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January 21, 2026

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC NUISANCE VESSEL
REGISTRATION #FL1693LJ, DECAL #08029041**

TO:

Name and Address of Registered Owner of Vessel or his Lawful Agent:

Richard Edward Zielinski
328 52nd St. W, Palmetto, FL 34221,
and 218 Lewis Blvd. SE, St. Petersburg, FL 33705
and 825 Tagura Rd., Kodiak, Alaska 99615

(Sent to the Registered Owner via U.S. Mail, Certified Mail, Return-Receipt-Requested)

Name and Address of Purchaser/Owner of Vessel or his Lawful Agent:

Jahson Morrison Imgrund
12121 Little Road, Unit 195, Hudson, FL 34667
and 15160 Demery Road, Brainerd, Minnesota 56401

(Sent to the Purchaser via U.S. Mail, Certified Mail, Return-Receipt-Requested)

Name and Address of Owner of Land Abutting or Adjacent to Location of Public Nuisance Vessel, if Vessel Owner is Unknown:

Not Applicable.

*(Sent to Owner of Land via U.S. Mail, Certified Mail, Return-Receipt-Requested
Not applicable)*

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED:

Our records indicate that you are the owner(s) or lawful agent of the owner of the following vessel in Hernando County, Florida:

Make and Model: 46' Bertram Yachts Sportfish, built 1987
Hull #: BERP0978K687
Registration #: FL1693LJ
Decal #: 08029041 (expired)
Vessel Name: "Eighty"

An inspection of this vessel and its surrounds was conducted. The inspector found and determined that a public nuisance exists thereon so as to constitute a violation of the Hernando

County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 7, Article V, titled Vessel Mooring and Nuisance Vessel Removal in that:

The vessel is unlawfully moored (or grounded) in the Chassahowitzka Bay, just south of Marker 22, in Hernando County, Florida, GPS-N28.40.272 by W82.39.225. The vessel is derelict in that it lacks functioning motors; transom scuppers are taped up with crab trap buoys; all hull fittings appear to be taped up; rear door leading into galley is open and contents inside the vessel appear scattered throughout; engine covers are off and in different stages of possible repair; port side windows are broken allowing rain inside; blinds are stained; in two upper stations it appears all electronics have been removed. No obvious signs of a crime were observed during inspection.

Demand is hereby made that you cause the above-described condition to be remedied. You are hereby notified that unless the condition above-described is remedied and made non-violative of the Hernando County Vessel Mooring and Nuisance Removal Code within twenty (20) days from the date hereof, Hernando County will proceed to remedy this condition and the cost of the work, including advertising costs and other expenses, will be imposed as a lien on the vessel if not otherwise paid within thirty (30) days after receipt of billing. See Chapter 7, Article V, Hernando County Code of Ordinances, and all other applicable federal, state and local laws, for all remedies available to Hernando County to abate, and recover costs of such abatement, of the above-described public nuisance.

Within twenty (20) days of the date hereof, you may make written request to the Hernando County Board of County Commissioners ("the Board") at 20 N. Main St., Suite 462, Brooksville, FL 34601, for a hearing before that body to show that the condition alleged in this Notice does not exist or that such condition does not constitute a public nuisance. At the hearing, you and the County may introduce such evidence as is deemed necessary. If the Board adjudicates this matter adversely to you, the County Administrator may cause the condition to be remedied by Hernando County at your expense, jointly or severally.

If, within twenty (20) days after the mailing or posting of this Notice, you have not requested a hearing, and the condition described in this Notice has not been remedied and made non-violative of the Hernando County Vessel Mooring and Nuisance Removal Code, the County Administrator shall cause the condition to be remedied by Hernando County at your expense, jointly and severally, as set forth above.

By: 
Jeffrey Rogers, County Administrator
Hernando County, Florida

cc: Melissa A. Tartaglia, Esq., Assistant County Attorney
Officer Steve Snell, Hernando County Sheriff's Office