

BEFORE THE SPECIAL MASTER OF DESOTO COUNTY

DESOTO COUNTY,

Petitioner,

vs.

CASE NO. DG 25-0001
ACTIVITY NO. A25-013005-1

CRAIG LASTINGER

Respondent,

NOTICE OF MANDATORY HEARING

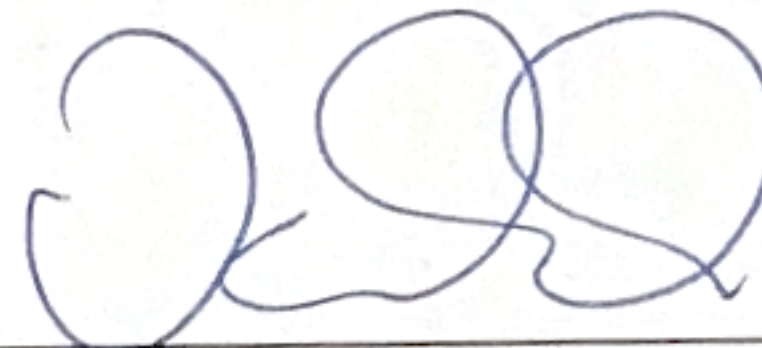
TO: Craig Lastinger
10105 SE Highway 31
Arcadia, FL 34266

You are hereby notified that the DeSoto County Animal Services has scheduled a Dangerous Dog Determination Hearing in accordance with Section 767.12, Florida Statutes, and the DeSoto County Code of Ordinances. The Special Master will hear this matter on **July 01, 2025, at 11:00** or as soon thereafter as this case may be heard, in Room 103, First Floor of the DeSoto County Administration Building, 201 East Oak Street, Arcadia, Florida 34266.

IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CONTACT THE DESOTO COUNTY LEGAL DEPARTMENT IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND (863) 993-4800.

Otherwise, you must be present at this hearing to avoid an order being entered against you solely on the evidence to be presented by the petitioner. If you have witnesses or other evidence bearing on this matter, you should bring them with you at the time of the hearing. If you wish to have witnesses subpoenaed, see the Clerk at once at the DeSoto County Administration Building, 201 East Oak Street, Arcadia, Florida, for assistance. If you decide to appeal any decision made by the Special Master, you will need a record of the proceedings, and, for such purpose, you may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. A copy of Florida Statute 767.11 767.12 and 767.13 and DeSoto County Resolution are enclosed.

You may come with or without an attorney.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the Notice of Mandatory Hearing was furnished to Craig Lastinger, 10105 SE Highway 31, Arcadia, FL 34266 by mail/return receipt requested, this _____ day of _____ 2025.