

Solicitation of Contributions

July 1, 2024 Statutory Changes

496.406(1)(d)

Specifies that charitable organizations may be exempt from registration based on total contributions during a fiscal year, rather than total revenue. This change would still require charitable organizations to submit an application however, it may exempt you from the fee based on your total contributions. If an organization or sponsor has less than \$50,000 in total contributions during its immediately preceding fiscal year and whose fundraising and other activities are carried out by unpaid personnel, the organization shall submit the Solicitation of Contributions Small Charitable Organization Sponsors Application, FDACS-10110.

Note: If at any time during its fiscal year a charitable organization or sponsor that has filed with FDACS as a small charity/sponsor acquires total contributions equal to or in excess of \$50,000, the charitable organization or sponsor must complete the Solicitation of Contributions Registration Application, FDACS-10100 as required by Section 496.405, Florida Statutes (F.S.), within 30 days after the date the contributions reach \$50,000.

496.407(3)

Financial Statement

Removes the 180-day extension for the financials. If completing the Solicitation of Contributions Registration Application FDACS-10100, you may request an extension for filing of the financial statement only. To request an extension, you must submit documentation showing the allowed extension from the IRS. FDACS will grant an extension date that matches the date allowed by the IRS. Failure to file a financial statement by the extension date allowed will result in automatic suspension of your registration.

Please note: Organizations completing Solicitation of Contributions Small Charitable Organizations/Sponsors Application FDACS-10110 are not eligible to request the extension.

496.405

Updates the fee structure by removing the \$10 fee for those organizations that received less than \$50,000 in contributions.

496.404

Defines and clarifies the term “street address” instead of the term “residence address,” “mailing address,” or “home address”. This term is updated in multiple sections throughout the statute. In addition, it defines that the term “street address” does not include a virtual office, a post office box, or a mail drop.



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