

STATE OF FLORIDA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 2021E-10

WHEREAS, the people of the State of Florida, by constitutional amendment, have declared that a public office is a public trust and the people have a right to secure and sustain that trust against abuse; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida Commission on Ethics has been created to assure that public officers and employees do not abuse the trust placed in them; and

WHEREAS, Bruce Greenlee is at all times material hereto a former Director of Transportation for the Levy County School Board, and as such was subject to the provisions of the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees, Part III of Chapter 112, Florida Statutes, and subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission on Ethics; and

WHEREAS, in the Final Order and Public Report No. 19-109 rendered on September 18, 2019, the Commission on Ethics found that Bruce Greelee violated section 112.313(6), Florida Statutes, by by exhibiting inappropriate behavior toward a staff member; and

WHEREAS, the Governor accepts the findings, conclusions, and recommendations of the Commission on Ethics Final Order and Public Report No. 19-109.

NOW THEREFORE, I, RON DESANTIS, Governor of Florida, in obedience to my constitutional duty to take care that the laws be faithfully executed, and pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of Florida, issue this Executive Order, effective immediately, declaring that:

1. Bruce Greenlee violated section 112.313(6), Florida Statutes, by exhibiting inappropriate behavior toward a member of his staff.

2. A civil penalty in the amount of \$4,000 for the violation of sections 112.313(6), is hereby imposed against Pesano, which shall be satisfied within thirty (30) days of the date of this order. Payment must be submitted with a written statement under oath by Greenlee that the penalty amount was not paid with public funds and will not be reimbursed with public funds.

4. Bruce Greenlee is hereby publicly censured and reprimanded.



Ron DeSantis

GOVERNOR

DATE: January 28, 2021

By:

Handwritten signature of James Uthmeier.

James Uthmeier

ACTING GENERAL COUNSEL

On behalf of and by the authority of Governor Ron DeSantis

ATTEST:

Handwritten signature of Laurel M. Lee.

Laurel M. Lee

SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FL

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