webinar will be held 11 a.m. Thursday, April 23, at https://zoom.us/j/95657854590.

“We have invited Robin King, President of CareerSource Flagler Volusia,” said Economic Development Manager Kat Friel. “We will discuss the short-term compensation program, reemployment benefits assistance, getting people back to work, and will close with a question and answer session.”

Additional webinars will be held in the future for other segments of business and industry – next week will be a session for nonprofit businesses. Watch for details.

“Professionals who have experience filing claims, or who have a broader understanding and knowledge of the programs available to businesses, are invited to participate as panelists for upcoming webinars,” said Economic Development Manager Kat Friel.

She can be reached at 386-313-4070, or by email at kfriel@flaglercounty.org.

All residents and businesses must abide by Executive and Emergency Orders, and follow Florida Department of Health and CDC guidance, to include:

- Staying home except when engaged in essential services or activities
- Wearing cloth face coverings when out in public
- Practicing aggressive social distancing at all times – people should keep a minimum of 6 feet of space between one another, and keep groups to less than 10, which includes while shopping and waiting in the check-out line
- Frequent hand washing for at least 20 seconds, or use an alcohol-based (at least 60% alcohol) hand sanitizer when soap and water are not available
• Avoiding close contact with people who are, or may be, sick

Additionally, those who are sick and/or told to self-isolate are to: remain at home unless seeking medical care, cover coughs and sneezes, wear a facemask around others, and disinfect touched surfaces daily.

COVID-19 health related questions or concerns should be directed to your regular healthcare provider or the Florida Health hotline at 866-779-6121.

COVID-19 business concerns should be directed to the Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation at 866-532-1440.

All other COVID-19 government services questions or concerns may be directed to a specific municipality or the Emergency Operations Center at 386-313-4200.

Check for current information on Flagler County’s website www.flaglercounty.org, and follow “Flagler County Government” or “Flagler County Emergency Management” on Social Media. The county’s social media team will provide updates through these official accounts:

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