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## STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 3



### —The Ausley Update—

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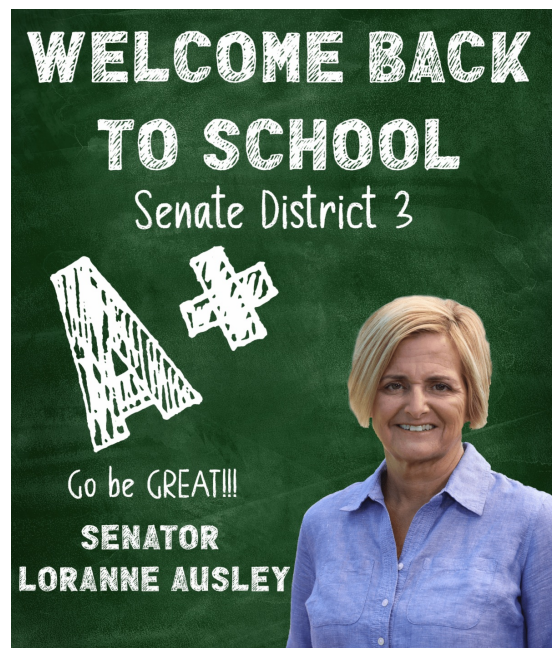
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August brings the return to school for our K-12 and higher education institutions. Like many other parents around the district and state, I worry about the unprecedented spike in COVID-19 cases, especially among our kids. Every day I am flooded with concerned constituents who are literally in crisis mode. Many are people who work in schools, universities, state agencies and throughout our community who are vaccinated but have children under the age of 12 who are not yet eligible to receive a vaccination. These parents live in fear of exposure at work and bringing the virus home to their children - the same children they so desperately hope won't contract COVID from their schools. The numbers are continuing to climb, and we are, without a doubt, in uncharted territory. We came together as a community early on in the pandemic, and it seems like that's what it is going to take once again to beat this wave - our children deserve nothing less.



For a vaccine location and/or information, please visit <https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/vaccines/> or contact your local health department. Let's get past this pandemic!

#### The Start of Committee Weeks is Here

Along with the start of Fall, September brings the beginning of Legislative Committee Weeks, in preparation for Session 2022 starting in January. To best prepare for next year's Session, I am asking you to tell me what issues you care most about and believe deserve attention. I can serve you better when I hear directly from you. I would love to get your feedback on issues important to you during the 2021 Legislative Session and ask that you send me your thoughts by emailing me at [ausley.loranne.web@flsenate.gov](mailto:ausley.loranne.web@flsenate.gov).

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#### AUSLEY'S HIGHLIGHTS

Today's highlight goes to our first responders and local emergency management departments. These are challenging times as we face an ongoing pandemic in the middle of hurricane season. I want to take this opportunity to say THANK YOU to all of our first responders who are active and willing to spring into action to keep our communities safe and functional during times of uncertainty.



#### GETTING AROUND THE DISTRICT

I had a great visit with FAMU President Robinson, FAMU faculty and student leaders, and enjoyed a delicious lunch at their new cafeteria.





Did you know that one of the only 3D printed houses in Florida is being built right here in Tallahassee? This is an innovative approach that offers a sustainable and storm proof solution to one of our state's most challenging problems - affordable housing.



Thanks to McDonald's, Sheriff Walt McNeil, and Neighborhood Medical Services for partnering with the South City Foundation in a South-side pop-up Vaccine Clinic. A number of Tallahassee's south-side residents stopped in for a vaccine and a free meal....such great teamwork and great partnerships coming together to keep our community safe!



Thank you for the honor to serve you in the Florida Senate, I look forward to continuing to work on your behalf and hope to see you in my travels around the district!

Sincerely,

*Loranne Ausley*

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Senator, District 3

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