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President: Noble A. Hull  Speaker: George G. McWhorter  Governor: George F. Drew
9th Session– Under the 1868 Constitution
January 2, 12 Noon through March 2, 12:00 A.M.

1879
Regular Session  
President: Noble A. Hull  Speaker: Charles Dougherty  Governor: George F. Drew
10th Session– Under the 1868 Constitution
January 7, 12 Noon through March 7, 12 Noon

1881
Regular Session  
President: L.W. Bethel  Speaker: Junius J. Harris  Governor: William D. Bloxham
11th Session– Under the 1868 Constitution
January 4 through March 4, 12:00 A.M.

1883
Regular Session  
President: L.W. Bethel  Speaker: Charles Dougherty  Governor: William D. Bloxham
12th Session– Under the 1868 Constitution
January 2, 12 Noon through March 2, 12 Noon

1885
Regular Session  
President: Milton Mabry  Speaker: Robert W. Davis  Governor: Edward A. Perry
13th Session– Under the 1868 Constitution
January 6, 11:00 A.M. through February 12, 12 Noon

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1887
Regular Session  
President: Milton Mabry  Speaker: Samuel Pasco, George H. Browne  Governor: Edward A. Perry
1st Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 5 through June 3, 12:00 A.M.

1889
Extraordinary Session  
President: Patrick Houstoun  Speaker: John L. Gaskins  Governor: Francis P. Fleming
February 5, 12 Noon through February 20, 12 Noon  Proclamation by Governor; (Not printed, referred to on Jrl. p.3)

Regular Session  
President: Joseph B. Wall  Speaker: John L. Gaskins  Governor: Francis P. Fleming
2nd Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 2, 12 Noon through May 31, 12:00 A.M.

1891
Regular Session  
President: Jefferson B. Brown  Speaker: John L. Gaskins  Governor: Francis P. Fleming
3rd Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 7, 12 Noon through June 5, 12:00 A.M.

1893
Regular Session  
President: William H. Reynolds  Speaker: John B. Johnston  Governor: Henry L. Mitchell
4th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 4, 12 Noon through June 2, 12 Noon

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1912
Extraordinary Session  
President: Frederick P. Cone  
Speaker: T. A. Jennings  
Governor: Albert W. Gilchrist
October 1, 12:00 Noon through October 3, 12:00 Noon

City of Jacksonville, re: municipal docks and terminals, including railroads
Acquire property and franchises, re: municipal docks, terminals and railroads
Issue bonds for such purposes
Create certain municipal offices for the City of Jacksonville and prescribe the duties thereof
City of Jacksonville, re: right to widen, extend or deepen the channel of St. Johns River
Authorize and empower the State to pay the expenses of said Special Session

1913
Regular Session  
President: Herbert J. Drane  
Speaker: Ion L. Farris  
Governor: Park Trammell
14th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 8, 12:00 Noon through June 6, 12:00 Noon

1915
Regular Session  
President: Charles E. Davis  
Speaker: Cary A. Hardee  
Governor: Park Trammell
15th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 6, 12:00 Noon through June 4, 12:00 Noon

1917
Regular Session  
President: John B. Johnson  
Speaker: Cary A. Hardee  
Governor: Sidney J. Catts
16th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 3, 12:00 Noon through June 1, 12:00 Noon

1918
Extraordinary Session  
President: John B. Johnson  
Speaker: George H. Wilder  
Governor: Sidney J Catts
November 25, 12:00 Noon through December 7, 12:00 Noon

Enforcement of an amendment to the State Constitution, re: prohibition of alcohol
Forbidding the transportation of intoxicating liquors into and in the State
Protecting citizens from the increase in crime, re: the unrestricted handling and transportation of intoxicating liquors
Revenue laws relating to automobiles
Secure adequate labor, re: planting and cultivating of crops
Induce soldiers returning from the War to become permanent residents of the State

1919
Regular Session  
President: James E. Calkins  
Speaker: George H. Wilder  
Governor: Sidney J. Catts
17th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 8, 12:00 Noon through June 6, 12:00 Noon

1921
Regular Session  
President: W. A. MacWilliams  
Speaker: Frank E. Jennings  
Governor: Cary A. Hardee
18th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 5, 12:00 Noon through June 3, 12:00 Noon

1923
Regular Session  
President: Theo. T. Turnbull  
Speaker: L. D. Edge  
Governor: Cary A. Hardee
19th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
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April 3, 12:00 Noon through June 1, 12:00 Noon

1925

**Regular Session**
President: John S. Taylor  Speaker: A. Y. Milam  Governor: John W. Martin
20th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 7, 12:00 Noon through June 5, 12:00 Midnight

**Extraordinary Session**
President: John S. Taylor  Speaker: A. Y. Milam  Governor: John W. Martin
June 6, 10:00 A.M. through June 6, 12:00 Midnight  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 3481
   Appropriations
   Finance and taxation

**Extraordinary Session**
President: John S. Taylor  Speaker: A. Y. Milam  Governor: John W. Martin
November 17, 10:00 A.M. through November 25, 6:00 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
   Creating the Monroe Water Supply District
   Properly advertised local legislation
   Legislation of a municipal nature

1927

**Regular Session**
President: S. W. Anderson  Speaker: Fred H. Davis  Governor: John W. Martin
21st Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 5, 12:00 Noon through June 3, 12:00 Noon

1929

**Regular Session**
President: J. J. Parrish  Speaker: Samuel W. Getzen  Governor: Doyle E. Carlton
22nd Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 2, 12:00 Noon through May 31, 12:00 Noon

**Extraordinary Session**
President: J. J. Parrish  Speaker: Samuel W. Getzen  Governor: Doyle E. Carlton
June 1, 12:00 Noon through June 20, 12:00 Midnight  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 829
   Finance and taxation
   Appropriations

1931

**Regular Session**
President: Pat Whitaker  Speaker: E. Clay Lewis, Jr.  Governor: Doyle E. Carlton
23rd Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 7, 12:00 Noon through June 5, 12:00 Noon

**Extraordinary Session**
President: Pat Whitaker  Speaker: E. Clay Lewis, Jr.  Governor: Doyle E. Carlton
June 6, 10:00 A.M. through June 25, 12:00 Noon  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 953
   Appropriations for schools
   Ad valorem tax
   Gas tax
   Tax collections

**Extraordinary Session**
President: Pat Whitaker  Speaker: E. Clay Lewis, Jr.  Governor: Doyle E. Carlton
July 7, 10:00 A.M. through July 26, 4:00 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1141
   Appropriations
   Ad valorem tax
   Tax collections
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- Public School Education (Fabisinski Committee)
- Eradication of Mediterranean fruit fly
- Lowell Prison dormitories
- Maximum security building at Raiford
- Appropriation — prison planning
- Expand staff of Parole Commission
- Appropriation — Florida Highway Patrol personnel and construction
- Maximum speed limit
- Real estate advertising
- Appropriation — South Florida Mental Hospital
- Commitment of patients to South Florida Mental Hospital
- Institution for mentally retarded children — Lee County
- Appropriation — construction at Florida Teaching Hospital
Set hour of adjournment through April 2, 1957 (beginning of next regular session)

SINE DIE:
SENATE: August 1, 3:46 P.M. 
HOUSE: August 1, 3:45 P.M.

Neither the Senate nor the House reconvened

1957

Regular Session  
President: W. A. Shands  Speaker: Doyle E. Conner  Governor: LeRoy Collins
36th Session – Under the 1885 Constitution
April 2, 12:00 Noon through May 31
Extended through June 8, 1:00 P.M.  HCR 2078 - Committee on Constitutional Amendments; Jrl. p. 1396
Extended for:
Constitution revision
Finance and taxation

Court of Impeachment - George E. Holt
President: W. A. Shands  Governor: LeRoy Collins
July 8, 11:00 A.M. through August 15, 3:20 P.M.
Senate met July 8-10, 22-26, 29-31, August 1-2, 5-9, 13-15

Extraordinary Session  
President: W. A. Shands  Speaker: Doyle E. Conner  Governor: LeRoy Collins
September 30, 12:00 Noon through October 9, 8:45 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Constitution revision
Reapportionment

1959

Regular Session  
President: Dewey M. Johnson  Speaker: Thomas D. Beasley  Governor: LeRoy Collins
37th Session – Under the 1885 Constitution
April 7, 12:00 Noon through June 5, 3:00 P.M.

1961

Regular Session  
President: W. Randolph Hodges  Speaker: William V. Chappell, Jr.  Governor: Farris Bryant
38th Session – Under the 1885 Constitution
April 4, 12:00 Noon through June 2, 12:00 Noon

1962

Extraordinary Session  
President: W. Randolph Hodges  Speaker: William V. Chappell, Jr.  Governor: Farris Bryant
August 1, 11:00 A.M. through August 11, 7:10 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Reapportionment

Extraordinary Session  
President: Wilson Carraway  Speaker: Mallory E. Horne  Governor: Farris Bryant
November 9, 11:00 A.M. through November 28, 12:00 Midnight  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Reapportionment

1963

Extraordinary Session  
President: Wilson Carraway  Speaker: Mallory E. Horne  Governor: Farris Bryant
January 29, 11:00 A.M. through February 1, 7:50 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Reapportionment
SESSIONS OF THE FLORIDA SENATE
From Statehood, 1845 - Present*
(* House times listed if different)

Regular Session
President: Wilson Carraway  Speaker: Mallory E. Horne  Governor: Farris Bryant
39th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 2, 12:00 Noon through May 31
Extended not to exceed 30 days .......................................................... HCR 2420 – Horne; Jrl. p. 1579
Extended for:
  Taxes
  Junior colleges
SINE DIE:
Set hour of adjournment June 19, 12:00 Noon ........................................... HCR 2541 – Horne; Jrl. p. 1962

Court of Impeachment - Richard Kelly
President: Wilson Carraway  Governor: Farris Bryant
June 14, 2:30 P.M. through September 24, 5:50 P.M.
  Senate met June 14, September 9-13, 16-20, 23-24

1965
Regular Session
President: James E. Connor  Speaker: E. C. Rowell  Governor: Haydon Burns
40th Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 6, 12:00 Noon through June 4, 12:00 Noon
Extra Session
President: James E. Connor  Speaker: E. C. Rowell  Governor: Haydon Burns
June 5, 11:00 A.M. through June 24 .......................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Reapportionment
SINE DIE:
  SENATE: 1:00 P.M.  HOUSE: 2:15 P.M.
Extra Session
President: James E. Connor  Speaker: E. C. Rowell  Governor: Haydon Burns
June 25, 11:00 A.M. through July 2 .......................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Reapportionment
  Congressional redistricting ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 17
Extended through July 14, 12:00 Midnight ............................................. SCR 29-XX (65) – Mathews; Jrl. p. 28
RECESSED: 11:35 A.M.
  Neither the Senate nor the House reconvened.

1966
Extra Session
President: James E. Connor  Speaker: E. C. Rowell  Governor: Haydon Burns
March 2, 11:00 A.M. for 10 days ............................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Reapportionment
SINE DIE:
Set hour of adjournment at 6:15 P.M., March 9 ........................................ SCR 8-X (66) – Mathews; Jrl. p. 36
Special Session (for organization only)  President: Verle A. Pope  Speaker: Ralph D. Turlington  Governor: Haydon Burns
November 15, 10:00 A.M.
  Organization
SENATE: 12:12 P.M.  HOUSE: 3:59 P.M.

1967
Special Session
President: Verle A. Pope  Speaker: Ralph D. Turlington  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
January 9, 9:30 A.M. through January 28 ............................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Constitution revision
  Fixing an early date to vote upon a proposed revised Constitution
Expanded call: .................................................................................. Proclamations by Governor; Jrl. pp. 23, 57
  Reapportionment
Dixie County Board of Public Instruction

SINE DIE:
SENATE: January 28, 12:50 P.M.  HOUSE: Recessed January 26, 11:13 A.M.
The House did not reconvene

Regular Session
President: Verle A. Pope  Speaker: Ralph D. Turlington  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
41st Session– Under the 1885 Constitution
April 4, 11:00 A.M. through June 2
Extended not to exceed 30 days .................................................. SCR 634 - Pope and Mathews; Jrl. p. 302
Extended for:
Appropriations
SINE DIE: July 14, 5:00 P.M.

Extraordinary Session
President: Verle A. Pope  Speaker: Ralph D. Turlington  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
July 24, 10:00 A.M. through July 26, 5:00 P.M.................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 3
Junior college funding
Extended through July 28, 5:00 P.M.................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 8
Expanded call:
Crime-fighting legislation
SINE DIE:
Set hour of adjournment at 3:30 P.M., July 28.................................................. HCR 92-XX(67) – Turlington; Jrl. p. 51

Special Session
President: Verle A. Pope  Speaker: Ralph D. Turlington  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
July 31, 12:00 Noon through August 18, 4:00 P.M.................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 3
Constitution revision
Fixing an early date to vote upon the proposed revised constitution

1968

Special Session
President: Verle A. Pope  Speaker: Ralph D. Turlington  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
January 29, 10:00 A.M. through February 9, 5:00 P.M.................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 3
Constitutional amendments – education
Extended through February 16, 5:00 P.M.................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 72

Special Session
President: Verle A. Pope  Speaker: Ralph D. Turlington  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
June 24, 10:00 A.M. through July 3.................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 92
Constitution revision
Compensation-Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind personnel
Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 112
Interest rates
Juror and witness fees
Sales tax
School finance and taxation
SINE DIE:
Set hour of adjournment at 4:00 P.M., July 3. 

Under the 1968 Constitution, 1968 - Present

**Organization Session**  
*President:* John E. Mathews, Jr.  
*Speaker:* Frederick H. Schultz  
*Governor:* Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
November 12, 10:00 A.M. through 12:54 P.M.

**1969**

**Special Session**  
*President:* John E. Mathews, Jr.  
*Governor:* Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
February 17, 10:00 A.M. through 7:56 P.M. 
Executive suspensions - entire Taylor County Commission

**Regular Session**  
*President:* John E. Mathews, Jr.  
*Speaker:* Frederick H. Schultz  
*Governor:* Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
30th Session – Under the 1885 Constitution
April 8, 11:00 A.M. through June 6, 5:30 P.M.

**Special Session**  
*President:* John E. Mathews, Jr.  
*Speaker:* Frederick H. Schultz  
*Governor:* Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
December 1, 11:00 A.M. for ten days. 
1970 election primary dates
1970 campaign contributions

**1970**

**Regular Session**  
*President:* John E. Mathews, Jr.  
*Speaker:* Frederick H. Schultz  
*Governor:* Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
2nd Session – Under the 1968 Constitution
April 7, 11:00 A.M. through June 5, 5:00 P.M.

**Special Session**  
*President:* John E. Mathews, Jr.  
*Speaker:* Frederick H. Schultz  
*Governor:* Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
June 10, 1:00 P.M. through June 13, 5:00 P.M. 
Appropriations bill

**SINE DIE:**
Set hour of adjournment at 5:00 P.M., June 10. 

**Special Session**  
*President:* John E. Mathews, Jr.  
*Governor:* Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
July 8, 9:30 A.M. through 11:37 A.M. 
Executive suspensions: 
  Jim Fair 
  R. Dewey Pendarvis, Jr. 
  Collis H. White
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Special Session
President: John E. Mathews, Jr.  Speaker: Frederick H. Schultz  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
October 9, 10:00 A.M. through 5:17 P.M. ................................................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Auto insurance

Special Session
President: Jerry Thomas  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
November 16, 9:30 A.M. through 5:12 P.M. ................................................ Proclamation by President; Jrl. p. 1
Executive suspensions:
  H. E. Davis
  Lawrence O. Davis
  Lloyd Early
  Eldon Stokes
  Earl Jackson Carroll
  Noah J. Carter
  John W. Gilbert
  Harold A. Greene

Organization Session
President: Jerry Thomas  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
November 17, 9:30 A.M. through 11:44 A.M.

Special Session
President: Jerry Thomas  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  Governor: Claude R. Kirk, Jr.
November 17, 11:45 A.M. for one day through 12:00 P.M. ......................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Appropriation for Governor-Elect during transitional period of administrations
RECESS: 12:00 Noon
The Senate recessed and did not reconvene

1971

Special Session
President: Jerry Thomas  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew
January 27, 10:00 A.M. through January 29, 5:00 P.M. ............................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Automobile insurance
Extended through February 3, 5:00 P.M. ............................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Expanded call:
  Corporate income tax
  Insurance premium taxes
  Medicaid program funding
Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 6
  Terms of members of Board of Business Regulation (BBR)
Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 14
  Members of BBR to serve at pleasure of Governor who appointed them
Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 15
  Members of BBR to serve at pleasure of Governor
Extended through February 4 ....................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 68
  Expanded call:
  Millage
  Qualifications of electors in millage elections
  Ch. 70-94, Laws of Florida
  School taxes
  Repeal of ss. 236.07(5)(b)& (c) and 236.251, F.S., as amended by Ch. 70-94, Laws of Florida
SINE DIE:
Set hour of adjournment at 5:00 P.M., February 4................................. HCR 36-B - Dubbin; Jrl. p. 75
Regular Session  
*President: Jerry Thomas  ✧  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  ✧  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*

3rd Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
April 6, 9:00 A.M. through June 4
RECESS: June 4, 5:26 P.M. until June 5, 12:01 A.M.

Special Session  
*President: Jerry Thomas  ✧  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  ✧  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
June 9, 11:00 A.M. through June 18, 5:00 P.M. .......................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Appropriations
Expanded call: .............................................................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 20
- Local government financing
- Outdoor advertising
- Regional transportation authorities
- Dissolution of marriage
- Ad valorem tax
- Department of Commerce reorganization
Extended through June 23, 5:00 P.M................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 57
Extended through June 24, 12:00 midnight......................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 110
RECESS: June 24, 7:59 P.M. until June 25, 12:01 A.M.

Special Session  
*President: Jerry Thomas  ✧  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  ✧  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
November 29, 11:00 A.M. through December 8........................................................ Proclamations by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Tax reform, including corporate income tax
Clarification of call: ...................................................................................................... Messages from Governor; Jrl. pp. 20, 31
Expanded call: .............................................................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 40
- Minimum foundation program for law enforcement officers
- Outdoor advertising
- Ad valorem tax law
- Trustees of Internal Improvement Trust Fund
- Fishing licenses
- Florida Insurance Guaranty Association Act
Extended through December 9, 12:00 midnight................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 59
RECESS: December 9, 7:35 P.M.

1972

Regular Session  
*President: Jerry Thomas  ✧  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  ✧  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
4th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
February 1, 10:30 A.M. through March 31
Extended through April 7, 11:56 P.M................................................................. HJR 4475 – Dubbin; Jrl. pp. 766, 768
- Appropriations
- Finance and tax matters
- Legislative apportionment
- Congressional redistricting
- Implementation of Art. V, Fla. Const., and related matters
- Measures passed by both houses with differences, as yet unresolved
- Conference committee reports
- Veto messages
- Local bills
- State Land and Water Management Act
- Environmentally critical land bond issues
Abortion
Water resources
Public Service Commission
Sovereign immunity

**Special Session**  
*President: Jerry Thomas  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*  
April 8, 10:00 A.M. through 12:45 P.M. ............................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1  
Art. V, Fla. Const., county judges

**Special Session**  
*President: Jerry Thomas  Speaker: Richard A. Pettigrew  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*  
April 11, 10:00 A.M. through 4:06 P.M. ............................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1  
Art. V, Fla. Const., county and circuit judges

**Organization Session**  
*President: Mallory E. Horne  Speaker: T. Terrell Sessums  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*  
November 21, 10:00 A.M. through 12:18 P.M.

**Special Session**  
*President: Mallory E. Horne  Speaker: T. Terrell Sessums  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*  
November 28, 1:00 P.M. through November 30 .................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1  
Capital punishment
Equal Rights Amendment (ERA)-concurrent resolution
Loans for sewer treatment facilities
Supplemental Appropriations:
  Department of Pollution Control
  State Minimum Foundation Program for Schools (K-12)
  University of South Florida Medical Center
Water resources and conservation
Tax exemption for churches
Public defenders
Expanded call: ............................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 12  
Flood control districts
Expanded call: ............................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 17
  Supplemental Appropriations:
    State Attorneys
    Public defenders
    Official court reporters
Expanded call: ............................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 27
  Supplemental Appropriations:
    Office of State Attorney by counties
**Extended through December 1** ............................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 29
RECESS: December 1, 2:16 P.M.

**1973**

**Regular Session**  
*President: Mallory E. Horne  Speaker: T. Terrell Sessums  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*  
5th Session – Under the 1968 Constitution  
April 3, 10:30 A.M. through June 1
**Extended through June 8, 12:00 midnight** .....................................................HJR 2218 – Dubbin; Jrl. p. 830
  Extended for:
    Fair assessment
    Public school funding
    Salaries of county officials
    Revenue sharing
Appropriations bill
Department of Administration
Homestead exemption
Taxation of intangible personal property
SINE DIE: June 6, 6:14 P.M

1974

**Special Session**  
*President: Mallory E. Horne  Speaker: T. Terrell Sessums  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
January 29, 11:00 A.M. for one day..........................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Daylight Saving Time
*Extended through January 30, 12:00 midnight ..................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1*

**Expanded call:**
Opening and closing hours of schools
SINE DIE: January 29
SENATE: 3:33 P.M.  HOUSE: 3:28 P.M.

**Special Session**  
*President: Mallory E. Horne  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
February 26, 10:00 A.M. through 12:26 P.M. ..................Proclamation by President; Jrl. p. 1

Executive suspensions:
- Melville C. Bass
- William E. (Bill) Davis
- Dorcas Drake
- James Hugh (Jim) Howell
- Jimmy Josey
- David Kennedy
- James H. King
- Tamphus Messer
- Joe Newmans
- Jack Wheeler

**Regular Session**  
*President: Mallory E. Horne  Speaker: T. Terrell Sessums  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
6th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
April 2, 10:00 A.M. through May 31
SINE DIE: May 31, 11:01 P.M.

**Organization Session**  
*President: Dempsey J. Barron  Speaker: Donald L. Tucker  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
November 19, 2:00 P.M. through 5:45 P.M.

**Special Session**  
*President: Dempsey J. Barron  Speaker: Donald L. Tucker  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
November 19, 5:46 P.M. for one day..........................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1

State attorneys: Assignment by Governor to another circuit
Authorization to attend grand juries
Inter-American Center Authority
SINE DIE: November 19
SENATE: 11:28 P.M.

1975

**Regular Session**  
*President: Dempsey J. Barron  Speaker: Donald L. Tucker  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*
7th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
April 8, 10:00 A.M. through June 5
SINE DIE: June 5, 3:00 P.M.
Court of Impeachment - Thomas D. O'Malley

June 3, 1975

Articles disposed of July 29 by resignation

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<td>Lew Brantley</td>
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<td>December 13, 10:00 A.M. for one day</td>
<td>SINE DIE: December 13</td>
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### 1978

**Regular Session**  
*President: Lew Brantley  Speaker: Donald L. Tucker  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*

- **10th Session**– Under the 1968 Constitution  
  - April 4, 10:00 A.M. through June 2  
  - **SINE DIE:** June 2  
  - **SENATE:** 8:58 P.M.  
  - **HOUSE:** 9:02 P.M.

**Court of Impeachment - Samuel S. Smith**  
*President: Lew Brantley  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*

- April 18, time unstated through September 15, 2:00 P.M.  
  - Senate met April 18, May 12 & 26, September 13-15

**Special Session**  
*President: Lew Brantley  Speaker: Donald L. Tucker  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*

- June 7, 11:00 A.M. through June 9, 11:56 P.M.  
  - **Proclamation by Governor:** Jrl. p. 1  
  - **Protection of state’s lands**

  - Expanded call:
    - Appropriations Act
    - Creation of 5-member appointive Public Service Commission
    - Sales, gasoline and municipal public service taxes
    - Placing a consumer on professional and occupational boards
    - State comprehensive planning and coastal zone management
    - Workmen’s compensation
    - Florida Evidence Code
    - Nursing homes

  - **SINE DIE:** June 8, 3:48 P.M.

**Organization Session**  
*President: Philip D. Lewis  Speaker: J. Hyatt Brown  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*

- **November 21, 10:00 A.M.**  
  - **SENATE:** through 12:17 P.M.  
  - **HOUSE:** through 12:39 P.M.

**Special Session**  
*President: Philip D. Lewis  Speaker: J. Hyatt Brown  Governor: Reubin O’D. Askew*

- **December 6, 11:00 A.M. through December 8**  
  - **Proclamation by Governor:** Jrl. p. 1  
  - **Green Swamp and areas of critical state concern**
  - **Florida Thermal Efficiency Code and Florida Lighting Efficiency Code**
  - **Mentally Disordered Sex Offenders Act**
  - **Definition for “new businesses” in Ch. 78-299, Laws of Florida**
  - **Senate confirmation of pending gubernatorial appointees**

  - **Expanded call: Proclamation by Governor:** Jrl. p. 2

  - Amendment to s. 258.165(3)(b)3., F.S., to change “paragraph” to “subparagraph”
  - Change name of F.T.U. to University of Central Florida

  - **SINE DIE:** December 6  
  - **SENATE:** 6:10 P.M.  
  - **HOUSE:** 6:03 P.M.

### 1979

**Regular Session**  
*President: Philip D. Lewis  Speaker: J. Hyatt Brown  Governor: Bob Graham*

- **11th Session**– Under the 1968 Constitution  
  - April 3, 10:00 A.M. through June 1  
  - **Extended through June 6**  
  - **Extended for:**  
    - Appropriations Act
    - Pari-mutuel wagering  
  - **SCR 1318 - Barron; Jrl. p. 920**
Drug abuse and redefinition of cannabis
Tax relief
Certification of judges
Establishment of 5th District Court of Appeal (DCA)
Regulatory Practice Acts
Intradistrict legislative expenses
Legislative salaries

SINE DIE: June 6, 12:00 Noon

**Special Session**

*President: Philip D. Lewis  Speaker: J. Hyatt Brown  Governor: Bob Graham*

June 6, 12:00 Noon for 2 hours...............................................................Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
  Legislative salaries and per diem
  Ad valorem tax relief
SINE DIE: June 6
  SENATE: 1:57 P.M.  
  HOUSE: 1:58 P.M.

**Special Session**

*President: Philip D. Lewis  Speaker: J. Hyatt Brown  Governor: Bob Graham*

November 27, 2:00 P.M. through November 30, 5:00 P.M...............................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Ad valorem assessment and collection practices
  Public defenders/5th DCA
  Banking
  Local government audits
Expanded call: ........................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 8
  5th DCA appropriation
  Amend s. 570.15(1) and (2), F.S., re: individuals who have access to regulated premises or vehicles, etc.
Expanded call: ........................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 14
  Appropriation – school maintenance, renovating and remodeling program
Expanded call: ........................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 14
  Monroe School renovation (Broward County)
Expanded call: ........................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 34
  Extended through December 4, 12:00 Noon
  Limited call:
  Call limited to items 1(a)-(h) and 2 of Section 2 of original proclamation
Expanded call: ........................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 41
  Call limited to items 1(a)-(h), 2, and 7 of Section 2 of original proclamation
SINE DIE: December 4
  SENATE: 10:00 A.M.  
  HOUSE: 10:03 A.M.

**1980**

**Regular Session**

*President: Philip D. Lewis  Speaker: J. Hyatt Brown  Governor: Bob Graham*

12th Session – Under the 1968 Constitution
April 8, 10:00 A.M. through June 6
Extended through June 7........................................................................HJR 1881 - Habin; Jrl. p. 1011
SINE DIE: June 7
  SENATE: 11:02 P.M.  
  HOUSE: 11:00 P.M.

**Special Session**

*President: Philip D. Lewis  Speaker: J. Hyatt Brown  Governor: Bob Graham*

June 9, 12:00 Noon through June 11, 12:00 Midnight..............................Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
  Supplemental appropriations
Homestead exemption resolutions and special election
Higher education
Renter ad valorem tax relief
Life-aboard vessels
Sales tax on advertising
School district discretionary ad valorem tax levy
“TRIM” (Truth in Millage)

Expanded call: ................................................................. Communications by Governor; Jrl. pp. 10, 13, 16
Retirement
Motor vehicle safety
Legislative apportionment

SINE DIE: June 11, 11:46 P.M.

Special Session
President: Philip D. Lewis ♦ Speaker: J. Hyatt Brown ♦ Governor: Bob Graham
June 30, 11:00 A.M. through 12:00 Midnight ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Florida Banking Code
Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 2
Technical amendments to Florida Statutes as created by HB 4-D, 1980 Special Session
Homestead exemption
Establish election date in October 1980 for constitutional amendments

SINE DIE: June 30
SENATE: 5:17 P.M. HOUSE: 5:19 P.M.

Organization Session
President: W.D. Childers ♦ Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr. ♦ Governor: Bob Graham
November 18
SENATE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:16 P.M. HOUSE: 10:30 A.M. through 12:39 P.M.

Special Session
President: W.D. Childers ♦ Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr. ♦ Governor: Bob Graham
November 18, 2:30 P.M. through 6:30 P.M. ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Expand jurisdiction of statewide grand jury
Extended through 7:30 P.M. ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 9

SINE DIE: November 18
SENATE: 7:13 P.M. HOUSE: 7:17 P.M.

1981

Regular Session
President: W.D. Childers ♦ Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr. ♦ Governor: Bob Graham
13th Session – Under the 1968 Constitution
April 7, 10:00 A.M. through June 5

SINE DIE: June 5
SENATE: 2:51 P.M. HOUSE: 2:48 P.M.

Special Session
President: W.D. Childers ♦ Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr. ♦ Governor: Bob Graham
June 5, 3:00 P.M. through June 24, 12:00 Midnight ........................................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Appropriations Act
Public Education Capital Outlay (PECO)
Funding of PECO
Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 5
Assistance to local governments for funding:
Construction and renovation of local correctional facilities
Local transportation and law enforcement programs
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Exemption of inventories from ad valorem taxation and repealing reimbursement of previous rate reductions through Local Government Exemption Trust Fund
Custody of infant born to mother while inmate in state correctional institution

SINE DIE:
SENATE: June 17, 10:50 A.M.  HOUSE: June 16, 8:20 P.M.

1982

Regular Session  President: W.D. Childers  Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr.  Governor: Bob Graham
14th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
January 18, 10:00 A.M. through March 18
Extended through March 29, 12:00 Midnight .................................................. SJR 1037 - Childers; Jrl. p. 510
SINE DIE: March 25
SENATE: 7:36 P.M.  HOUSE: 5:17 P.M.

Special Session - #3 or C  President: W.D. Childers  Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr.  Governor: Bob Graham
March 26, 10:00 A.M. through March 29, 12:00 Noon................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Legislative apportionment
SINE DIE: March 26
SENATE: Receded 5:51 P.M.  HOUSE: 6:03 P.M.
The Senate recessed and did not reconvene.

NOTE: See Supreme Court Order dated March 27, 1982

Special Session - #4 or D  President: W.D. Childers  Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr.  Governor: Bob Graham
March 29, 1:00 P.M. through April 1, 12:00 Midnight................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Congressional apportionment
Extended through April 7, 12:00 Noon................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 5
Expanded call:
Appropriations Act and implementing legislation
One-cent increase in state sales tax
Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 5
PECO
Extended through April 7, 4:00 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 21
Extended through April 7, 6:00 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 112
SINE DIE: April 7, 6:00 P.M.

Special Session - #5 or E  President: W.D. Childers  Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr.  Governor: Bob Graham
April 7, 6:00 P.M. not to exceed 30 days........................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Apportionment
SINE DIE: April 7
SENATE: 8:55 P.M.  HOUSE: 6:56 P.M.

Special Session - #6 or F  President: W.D. Childers  Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr.  Governor: Bob Graham
April 7, 9:15 P.M. through 10:30 P.M........................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Florida Insurance Code and other insurance related bills
SINE DIE: April 7, 10:30 P.M.

Special Session - #7 or G  President: W.D. Childers  Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr.  Governor: Bob Graham
May 21, 11:00 A.M. through 6:00 P.M.......................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Congressional apportionment
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Extended through May 21, 10:00 P.M. .........................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 9
SINE DIE: May 21  
SENATE: 9:18 P.M. .................................................................HOUSE: 8:59 P.M.

Special Session - #8 or H  
President: W.D. Childers  Speaker: Ralph H. Haben, Jr.  Governor: Bob Graham
June 21, 11:00 A.M. through June 23, 12:00 Noon.........................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Ratification of Equal Rights Amendment (ERA)  
  Exclusionary rule  
  Pretrial detention  
  Immunity  
  Armor-piercing and exploding bullets  
  Police records  
  Prison overcrowding:  
    Amendment to Appropriations Bill  
    Number of Parole & Probation Commissioners and the use of retired commissioners  
    Acquisition of federal land for prisons  
    Bidding procedures for Department Of Transportation  
  Emergency medical services  
Expanded call: .........................................................................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 2
  Prison overcrowding:  
    Create community diversion programs  
    Create Prison Overcrowding Advisory Committee  
    Medical malpractice  
    Optional local tax for sports, art & recreation centers  
SINE DIE: June 22  
SENATE: 3:00 P.M. .................................................................HOUSE: 3:21 P.M.

Organization Session  
President: Curtis Peterson  Speaker: H. Lee Moffitt  Governor: Bob Graham
November 16, 10:00 A.M.  
SENATE: through 12:47 P.M. .................................................................HOUSE: through 12:38 P.M.

1983

Special Session A  
President: Curtis Peterson  Speaker: H. Lee Moffitt  Governor: Bob Graham
March 1, 12:00 Noon through March 2, 6:00 P.M. .........................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Sales tax exemption on motor and special fuel; and amendment of Ch. 206, Laws of Florida repealing the first gas tax  
  Motor vehicle tag fee increase and revenue realllocation  
  Local option motor fuel tax  
  Repeal of partial exemption for fuel purchases  
  Dept. of Transportation operations performance audit and management review  
  Repeal of s. 20.23(3), F.S., unless reenacted by October 1984 after presentation and consideration of performance audits and management reviews  
  Appropriations Act  
Expanded call: .........................................................................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 2
  Repeal of s. 20.23(2) and (3), F.S., unless reenacted by October 1984 after presentation and consideration of performance audits and management reviews  
  One-time transition tax on gas and motor fuel  
Extended through March 2, 12:00 Midnight.................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 30
Extended through March 3, 6:00 P.M. ....................................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 31
Expanded call: .........................................................................................................................Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 48
  Corporate income tax credits
SINE DIE: March 3
SENATE: 4:37 P.M.        HOUSE: 4:31 P.M.

Regular Session
President: Curtis Peterson  Speaker: H. Lee Moffitt  Governor: Bob Graham
15th Session—Under the 1968 Constitution
April 5, 10:00 A.M. through June 3
Extended through June 13, 12:00 Midnight .......................................................... SCR 1209 – Barron; Jrl. p. 797
Extended for:
Appropriations bill
Education
Water and hazardous wastes
RECESS: June 3
SENATE: 1:39 P.M.        HOUSE: 4:08 P.M.
The Senate and House recessed and did not reconvene prior to expiration of the extended session.

Special Session B
President: Curtis Peterson  Speaker: H. Lee Moffitt  Governor: Bob Graham
June 15, 10:00 A.M. through June 17, 12:00 Midnight........................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
General appropriations bill
Public Education Capital Outlay (PECO)
Implement/fund items contained in the general appropriations bill or PECO
Protection of the state’s water resources, including, but not limited to, measures:
(a) Providing for data collection;
(b) Providing for the testing of pesticides;
(c) Providing for groundwater monitoring;
(d) Providing for well field contamination monitoring;
(e) Providing for artesian well plugging;
(f) Addressing hazardous waste disposal and regulation;
(g) Regulating the use of septic tanks;
(h) Providing for a grants program for construction and improvement of sanitary sewer systems;
(i) Implementing or funding the above-mentioned items.
Improve the quality of the state’s education system, including, but not limited to, measures:
(a) Upgrading academic standards;
(b) Enhancing the teaching/learning of mathematics, science, and computer education;
(c) Improving the quality of teacher preparation and performance, including pre-service, in-service, and teacher education centers, certification, compensation, and the establishment of a master teacher program;
(d) Revising vocational education programs to provide employment opportunities and to ensure responsiveness to business and industry needs;
(e) Providing for the adequate and equitable funding of educational programs;
(f) Providing for post-secondary education academic enhancements;
(g) Implementing and funding the above-mentioned items.
Extended through June 22, 12:00 Midnight .............................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 72
Extended through June 23, 12:00 Midnight .............................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 73
Expanded call:
Community mental health service (establishing a coordinated alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health service delivery system)
State and regional planning
Extended through June 24, 12:00 Midnight .............................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 74
SINE DIE: June 24
SENATE: 3:07 P.M.        HOUSE: 3:15 P.M.
Special Session C  
**President:** Curtis Peterson  
**Speaker:** H. Lee Moffitt  
**Governor:** Bob Graham

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**SINE DIE:** July 13  
**SENATE:** 12:30 A.M.  
**HOUSE:** 1:05 A.M.

### 1984

#### Regular Session

*President:* Curtis Peterson  
*Speaker:* H. Lee Moffitt  
*Governor:* Bob Graham

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#### Organization Session

*President:* Harry A. Johnston II  
*Speaker:* James Harold Thompson  
*Governor:* Bob Graham

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#### Special Session A

*President:* Harry A. Johnston II  
*Speaker:* James Harold Thompson  
*Governor:* Bob Graham

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**SINE DIE:** December 7  
**SENATE:** 6:12 P.M.  
**HOUSE:** 6:34 P.M.

### 1985

#### Regular Session

*President:* Harry A. Johnston II  
*Speaker:* James Harold Thompson  
*Governor:* Bob Graham

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| **SENATE:** 2:51 P.M.  
**HOUSE:** 2:50 P.M. |

### 1986

#### Regular Session

*President:* Harry A. Johnston II  
*Speaker:* James Harold Thompson  
*Governor:* Bob Graham

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#### Special Session B

*President:* Harry A. Johnston II  
*Speaker:* James Harold Thompson  
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Chs. 465 and 499, F.S., Pharmacy and Pharmaceuticals
Ch. 466, F.S., Dentistry, Dental Hygiene, and Dental Laboratories
Ch. 463, F.S., Optometry

Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Legislation relating to appropriations bill (HB 1380):
ITEM 1911 - to allow transfer of a fixed portion of these funds to the Land Acquisition Trust Fund
to pay debt service
ITEM 295 - to allow the establishment of additional positions and the use of funds for fixed capital outlay
SINE DIE: June 19
SENATE: 12:20 P.M.  HOUSE: 12:14 P.M.

Organization Session
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Graham
November 18, 10:00 A.M.
SENATE: through 2:07 P.M.  HOUSE: through 1:23 P.M.

1987
Special Session A
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Martinez
February 4, 4:00 P.M. through February 5, 12:00 Noon................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Prison overcrowding
Authorization to grant limited amount of administrative gain time
SINE DIE: February 4, 8:34 P.M.

Regular Session
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Martinez
19th Session – Under the 1968 Constitution
April 7, 10:00 A.M. through June 5
Extended through June 6, 12:00 Noon....................................................... HJR 1510 - Carpenter; Jrl. p. 882
Limited call:
General appropriations bill and implementing legislation
Sales tax glitch bills
Local governments/taxation
CS/SB 799 and CS/HB 1008, relating to education
SINE DIE: June 6, 4:50 A.M.

Special Session B
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Martinez
September 21, 9:00 A.M. through September 23, 12:00 Noon........................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Tax on services
Extended through October 2, 12:00 Noon............................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 82
Expanded call:
Any tax or exemption from a tax permitted by the Constitution or laws of Florida
Budget process
Expanded call:........................................................................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 85
Ch. 87-98, Laws of Florida (Appropriations Act)
Extended through October 9, 12:00 Noon............................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 175
SINE DIE: October 8
SENATE: 5:46 P.M.  HOUSE: 6:15 P.M.

Special Session C
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Martinez
October 12, 1:00 P.M. through October 16, 12:00 Noon........................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Convened: 1:33 P.M.
  Repeal of tax on services
  Reform budget process
  Replacement of revenues lost by repeal of tax on services
  Ch. 87-88, Laws of Florida (Appropriations Act)

Amended call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Correction: Ch. 87-98 not 87-88

SINE DIE: October 14
SENATE: 5:25 P.M.                        HOUSE: 5:18 P.M.

Special Session D
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Martinez
December 1, 1:00 P.M. through December 11, 12:00 Midnight .......... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
  Tax on services
  Any tax or exemption from a tax permitted by the Constitution or laws of Florida
  Budget process
  Ch. 87-98, Laws of Florida (Appropriations Act)

Revised date:
December 8, 1:00 P.M. through December 11, 12:00 Midnight .......... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
SINE DIE: December 10
SENATE: 1:59 A.M.                        HOUSE: 2:10 A.M.

1988

Special Session E
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Martinez
February 2, 1:00 P.M. through February 4, 5:00 P.M. ...................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
  Medical liability, medical regulatory, and medical insurance reform
  State Group Insurance Programs

Extended through February 4, 9:00 P.M. ...................................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 18
Extended through February 4, 11:59 P.M. .................................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 19
SINE DIE: February 4
SENATE: 10:59 P.M.                        HOUSE: 11:38 P.M.

Regular Session
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Martinez
20th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
April 5, 10:00 A.M. through June 3
Extended through June 7, 11:59 P.M. ........................................... SJR 1432 - Vogt; Jrl. p. 997
SINE DIE: June 7, 12:00 Midnight

Special Session F
President: John W. Vogt  Speaker: Jon L. Mills  Governor: Bob Martinez
June 8, 12:01 A.M. through June 8, 11:59 P.M. ............................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
  General appropriations bill and implementing legislation
  Appropriations/conforming statutes bill
SINE DIE: June 8
SENATE: 12:09 A.M.                        HOUSE: 1:28 A.M.

Organization Session
President: Bob Crawford  Speaker: Tom Gustafson  Governor: Bob Martinez
November 22, 10:00 A.M.
SENATE: through 12:25 P.M.                        HOUSE: through 1:18 P.M.

1989

Regular Session
President: Bob Crawford  Speaker: Tom Gustafson  Governor: Bob Martinez
21st Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
SESSIONS OF THE FLORIDA SENATE
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April 4, 10:00 A.M. through June 2
Extended through June 3, 2:00 A.M. ............................... SCR 1579 - Crawford; Jrl. p. 1305
SINE DIE: June 3, 2:00 A.M.

Special Session A  ......................................................... President: Bob Crawford  Speaker: Tom Gustafson  Governor: Bob Martinez
June 3, 11:00 A.M. through June 3, 11:59 P.M. ....................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Turnpike system and right of way acquisition
Growth management and protection of the environment
Controlled release of inmates
Victim restitution
Drug abuse control
SINE DIE: June 3
SENATE: 10:51 P.M.  .......................................................... HOUSE: 11:02 P.M.

Special Session B  ......................................................... President: Bob Crawford  Speaker: Tom Gustafson  Governor: Bob Martinez
June 19, 2:00 P.M. through June 21, 11:59 P.M. ....................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Bonding to implement necessary turnpike projects
Protection of children/access to unlawfully placed firearms
Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind
SINE DIE: June 20
SENATE: 5:48 P.M.  .......................................................... HOUSE: 6:04 P.M.

Special Session C  ......................................................... President: Bob Crawford  Speaker: Tom Gustafson  Governor: Bob Martinez
October 10, 1:00 P.M. through October 13, 11:59 P.M. ........................................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Expand legal protection afforded to Florida’s unborn children and their parents
Expanded call:  .............................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
  Appropriation – 15 HRS positions: program investigators who receive and investigate reports of children who have been or are suspected of being abused or neglected
  Appropriation – 111 HRS positions: protective service counselors who provide in-home services to families which require agency intervention
  Appropriation – fully fund HRS Families in Need of Services Program
  Appropriation – 36 HRS positions: counselors responsible for supervising children in foster care
Law legislation revising Chs. 39, 63, 409, and 415, F.S.
SINE DIE: October 11
SENATE: 3:52 P.M.  .......................................................... HOUSE: 4:03 P.M.

Special Session D  ......................................................... President: Bob Crawford  Speaker: Tom Gustafson  Governor: Bob Martinez
October 18, 9:00 A.M. through October 20, 12:00 Noon .......................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Transportation
Revised date:
November 15, 9:00 A.M. through November 17, 12:00 Noon  ................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Extended through November 18, 12:00 Noon .................................................. Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 79
Expanded call:
Child care
State budget and financial process and procedure
RECESSED: November 17, 11:51 P.M.
  The Senate did not reconvene. The House met on Nov. 18 to pass Senate bills and recessed at 10:12 A.M.

1990

Regular Session  ......................................................... President: Bob Crawford  Speaker: Tom Gustafson  Governor: Bob Martinez
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22nd Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
April 3, 10:00 A.M. through June 1
Extended through June 2, 1:00 P.M. SCR 3238 - Crawford; Jrl. p. 1349; HJR 3933 - Lippman; Jrl. p. 1353
SINE DIE: June 2
SENATE: 5:05 A.M. HOUSE: 5:03 A.M.

Organization Session
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Bob Martinez
November 20, 10:00 A.M.
SENATE: through 1:30 P.M.
HOUSE: through 12:29 P.M.

Special Session A
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Bob Martinez
November 20, 2:00 P.M. through November 20, 11:59 P.M. Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Convened: 3:15 P.M.
Prohibition and reporting of gifts to public officers and employees
SINE DIE: November 20
SENATE: 5:32 P.M. HOUSE: 5:35 P.M.

NOTE: See file “Special Session Convening Times/Different from Proclamation”

1991

Special Session B
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
January 22, 2:00 P.M. through 8:00 P.M. Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Workers’ compensation (Ch. 90-201, Laws of Florida)
Industrial Relations Commission
Workers’ Compensation Oversight Board
Expanded call: Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 2
Citrus Canker Eradication program
Citrus Canker Compensation Trust Fund
Expanded call: Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 2
Legislative lobby registration program
Salary/benefits of public employees called into active military service
SINE DIE: January 22
SENATE: 7:25 P.M. HOUSE: 7:27 P.M.

Regular Session
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
23rd Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 5, 10:00 A.M. through May 3
SINE DIE: May 2, 12:27 P.M.

Special Session C
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
June 6, 12:00 Noon through 6:00 P.M. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Executive fiscal management tools to effectively manage revenue deficits
National High Magnetic Field Laboratory
Expanded call: Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Tandem trailer trucks
Florida High Speed Rail Commission
Extended through June 6, 12:00 Midnight Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 6
SINE DIE: June 6
SENATE: 12:00 Midnight HOUSE: 6:35 P.M.

Special Session D
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
December 10, 12:00 Noon through December 17, 12:00 Noon Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
General Revenue Fund deficit
Appropriations/budget process (Ch. 216, F.S., et al.)
Career Service System
Reorganization of state agencies (Governor/Cabinet Task Force recommendations)
Reorganization of Health and Rehabilitative Services Dept. (Governor’s plan)

Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Reorganization of HRS Dept.
Retaliatory tax
SINE DIE: December 13
SENATE: 7:13 P.M. ........................................................... HOUSE: 5:31 P.M.

1992

Regular Session
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
24th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
January 14, 10:00 A.M. through March 13
SINE DIE: March 13
SENATE: 10:32 P.M. ........................................................... HOUSE: 9:57 P.M.

Special Session E
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
March 23, 1:30 P.M. through April 3, 11:59 P.M........................................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Congressional reapportionment
Bingo regulation (s. 849.093, F.S.)
Regulation of financial institutions, mortgage lending, and foreclosures (Chs. 655-665, F.S.)
Regulation of insurance (Ch. 627 and Part V, Ch. 626, F.S.)
Regulation of medical facilities (Ch. 395, F.S.)
Merit retention of judges
Local bills:
Jacksonville Beach Retirement System
Palm Beach County Health Care Act
Orlando Fire Department Pension Fund

Expanded call: ................................................................. Communication by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Department of Community Affairs
Partners for a Better Florida Act
Enterprise Florida, Inc.
Department of Administration
Workers’ Compensation Reform Act
Appropriations
SINE DIE: March 31
SENATE: 3:48 P.M. ........................................................... HOUSE: 2:17 P.M.

Special Session F
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
April 1, 3:00 P.M. through April 8, 11:59 P.M........................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Governmental reorganization of:
Dept. of Administration, Dept. of General Services, Dept. of Management Services
SINE DIE: April 1
SENATE: 5:00 P.M. ........................................................... HOUSE: 6:09 P.M.

Special Session G
President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
April 2, 9:00 A.M., not to exceed 30 days........................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Legislative apportionment
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SINE DIE:
SENATE: April 9, 4:17 P.M.
HOUSE: April 10, 3:18 P.M.

Special Session H

President: Gwen Margolis  Speaker: T.K. Wetherell  Governor: Lawton Chiles
June 1, 10:00 A.M. through June 19, 11:59 P.M.  Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1

General appropriations bill and implementing legislation
Revenues of state and local governments
PECO and educational facility construction
Laws and rules which stand repealed between June 1, 1992 and 1993 Regular Session (with the exception of Ch. 395, F.S.)
Regulation of medical facilities as provided in Ch. 395, F.S.
Florida Retirement System
Chs. 92-127 (PRIVATE ACTIVITY BONDS), 92-177 (FL. CIVIL RIGHTS ACT), and 92-178 (PATIENT REFERRAL ACT), Laws of Florida
Claim bills
Properly advertised local bills
CS/SB 1720 (1992) as amended 3-3-92 (Corrections Department/Reorganization)
Construction of natural gas pipeline
Internal organization of Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
Unemployment compensation benefits
Solid waste management
Witness tampering
Transfer of licensure and recruiting of adult foster homes from Health Care Administration Agency to Dept. of Health and Rehabilitative Services
Excluding application of s. 408.07, F.S., definitions to ss. 408.031-408.045, F.S.

Expanded call: Communication by Governor; Jrl. p. 2
Workers’compensation, revising Ch. 627, F.S.
Affordable housing
Preservation 2000
Water Quality Assurance Trust Fund
Reducing required local effort ad valorem taxation on homestead via a constitutional amendment
Definition of “nursing home”, amending s. 196.012(9), F.S.

Expanded call: Communications by Governor; Jrl. pp. 63, 192
Conservation and recreation lands
Community Corrections Partnership Act
Changing the effective date of Ch. 92-279, with exceptions

Extended through July 10, 11:59 P.M.  SIR 264-H – Thomas; Jrl. p. 200

Limited call:
General appropriations bill and implementing legislation
Legislation necessary to fund [the above]

Expanded call: Communication by Governor; Jrl. p. 474
Government Efficiency Act
Sunset review of trust funds
Taxpayers’ bill of rights
Tax reform
Changing the filing dates for political party offices
Decrease in property taxes via a constitutional amendment
Unemployment benefits
Regulation of nonpublic postsecondary education

SINE DIE: July 10, 11:59 P.M.

The Senate recessed July 1, 11:43 P.M. and did not reconvene.
The House recessed July 1, 1:55 P.M. and did not reconvene.

**Organization Session**

President: Ander Crenshaw  
Speaker: Bolley “Bo” Johnson  
Governor: Lawton Chiles

November 17, 10:00 A.M.

SENATE: through November 19, 6:46 P.M.  
HOUSE: through 6:15 P.M.

NOTE: See file “Organization Session 1992 (20/20 split)”

**Special Session A**

President: Ander Crenshaw  
Speaker: Bolley “Bo” Johnson  
Governor: Lawton Chiles

December 9, 10:00 A.M. through December 11, 5:00 P.M.  
Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1

Critical issues relating to Hurricane Andrew relief:
- Revision of unemployment compensation law
- Segregation of increased sales tax revenues
- Revision of Affordable Housing Act
- Extension for reversion of appropriated PECO funds
- Revision of Insurance Code
- Adoption of public safety and welfare measures
- Regulation of pari-mutuel wagering
- State regulation of anhydrous citrus acid content in citrus fruits

Expanded call:  
Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 2

Authorize affected municipalities to issue obligations on behalf of the Florida Insurance Guaranty Association

SINE DIE: December 11, 4:30 P.M.  
SENATE: 11:29 A.M.

**1993**

**Regular Session**

President: Ander Crenshaw  
Speaker: Bolley “Bo” Johnson  
Governor: Lawton Chiles

25th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution

February 2, 10:00 A.M. through April 2

Extended through April 4, 11:59 P.M.  
SCR 2438 - Crenshaw; Jrl. p. 1209

Limited call:
- General appropriations bill, conference report, and implementing measures
- Health care access
- Hurricane Andrew appropriations bills and conference report

SINE DIE: April 4, 6:51 P.M.

**Special Session B**

President: Ander Crenshaw  
Speaker: Bolley “Bo” Johnson  
Governor: Lawton Chiles

May 24, 10:00 A.M. through June 6, 12:00 Midnight  
Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1

Prison expansion and funding

Funding for:
- Cancer control and research programs
- Public school health education
- Treatment for child abuse victims
- Sentencing guidelines
- Criminal justice issues re inmate incarceration and public safety

Expanded call:  
Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 18

Insurance Commissioner’s emergency rule re policy cancellations
- Personal lines property insurance industry; re-insurance industry
- Insurance related issues:
  - Sinkhole coverage
  - Board membership of Residential Property and Casualty Joint Underwriting Association
Increased limits under Florida Insurance Guaranty Association for condominium and homeowners association policies
Geographic eligibility provisions of Florida Windstorm Underwriting Association
Extraordinary dividend payments to stockholders of domestic stock insurer

**Expanded call:**

Sunset provisions regarding Florida Development Finance Corporation

SINE DIE: May 28
SENATE: 2:18 A.M.                      HOUSE: 2:15 A.M.

**Special Session C**

*President: Pat Thomas  Speaker: Bolley “Bo” Johnson  Governor: Lawton Chiles*

November 1, 2:00 P.M. through November 5, 11:59 P.M.  

Workers’ compensation
Property insurance and reinsurance
Juveniles and firearms (ss. 790.17, .23, and .25, F.S.)
Development of industrial employment opportunities (to counter defense cutbacks)

**Amended call:**

Juveniles and firearms (ss.790.17, .174, .175, .18, .22, .23, and .25, F.S.)

**Expanded call:**

Safe Streets Initiatives of 1994
Legislative intent, Specific Appropriation 1934C, Ch. 91-193, *Laws of Florida*

Extended through November 10, 11:59 P.M.  

**Expanded call:**

Motor vehicle license plates; confidentiality
Regulation of professionals substantially similar to SB 42-C (1993)
State University System Teaching and Departmental Incentive Program

SINE DIE: November 10
SENATE: 11:29 A.M.                      HOUSE: 1:38 P.M.

**1994**

**Regular Session**

*President: Pat Thomas  Speaker: Bolley “Bo” Johnson  Governor: Lawton Chiles*

26th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
February 8, 10:00 A.M. through April 8

Extended through April 16, 11:59 P.M.  

**Limited call:**

General appropriations and implementing bills
Health care
Juvenile justice
Everglades

SINE DIE: April 15
SENATE: 7:31 P.M.                      HOUSE: 7:28 P.M.

**Special Session D**

*President: Pat Thomas  Speaker: Bolley “Bo” Johnson  Governor: Lawton Chiles*

June 7, 2:00 P.M. through June 13, 5:00 P.M.  

Health care
Child abuse/parental discipline
Vulnerable adult abuse
PECO funding/residential juvenile education facilities
Appropriated funding for prison construction/operation

SINE DIE: June 9
SENATE: 2:24 P.M.                      HOUSE: 2:23 P.M.
### 1995
**Regular Session**  
*President:* James A. Scott  
*Speaker:* Peter Rudy Wallace  
*Governor:* Lawton Chiles  
**27th Session—Under the 1968 Constitution**  
March 7, 10:00 A.M. through May 5  
*Extended through May 12, 5:00 P.M.*  
*Limited call:* General appropriations bills (SB 2800 & HB 2575) and implementing bills (SB 2802 & HB 2577)  
Substantive bills implementing budget reductions or transfers  
**SINE DIE:** May 11  
SENATE: 3:16 P.M.  
HOUSE: 4:57 P.M.

### 1996
**Regular Session**  
*President:* James A. Scott  
*Speaker:* Peter Rudy Wallace  
*Governor:* Lawton Chiles  
**28th Session—Under the 1968 Constitution**  
March 5, 10:00 A.M. through May 3  
*Extended through May 4, 2:00 A.M.*  
*Limited call:* General appropriations bill (HB 2715) and implementing bill (HB 2717)  
Substantive bills implementing budget reductions, transfers, or adjustments  
**SINE DIE:** May 4  
SENATE: 2:00 A.M.  
HOUSE: 2:01 A.M.

### 1997
**Regular Session**  
*President:* Toni Jennings  
*Speaker:* Daniel Webster  
*Governor:* Lawton Chiles  
**29th Session—Under the 1968 Constitution**  
March 4, 10:00 A.M. through May 2  
**SINE DIE:** May 2  
SENATE: 5:57 P.M.  
HOUSE: 5:59 P.M.

**Special Session A**  
*President:* Toni Jennings  
*Speaker:* Daniel Webster  
*Governor:* Lawton Chiles  
November 3, 9:00 A.M. through November 7, 5:00 P.M.  
*Legislation amending Ch. 97-265, Laws of Florida (HB 2121)*  
Public education facilities and finance  
**SINE DIE:** November 7  
SENATE: 3:08 P.M.  
HOUSE: 3:07 P.M.

### 1998
**Regular Session**  
*President:* Toni Jennings  
*Speaker:* Daniel Webster  
*Governor:* Lawton Chiles  
**30th Session—Under the 1968 Constitution**  
March 3, 10:00 A.M. through May 1  
**SINE DIE:** May 1  
SENATE: 5:58 P.M.  
HOUSE: 5:57 P.M.

**Organization Session**  
*President:* Toni Jennings  
*Speaker:* John Thrasher  
*Governor:* Lawton Chiles
November 17
SENATE: 11:15 A.M. through 1:19 P.M.          HOUSE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:36 P.M.

1999
Regular Session
President: Toni Jennings  Speaker: John Thrasher  Governor: Jeb Bush
31st Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 2, 10:00 A.M. through April 30
SINE DIE: April 30 5:38 P.M.

2000
Special Session A
President: Toni Jennings  Speaker: John Thrasher  Governor: Jeb Bush
January 5, 12:00 noon through January 7, 11:59 P.M. ..........Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Death sentences by lethal injection or electrocution and exemptions from public records law relating thereto
Mandating concurrent preparation/filing of postconviction and collateral claims with direct appeal in all capital cases; including further limitations on filing such claims
Requiring nonbinding advisory jury recommendation in capital sentencing proceedings
SINE DIE: January 7
SENATE: 12:33 P.M.          HOUSE: 12:24 P.M.

Regular Session
President: John Mckay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
32nd Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 7, 10:00 A.M. through May 5
SINE DIE: May 5
SENATE: 7:26 P.M.          HOUSE: 7:21 P.M.

Organization Session
President: John Mckay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
November 21
SENATE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:32 P.M.          HOUSE: 10:00 A.M. through 1:22 P.M.

Special Session A
President: John Mckay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
December 8, 12:00 Noon through December 18 .........................Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Providing for the manner in which electors shall be appointed if the 2000 General Election fails to produce a final, constitutional choice of electors, conclusive under Title 3, Section 5, of the United States Code, in accordance with the U.S. Constitution and with statutes enacted, and policies, procedures, and practices in existence, prior to November 7, 2000
Providing for the appointment of electors for President and Vice President of the United States
Providing for any other matter necessary to fulfill the duty of the Florida Legislature under Article II, Section 1 of the U.S. Constitution or federal laws incidental thereto
Making a final determination of any controversy or contest concerning the appointment of all or any of Florida’s electors for President and Vice President of the U.S., appointed by the Legislature
SINE DIE:
SENATE: December 14, 2:16 P.M.          HOUSE: December 12, 3:39 P.M.
The House adopted HCR 1-A and HCR 3-A before it adjourned and sent the bills to the Senate.
The House did not reconvene.

2001
Regular Session
President: John Mckay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
33rd Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 6, 10:00 A.M. through May 4
SINE DIE: May 4
SENATE: 8:58 P.M.          HOUSE: 11:36 P.M.
Special Session B  
President: John McKay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
October 22, 9:00 A.M. through November 1, 11:59 P.M.  
Convened: 10:00 A.M.
Reductions to FY 2001-2002 appropriations from general revenue
Expanded call:
Conform statutes for reductions for FY 2001-2002 and reductions that recur in future fiscal years
Provide flexibility to shift money within the appropriated funds during FY 2001-2002
Legislation reported favorably by the House Fiscal Responsibility Council or the Senate
Appropriations Committee and tied to funding decisions in special session legislation providing appropriations and reductions in appropriations
Expansion of Comptroller’s authority to borrow from the Budget Stabilization Fund on an emergency basis
Security and economic stimuli
Intangible personal property tax (Ch. 2001-225, s.1, Laws of Florida)
SINE DIE:
SENATE: November 1, 11:59 P.M.  
HOUSE: October 30, 6:28 P.M.
The Senate recessed October 30, 1:13 P.M. and did not reconvene. The House passed the Senate budget without appointing a conference committee.

Special Session C  
President: John McKay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
November 27, 9:00 A.M. through December 6, 11:59 P.M.
Convened: 10:00 A.M.
Appropriations and reductions to this fiscal year’s appropriations that are needed to deal with the anticipated decline in revenue and security and economic stimuli matters important to Florida
Conform statutes for reductions in appropriations for fiscal year 2001-2002 and reductions that recur in future fiscal years and appropriations for security and economic stimuli; and to provide flexibility in order to shift money within the appropriated funds during this fiscal year
Proposed Committee Bill FRC 01-18 (2001 Session B), expansion of Comptroller’s authority to borrow from the Budget Stabilization Fund on an emergency basis
Ch. 2001-225, s. 1, Laws of Florida, tax on intangibles
Expanded call:
Any budget amendments submitted for approval to the legislative budget commission prior to November 27, 2001
SINE DIE: December 6
SENATE: 12:36 P.M.  
HOUSE: 2:48 P.M.

2002

Regular Session  
President: John McKay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
34th Session—Under the 1968 Constitution
January 22, 10:00 A.M. through March 22
SINE DIE: March 22 10:03 P.M.

Special Session D  
President: John McKay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
April 2, 9:00 A.M. through April 5, 11:59 P.M.
2002 regular session conference report on SB 1564, Education governance
SINE DIE: April 5
SENATE: 12:46 P.M.  
HOUSE: 12:00 P.M.
The Senate adjourned at 12:46 P.M. without taking up the Conference Committee Report on HB 1-D (Florida K-20 Education Code).
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Special Session E  
President: John McKay  Speaker: Tom Feeney  Governor: Jeb Bush
April 29, 1:00 P.M. through May 13, 11:59 P.M. ...................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1

General Appropriations Act for FY 2002-2003
Implementing a General Appropriations Act for FY 2002-2003, including the recreation or creation of any needed trust funds
K-20 Education Code, as embodied in the conference committee report on HB 1-D
2002 regular session bills CS/CS/CS SB 636 and CS/CS SB 638, the deliberate or accidental misuse of prescription drugs
Adoption of the 2002 version of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended by the Job Creation and Worker Assistance Act of 2002
Defining duties of the newly created cabinet position of chief financial officer
2002 regular session bill CS/HB 1069, the Miami charter
Naming the Florida Excellent Teacher Program after the late Dale Hickam

Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 9

SB 40-E and identical House legislation, economic development incentives involving the Qualified Targeted Industry and Qualified Defense Contractor programs
SB 46-E and identical House legislation, health care reform
SB 24-E and identical House legislation, a public records exemption relating to military discharge papers
Requiring a sound fiscal impact to be established and noted on the ballot for all citizen initiative constitutional amendments

Expanded call: ................................................................. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 15

Falsification of records of the Dept. of Children and Families and other state agencies relating to persons in the care or custody of the state
Requiring a sound fiscal impact to be established and noted on the ballot for proposed constitutional amendments

SINE DIE: May 13
SENATE: 5:01 P.M.  HOUSE: 5:21 P.M.

Organization Session  
President: James E. “Jim” King, Jr.  Speaker: Johnnie Byrd  Governor: Jeb Bush
November 19
SENATE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:40 P.M.  HOUSE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:51 P.M.

2003

Regular Session  
President: James E. “Jim” King, Jr.  Speaker: Johnnie Byrd  Governor: Jeb Bush
35th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 4, 10:30 A.M. through May 2
SINE DIE: May 2, 6:15 P.M.

Special Session A  
President: James E. “Jim” King, Jr.  Speaker: Johnnie Byrd  Governor: Jeb Bush
May 12, 12:00 Noon through May 27, 6:00 P.M. ........................................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Convened: 1:00 P.M.

General Appropriations Act for fiscal year 2003-2004
Budget implementing bill, similar in form and content to 2003 regular session HB 1791
Redirecting of surplus lines insurance premiums tax revenues to the General Revenue Fund
Termination of certain trust funds and redirecting of the balances and revenues of those trust funds to the General Revenue Fund
Redirecting of certain documentary stamp tax revenues from trust funds to the General Revenue Fund
Changes to the general revenue service charges for various trust funds
Redirecting of certain trust funds’ interest earnings and/or balances from the trust funds to the General Revenue Fund
Tax amnesty period and increasing the required interest payment on late-paid taxes
Authorizing the transfer of certain moneys from reserves to the Risk Management Trust Fund in certain circumstances
“Sales tax holiday”
An increase in the corporate income tax credit for scholarship funding contributions
Contribution rates for the Florida Retirement System
Increasing fees for criminal history background checks by the FL. Dept. of Law Enforcement (FDLE)
The printing of tax forms by the Department of Revenue

HB 25-A, relating to workers’ compensation

HB 87-A, or similar legislation introduced in the Senate, together with amendments, altering the provisions in Chapter 373, Florida Statutes, relating to Everglades Restoration

Extended through May 27, 11:59 P.M.

HB 45-A, or similar legislation introduced in the Senate; and an amendment to make provisions relating to equivalent FL. Comprehensive Achievement Test (FCAT) scores applicable to this year’s high school seniors

SB 50-A and HB 25-A, relating to workers’ compensation

SINE DIE: May 27

SENATE: 9:25 P.M.  
HOUSE: 11:16 P.M.

Special Session B

President: James E. “Jim” King, Jr.  
Speaker: Johnnie Byrd  
Governor: Jeb Bush

June 16, 12:00 Noon through June 19, 11:59 P.M.

Recommendations of the Governor’s Task Force on Healthcare Professional Liability Insurance

Issues related to medical malpractice

HB 23-B, or similar legislation introduced in the Senate, learning opportunities for students needing additional instruction to meet high school graduation requirements
HB 29-B, or similar legislation introduced in the Senate, election procedures, implementation of certain requirements of the Help America Vote Act of 2002 and continuing the suspension of a second primary election until Jan. 1, 2006

Implementation of medical malpractice legislation
Specific legislation required by the Florida Constitution in connection with medical malpractice legislation

Extended through June 27, 11:59 P.M.

Limited call:

SB 2-B and HB 63-B, medical malpractice
SB 4-B, SB 6-B and HB 71-B, public records, public meetings and exemptions relating to medical malpractice

SINE DIE:

SENATE: June 27, 11:59 P.M.  
HOUSE: June 19, 3:14 P.M.

The Senate recessed June 19, 2:51 P.M. and did not reconvene. The House recessed June 19, 3:14 P.M. and did not reconvene.

Special Session C

President: James E. “Jim” King, Jr.  
Speaker: Johnnie Byrd  
Governor: Jeb Bush

July 9, 12:00 Noon through July 16, 11:59 P.M.

Convened: 1:00 P.M.

Recommendations of the Governor’s Task Force on Healthcare Professional Liability Insurance
Issues related to medical liability reform

Extended through July 21, 7:00 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 23

SINE DIE:
SENATE: July 21, 7:00 P.M.    HOUSE: July 10, 5:19 P.M.
The Senate recessed July 11, 11:50 A.M. and did not reconvene. The House recessed July 10, 5:19 P.M. and did not reconvene.

Special Session D
President: James E. “Jim” King, Jr.  Speaker: Johnnie Byrd  Governor: Jeb Bush
August 12, 10:00 A.M. through August 15, 7:00 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1

Convened: 12:00 Noon
Recommendations of the Governor’s Task Force on Healthcare Professional Liability Insurance

Expanded call:  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 2

Issues related to medical liability reform

Authorizing and providing general revenue and trust fund appropriations to operate prison facilities, supervise prison inmates, and construct additional prison capacity consistent with the state prison inmate population projections established in the Criminal Justice Estimating Conference held on July 9, 2003

Provide additional budget authority in the event of future state prison population increases

SINE DIE: August 13
SENATE: 5:06 P.M.    HOUSE: 4:39 P.M.

Special Session E
President: James E. “Jim” King, Jr.  Speaker: Johnnie Byrd   Governor: Jeb Bush
October 20, 12:00 Noon through October 24, 5:00 P.M.  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1

Convened: 1:45 P.M.
Create and fund the Scripps Florida Funding Corporation and to facilitate the location of the business in Florida

Create an economic development strategic initiatives funding mechanism within the Office of Tourism, Trade and Economic Development to ensure sufficient resources are available to respond to extraordinary economic opportunities and to compete for high-impact business facilities

Amend Ch. 471, F.S. relating to qualifications for the practice of engineering for persons employed in the defense, space or aerospace industry

Expanded call:  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 2

Reenact the Biomedical Research Trust Fund in the Dept. of Health

Create exemption from public records and open meeting requirements for certain information held by the Scripps Florida Funding Corporation and the Office of Tourism, Trade and Economic Development; and legislation amending the public records exemption to include the Economic Investment Mega Fund program

Appropriate the one-time unclaimed lottery prize to the Dr. Philip Benjamin Matching Grant Program for Community Colleges and to the University Major Gifts Program

Consider and pass by joint resolution the interim state redistricting plan entered by the federal court to remedy the oppositions by the U.S. Dept. of Justice under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act

Expanded call:  Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 2

Authorize the Governor to issue a one-time stay where the action of withholding or withdrawing nutrition or hydration from a patient in a permanent vegetative state has occurred and there is no written advance directive and a family member has challenged the withholding or withdrawing in court (Terry Schiavo Law)

SINE DIE:
SENATE: October 24, 10:45 A.M.    HOUSE: October 23, 9:42 P.M.
1. **2004**

### Regular Session

**President:** James E. “Jim” King, Jr.  
**Speaker:** Johnnie Byrd  
**Governor:** Jeb Bush

36th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution  
March 2, 10:00 A.M. through April 30  
SINE DIE: April 30  
SENATE: 11:36 P.M.  
HOUSE: 11:40 P.M.

### Organization Session

**President:** Tom Lee  
**Speaker:** Allan Bense  
**Governor:** Jeb Bush

November 16  
SENATE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:17 P.M.  
HOUSE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:24 P.M.

### Special Session A

**President:** Tom Lee  
**Speaker:** Allan Bense  
**Governor:** Jeb Bush

December 13, 11:00 A.M. through December 17, 11:59 P.M.  
Topics raised in Governor’s veto message of HB 821, 2004 regular session, Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten Education Program  
Operation of juvenile detention facilities for FY 2004-05, and funding responsibility of counties, SB 2564, 2004 regular session  
Extending the effective date of the requirement for licensure of Discount Medical Plan Organizations. s. 636.204, F.S., created by s. 31 of Ch. 2004-297, Laws of Florida  
Tax relief for primary residence of hurricane victims of a 2004 named hurricane or tropical storm  
Compensation and relief of insured policyholders of residential property insurance for cost of multiple deductibles from two or more named 2004 hurricanes  
Florida Insurance Code  
Loans to school districts awaiting FEMA reimbursements to accelerate rebuilding of public school facilities damaged or destroyed during the 2004 hurricane season  
Restoration of the Beach and Dune System damaged during the 2004 hurricane season  
Dept. of Agriculture and Consumer Services:  
- canker eradication efforts  
- compensation for property owners for destroyed or damaged citrus crops  
- completing a soybean rust survey and eradication effort  
- Caribbean Fruit Fly Certification Program  
Providing the Dept. of Elder Affairs, Dept. of Children and Families, and Agency for Persons with Disabilities to support relief efforts from federal funds  
Providing the Dept. of Community Affairs to match FEMA funding for Other Needs Assistance (ONA) grants for relief efforts  
Administer the Public Assistance Program, providing grant assistance for publicly owned facilities incurring losses  
Administer the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, providing assistance to local governments for relief efforts  
Providing the Agency for Workforce Innovation to assist workers displaced by a named 2004 hurricane or tropical storm  

**Expanded call:**  
Eliminate redundant eligibility requirements for Kidcare Program  
SINE DIE: December 16  
SENATE: 2:50 P.M.  
HOUSE: 2:53 P.M.

2. **2005**

### Regular Session

**President:** Tom Lee  
**Speaker:** Allan Bense  
**Governor:** Jeb Bush

37th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution  
March 8, 10:00 A.M. through May 6  
SINE DIE: May 6, 11:49 P.M.
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Special Session B
President: Tom Lee  Speaker: Allan Bense  Governor: Jeb Bush
December 5, 1:00 P.M. through December 9, 11:59 P.M. ........................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Implementing reforms of Florida’s Medicaid system, consistent with the waiver application and the Special Terms and Conditions approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) on October 19, 2005
Authorizing, regulating and taxing the operation of slot machines
SINE DIE: December 8, 4:50 P.M.

2006

Regular Session
President: Tom Lee  Speaker: Allan Bense  Governor: Jeb Bush
38th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 7, 10:00 A.M. through May 5
SINE DIE: May 5, 11:59 P.M.

Organization Session
President: Ken Pruitt  Speaker: Marco Rubio  Governor: Charlie Crist
November 21
SENATE: 10:00 A.M. through 11:42 A.M.  HOUSE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:41 P.M.

2007

Special Session A
President: Ken Pruitt  Speaker: Marco Rubio  Governor: Charlie Crist
January 16, 9:00 A.M. through January 22, 11:59 P.M. ....................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Reduce current property premiums in the state;
Reduce the future rate of growth in property insurance premiums in the state;
Improve the availability and stability of property insurance in the state;
Legislation relating to building codes in the State of Florida.
SINE DIE: January 22, 5:39 P.M.

Regular Session
President: Ken Pruitt  Speaker: Marco Rubio  Governor: Charlie Crist
39th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 6, 10:00 A.M. through May 4
SINE DIE: May 4, 4:12 P.M.

Special Session B
President: Ken Pruitt  Speaker: Marco Rubio  Governor: Charlie Crist
June 12, 11:00 A.M. through June 22, 11:59 P.M. ....................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Consideration of legislation to reduce and/or restructure ad valorem taxes in the State of Florida.
SINE DIE: June 14
SENATE: 6:00 P.M.  HOUSE: 6:27 P.M.

Special Session C
President: Ken Pruitt  Speaker: Marco Rubio  Governor: Charlie Crist
October 3, 9:00 A.M. through October 12, 11:59 P.M. ....................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Making adjustments to FY 2007-2008 appropriations;
Providing for the redirection of trust fund revenues and balances to the General Revenue Fund;
Making adjustments to user fees;
Conform FL law to such adjustments and redirections;
Narrowing the definition of “municipality of special financial concern” created by Sec. 8, Ch. 2007-321, Laws of Florida.
Expanded call:........................................................................................................ Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 2
HB 13-C and any identical bill filed in the Senate, or other similar legislation which reenacts, with reforms, the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault law, and any related public records measures deemed necessary.
SINE DIE: October 12
SENATE: 1:30 P.M.                         HOUSE: 1:36 P.M.

**Special Session D**  
*President: Ken Pruitt  Speaker: Marco Rubio  Governor: Charlie Crist*  
October 12, 1:40 P.M. (10 minutes after adjournment sine die of Special Session C) through October 29, 11:59 P.M.  

Ad valorem taxation to provide:

- An increase in the homestead exemption;
- Portability for the assessment benefit;
- A $25,000 exemption for tangible personal property;
- A new exemption for first-time homesteaders;
- A new exemption for low-income seniors;
- Changes in the manner of assessment for affordable housing and working water fronts;
- Alter the presumption of correctness for certain challenges to property assessments;
- Election of property appraisers;
- Limitations on the authority of local governments to increase ad valorem taxes;
- A special election on a joint resolution addressing ad valorem taxation

**SINE DIE: October 29**

SENATE: 11:59 P.M.                         HOUSE: 7:06 P.M.

*The Senate recessed at 12:22 P.M. and did not reconvene.*

**2008**

**Regular Session**  
*President: Ken Pruitt  Speaker: Marco Rubio  Governor: Charlie Crist*  
40th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution  
March 4, 11:00 A.M. through May 2

**SINE DIE: May 2**

SENATE: 5:59 P.M.                         HOUSE: 6:02 P.M.

**Organization Session**  
*President: Jeff Atwater  Speaker: Ray Sansom  Governor: Charlie Crist*  
November 18

SENATE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:10 P.M.                         HOUSE: 9:00 A.M. through 11:28 A.M.

**2009**

**Special Session A**  
*President: Jeff Atwater  Speaker: Ray Sansom  Governor: Charlie Crist*  
January 5, 11:00 A.M. through January 16, 11:59 P.M.  

Making adjustments to fiscal year 2008-2009 appropriations and to prior year appropriations;  
Redirecting trust fund revenues and balances to the General Revenue Fund;  
Making minor adjustments to existing user fees, not including any fees related to alcoholic beverages, cigarettes, or tobacco products;  
Legislation providing for streamlining and flexibility of educational programs, services, and use of funds;  
Funding the state-required costs under Article V by providing for or making adjustments to fees and fines relating to traffic enforcement and to civic and criminal fees, fines, and penalties;  
Authorizing a pilot program to provide up to $10 million in small business loans to stimulate investments in Florida’s economy;  
Authorizing intergovernmental transfers;  
Legislation to conform Florida law to such adjustments, redirections, and authorizations

**Expanded call:**  

Imposing nursing home quality assessments;  
Increasing the fine imposed for failing to pay a civil traffic penalty within the period specified

**SINE DIE: January 14**

SENATE: 12:53 P.M.                         HOUSE: 2:59 P.M.
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Regular Session
President: Jeff Atwater  Speaker: Larry Cretul  Governor: Charlie Crist
41st Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 3, 10:00 A.M. through May 1
Extended through May 8, 6:00 P.M. .............................................. HCR 8005 - Galvano; Jrl. p. 1090

Limited call:
General appropriations bills (SB 2600) and implementing bills (SB 2602)
Conforming bills in appropriations conference committees under consideration before May 2
SINE DIE: May 8, 2:57 P.M.

Special Session B
President: Jeff Atwater  Speaker: Larry Cretul  Governor: Charlie Crist
December 3, 9:00 A.M. through December 11, 12:00 noon .......... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
Relating to the FL Dept. of Transportation’s authority to acquire, own, construct, operate, market,
promote, maintain, and manage existing and new passenger rail corridors;
Creating the FL Rail Enterprise within the FL DOT to oversee and manage the development and
operations of state-owned rail systems;
Creating the Statewide Passenger Rail Commission within the FL DOT to monitor the efficiency,
productivity, and management of all publicly-funded passenger rail systems and to advise the Dept.
and Legislature on policies and strategies relating to state-owned passenger rail systems;
Addressing the allocation and assumption of risks associated with state-owned passenger rail corridors;
Authorizing the FL DOT to purchase insurance and establish a self-retention fund to insure against
liability risks associated with state-owned passenger rail corridors;
Providing for the allocation of increased revenues to the State Transportation Trust Fund, based on the
Revenue Estimating Conference’s revised forecast dated November 2009, to fund existing
passenger rail operations;
Addressing allocation of a portion of documentary stamp tax proceeds provided to the Transportation
Regional Incentive Program pursuant to s. 201.15(1)(c)1.d., F.S., to fund the capital costs of future
passenger rail systems and associated impacts;
Reallocating documentary stamp tax proceeds provided pursuant to s. 201.15(1)(c)1., F.S., to fund the
Small County Outreach Program
SINE DIE: December 8
SENATE: 4:24 P.M.  HOUSE: 5:06 P.M.

2010

Regular Session
President: Jeff Atwater  Speaker: Larry Cretul  Governor: Charlie Crist
42nd Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 2, 9:00 A.M. through April 30
SINE DIE: April 30
SENATE: 8:47 P.M.  HOUSE: 6:59 P.M.

Special Session C
President: Jeff Atwater  Speaker: Larry Cretul  Governor: Charlie Crist
July 20, 12 Noon through July 23, 5:00 P.M. .......................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
Convened: 12:44 P.M.
Passage of a joint resolution to revise the State Constitution to prohibit off-shore exploration and
drilling for oil;
Placing the proposed revision of the November 2, 2010 ballot
SINE DIE: July 20
SENATE: 2:20 P.M.  HOUSE: 12:51 P.M.

Organization Session
President: Mike Haridopolos  Speaker: Dean Cannon  Governor: Charlie Crist
November 16
SENATE: 10:00 A.M. through 11:57 A.M.  HOUSE: 10:00 A.M. through 11:54 A.M.
Special Session A

President: Mike Haridopolos  Speaker: Dean Cannon  Governor: Charlie Crist

November 16, 3:00 P.M. ......................................................... Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1

Consideration of gubernatorial vetoes of specific appropriations and substantive bills passed during the 2010 regular session, specifically:

- Specific appropriation 185 and related proviso in the 2010-2011 General Appropriations Act;
- HB 545, relating to residential property sales;
- CS for HB 569, relating to solid waste disposal;
- CS for CS for HB 981, relating to agriculture;
- CS for CS for HB 1385, relating to petroleum contamination site cleanup;
- CS for CS for SB 1516, relating to state-owned lands;
- CS for CS for HB 1565, relating to rulemaking;
- CS for CS for SB 1842, relating to transportation projects;

Consideration of legislation relating to:

- Resolutions fixing the effective dates and deadlines of certain specific appropriations and substantive bills passed during the 2010 regular session which were vetoed;
- Extending the dates for implementation of onsite sewage treatment and disposal system evaluation program;
- Rebates, using federal funds, on certain heating and air conditioning systems and certain solar energy systems;
- A memorial calling on Congress to grant states more flexibility in the design and administration of Medicaid and expressing legislative intent to expand key components of the Medicaid managed care pilot

SINE DIE: November 16
SENATE: 6:01 P.M.  HOUSE: 5:40 P.M.

2011

Regular Session  President: Mike Haridopolos  Speaker: Dean Cannon  Governor: Rick Scott

43rd Session—Under the 1968 Constitution
March 8, 10:00 A.M. through May 6
Extended through May 7, 6:00 P.M. ......................................................... SCR 2230 - Thrasher; Jrl. p. 1827

Limited call:
- General appropriations bills (SB 2000) and implementing bill (SB 2002)
- Conforming bills in appropriations conference committees under consideration before May 5

SINE DIE: May 7
SENATE: 3:35 A.M.  HOUSE: 2:07 A.M.

2012

Regular Session  President: Mike Haridopolos  Speaker: Dean Cannon  Governor: Rick Scott

44th Session—Under the 1968 Constitution
January 10, 10:00 A.M. through March 9
SINE DIE: March 9, 11:59 P.M.

Extraordinary Reapportionment Session  President: Mike Haridopolos  Speaker: Dean Cannon  Governor: Rick Scott
March 14, 1:00 P.M. through March 28, 11:59 P.M. .......................................................... Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1

Adopt a joint resolution of apportionment conforming to the judgment of the Supreme Court

SINE DIE:
SENATE: March 28, 11:59 P.M.  HOUSE: March 27, 2:29 P.M.

The Senate recessed March 22, 3:38 P.M. and did not reconvene.
### Organization Session

**President:** Don Gaetz    **Speaker:** Will Weatherford    **Governor:** Rick Scott

#### November 20

- **SENATE:** 9:00 A.M. through 11:51 A.M.
- **HOUSE:** 10:00 A.M. through 12:26 P.M.

#### 2013

**Regular Session**

- President: Don Gaetz    Speaker: Will Weatherford    Governor: Rick Scott
- 45th Session – Under the 1968 Constitution
- March 5, 10:00 A.M. through May 3
- SINE DIE: May 3, 7:16 P.M.

#### 2014

**Regular Session**

- President: Don Gaetz    Speaker: Will Weatherford    Governor: Rick Scott
- 46th Session – Under the 1968 Constitution
- March 4, 10:00 A.M. through May 2
- SINE DIE: May 2, 10:39 P.M.

**Special Session A**

- President: Don Gaetz    Speaker: Will Weatherford    Governor: Rick Scott
- August 7, 12:00 P.M. through August 15, 11:59 P.M.  
  Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
  Considering revisions to Chapter 2012-2, Laws of Florida, an act establishing the congressional districts of the state, to amend Congressional Districts 5 and 10 established under the act, consistent with the Final Judgment issued by the circuit court in Romo v. Detzner, consolidated case nos. 2012-CA-412 and 2012-CA-490, in the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit in and for Leon County, Florida, and to make conforming changes to districts that are a direct result of the changes to Congressional Districts 5 and 10.
- SINE DIE: August 11
  - **SENATE:** 6:20 P.M.
  - **HOUSE:** 6:19 P.M.

#### Organization Session

- President: Andy Gardiner    Speaker: Steve Crisafulli    Governor: Rick Scott
- November 18
- **SENATE:** 9:00 A.M. through 11:59 A.M.
- **HOUSE:** 10:00 A.M. through 12:09 P.M.

#### 2015

**Regular Session**

- President: Andy Gardiner    Speaker: Steve Crisafulli    Governor: Rick Scott
- 47th Session – Under the 1968 Constitution
- March 3, 10:00 A.M. through May 1

- **SENATE:** April 29, 3:12 P.M.
  - The Senate adjourned April 29, 3:12 P.M. and did not reconvene. The hour of 11:59 P.M. May 1, having arrived, and the Senate stood adjourned Sine Die.
- **HOUSE:** April 28, 1:15 P.M.

**Special Session A**

- President: Andy Gardiner    Speaker: Steve Crisafulli    Governor: Rick Scott
- June 1, 1:00 P.M. through June 20, 11:59 P.M.  
  Proclamation by President and Speaker; Jrl. p. 1
  General Appropriations and Implementing bills;
  State Employees;
  Florida Business Information Portal;
  Allocation of Funds for Community-based Care Lead Agencies;
  State Administered Retirement Systems; Department of Transportation;
  Land Acquisition Trust Fund/
  Agency for Persons with Disabilities;
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Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services;
Department of State;
Department of Transportation;
Implementation of the Water and Land Conservation Constitutional Amendment;
Medicaid;
Hospital Certificate of Need Program;
Health Insurance Affordability Exchange;
Taxation;
SINE DIE: June 19, 6:50 P.M.

Special Session B
President: Andy Gardiner ▶ Speaker: Steve Crisafulli ▶ Governor: Rick Scott
August 10, 3:00 P.M. through August 21, 12:00 Noon

Considering revisions to Chapter 8, Florida Statutes, as amended by Chapters 2012-2 and 2014-255,
Laws of Florida, establishing Congressional districts; amending Congressional Districts 5, 13, 14, 21,
22, 25, 26, and 27 consistent with the Florida Supreme Court opinion in League of Women Voters of Fl., et al. v. Detzner, et al., SC14-1905, (Fla. July 9, 2015); and make conforming changes to districts
resulting from the amended referenced districts
SINE DIE: August 21
SENATE: 11:59 A.M. HOUSE: 12:00 Noon

Special Session C
President: Andy Gardiner ▶ Speaker: Steve Crisafulli ▶ Governor: Rick Scott
October 19, 12:00 P.M. through November 6, 3:00 P.M.

Considering a joint resolution establishing remedial senatorial districts for this state
SINE DIE:
SENATE: Nov. 5, 5:43 P.M. HOUSE: Nov. 5, 6:12 P.M.
The Senate adjourned November 5, 5:43 P.M. and did not reconvene. The House adjourned November 5, 6:12 P.M. and did not reconvene. The hour of 3:00 P.M. November 6, having arrived, and the Senate stood adjourned Sine Die.

2016
Regular Session
President: Andy Gardiner ▶ Speaker: Steve Crisafulli ▶ Governor: Rick Scott
48th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
January 12, 10:00 A.M. through March 11
SINE DIE: March 11, 6:45 P.M.

Organization Session
President: Joe Negron ▶ Speaker: Richard Corcoran ▶ Governor: Rick Scott
November 22
SENATE: 10:00 A.M. through 12:15 P.M. HOUSE: 11:00 A.M. through 12:45 P.M.

2017
Regular Session
President: Joe Negron ▶ Speaker: Richard Corcoran ▶ Governor: Rick Scott
49th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 7, 9:30 A.M. through May 5
Extended through May 8, 11:59 P.M. SCR 1850 - Benacquisto; Jrl. p. 963
Limited call:
General appropriations bills (SB 2000) and implementing bill (SB 2002)
Conforming bills in appropriations conference committees under consideration before May 5
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SINE DIE: May 8
SENATE: 8:52 P.M.  HOUSE: 8:52 P.M.

Special Session A  
President: Joe Negron  Speaker: Richard Corcoran  Governor: Rick Scott
June 7, 9:00 A.M. through June 9, 6:00 P.M. Proclamation by Governor; Jrl. p. 1
SINE DIE: June 9
SENATE: 4:42 P.M.  HOUSE: 4:42 P.M.

The Senate and House voted favorably on the General Appropriations Act (SB 2500-A/HB 3-A).

2018

Regular Session  
President: Joe Negron  Speaker: Richard Corcoran  Governor: Rick Scott
50th Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
January 9, 9:30 A.M. through March 9
Extended through March 11, 11:59 P.M. SCR 1946 - Benacquisto; Jrl. p. 1026
Limited call:
General appropriations bills (HB 5001), implementing bill (HB 5003), collective bargaining bill (HB 5005), taxation bill (CS/HB 7087)
SINE DIE: March 11
SENATE: 4:16 P.M.  HOUSE: 4:16 P.M.

Organization Session  
President: Bill Galvano  Speaker: Jose R. Oliva  Governor: Rick Scott
November 20
SENATE: 9:30 A.M. through 11:41 A.M.  HOUSE: 10:30 A.M. through 12:22 P.M.

2019

Regular Session  
President: Bill Galvano  Speaker: Jose R. Oliva  Governor: Ron DeSantis
51st Session– Under the 1968 Constitution
March 5, 9:30 A.M. through May 3
Extended through May 4, 11:59 P.M. SCR 1870 - Benacquisto; Jrl. p. 948
Limited call:
General appropriations bill (SB 2500), implementing bill (SB 2502), collective bargaining bill (SB 2504)
SINE DIE: May 4
SENATE: 2:03 P.M.  HOUSE: 2:02 P.M.