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RE: Commercial Debris Pickup for Hurricane Helene

Executive Order 24-214 from the Governor of the State of Florida, dated October 5, 2024 states in section 4. C. 1.

- C. In accordance with section 252.38(3), Florida Statutes, each political subdivision within the State of Florida may waive the procedures and formalities otherwise required of the political subdivision by law pertaining to:
- 1) Performance of public work and taking whatever prudent action necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the community;

Hernando County was impacted by Hurricane Helene, with approximately 35,000 Cubic Yards of Debris from residents and commercial properties that need to be recovered. Hurricane Milton is expected to impact the county, and cause potential for high winds to cause further damage and potential life-threatening projectiles.

We request to be able to have our residential storm debris contractor pick up the commercial debris.

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Hernando County Administrator