STATE OF FLORIDA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 24-238

WHEREAS, hunting and fishing have a celebrated history in Florida including Florida's recognition as the "Fishing Capital of the World"; and

WHEREAS, generations of Floridians have contributed to conserving Florida's abundant natural resources and encouraging participation in Florida's rich sporting heritage to recruit new hunters and anglers and increase public awareness of the connection between hunting, angling, and going outdoors with conservation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RON DESANTIS, Governor of the State of Florida, by virtue of the authority vested in me by Article IV, Section 1(a) of the Florida Constitution and by all other applicable laws, promulgate the following Executive Order to take immediate effect:

Section 1. The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission is authorized to temporarily offer Florida residents a 50 percent discount on recreational license fees for the annual Gold Sportsman license, 5-year Gold Sportsman license, and the Lifetime Sportsman license for youth 17 years of age or younger. In addition, the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission will offer a resident annual freshwater fishing/saltwater fishing combination license for \$5.00.

Section 2. These reduced fees shall be offered from October 25, 2024, through January 3,

2025.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed, at Tallahassee, this 25th day of October, 2024.

RON DESANTIS, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPARTMENT OF STATE