

**STATE OF FLORIDA
FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

FREDA PARSLEY,

Petitioner,

v.

**DOAH Case No. 20-2028
FWC Case No. 20-0011**

**FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE
CONSERVATION COMMISSION,**

Respondent.

FINAL ORDER

THIS CAUSE came before the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (Commission) on a Petition for a formal administrative hearing (Petition) filed by Freda Parsley (Petitioner or Parsley). The Petition challenged the Commission's determination that Petitioner was responsible for a vessel deemed derelict and abandoned.

STATEMENT OF THE ISSUE

WHEREAS Parsley received notification from the Commission in March 2020 that she was responsible for a vessel deemed derelict and abandoned and of the Commission's intent to destroy that derelict vessel. Petitioner disputed that the vessel was hers.

The matter was referred to the Division of Administrative Hearings (DOAH) on April 2020. The Commission staff received additional information that the Petitioner was not the party responsible for the vessel.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Upon review of the record, the Commission makes the following legal conclusion:

As Executive Director of the Commission or his designee, the undersigned has jurisdiction over this subject matter and authority to enter a final order pursuant to Rule 68-

1.009, Florida Administrative Code, and the Commission's Delegation of Authority, dated February 14, 2013, and in accordance with Section 120.57(2), Florida Statutes.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, since the parties herein have agreed the issue is now moot and DOAH has closed its case and relinquished jurisdiction back to the Commission; it is ORDERED that this matter is closed.

DONE AND ORDERED in Tallahassee, Florida this 8th day of June, 2020.



Jennifer L. Fitzwater for
Thomas H. Eason, Ph.D.
Assistant Executive Director
Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation
Commission

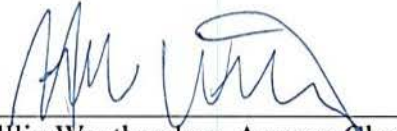
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This 9 day of June, 2020

ATTEST: Hollie Weathersbee
Hollie Weathersbee, Agency Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the above Final Order has been furnished by US mail to Freda Parsley, 312 East Willard Street, Muncie, Indiana 47302; and to Brandy Elliot, Assistant General Counsel, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, at brandy.elliott@myfwc.com; on this 9th day of June, 2020.



Hollie Weathersbee, Agency Clerk
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NOTICE OF APPELLATE RIGHTS

The foregoing constitutes final agency action in this matter. Any party adversely affected has the right to seek judicial review of this Final Order pursuant to Section 120.68, Florida Statutes, and Rules 9.030(b)(1)(C) and 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. To initiate an appeal, a Notice of Appeal must be filed with the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, Legal Office, and the appropriate District Court of Appeal within thirty (30) days for the date this Final Order is filed with the Agency Clerk. The Notice filed with the District Court of Appeal must be accompanied by the appropriate fee required by law.