

July 29, 2025

The Honorable James Uthmeier Office of the Attorney General Plaza Level 01, The Capitol 400 South Monroe Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Dear General Uthmeier,

To meet the requirements of Chapter 20.058, F.S., attached is the report detailing the mission, results, three-year outlook, financial information, and a copy of the organization's most recent Internal Revenue Service Form 990 for End Human Trafficking, Inc. (d/b/a Florida Alliance to End Human Trafficking). Additionally, this report serves as an attestation to 20.058, Florida Statutes, that the organization is in compliance with all sections.

Should you have any questions regarding the information provided in this report, please do not hesitate to reach out to me or Executive Director Erin Collins at (850) 570-1492.

Sincerely,

Dr. Phil Toal, Chair

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## <u>Name</u>

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#### **Statutory Authority (Summary)**

#### 16.618, Florida Statutes

- (1) The Department of Legal Affairs shall establish a direct-support organization to provide assistance, funding, and support to the Statewide Council on Human Trafficking and to assist in the fulfillment of the council's purposes. The direct-support organization must be:
- (a) A Florida corporation, not for profit, incorporated under chapter 617, and approved by the Secretary of State.
- (b) Organized and operated exclusively to solicit funds; request and receive grants, gifts, and bequests of money; acquire, receive, hold, invest, and administer, in its own name, property and funds; and make expenditures in support of the purposes specified in this section; and
- (c) Certified by the department, after review, to be operating in a manner consistent with the purposes of the organization and in the best interests of this state.

## Brief Description of the Mission and Results Obtained by the Organization

The Florida Alliance to End Human Trafficking is a nonprofit organization created by the Florida Legislature to provide funding, support, and assistance to the statewide effort to end human trafficking.

During Fiscal Year 2024-2025, Florida Alliance to End Human Trafficking developed and executed the following:

- Held five meetings of the Board of Directors (1 in person).
- Trained over 16,000 individuals with its online human trafficking awareness course (over 56,000 to date) from various industries: including hotel, motel, vacation rentals, trucking and logistics, property management, service providers, statewide associations, state/local government agencies, universities, and real estate (including over 2,100 in Spanish, French, Russian, German and Italian)..
- Supported and promoted the 100 Percent Club (human trafficking awareness challenge to businesses/organizations).
  - 83 companies have completed the application.
  - 58 companies have received their certificate of completion.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> As of June 26, 2025.



- Issued grant opportunities from private fundraising to support law enforcement's use of technology solutions to identify victims to initiate cases, investigations, and rescue victims.
  - Issued a Law Enforcement Grants Solicitation (April 2024) for up to \$100,000.00 in funding (ratified and approved by the Board of Directors and Statewide Council on Human Trafficking in August 2024).
    - Received 24 responses from agencies and made the following grant awards: Miami Beach Police Department (\$27,600.00) and Tampa Police Department (\$79,154.00).
  - Issued a Law Enforcement Grants Solicitation (December 2024) for up to \$250,000.00 in funding (ratified and approved by the Board of Directors and Statewide Council on Human Trafficking in April 2025).
    - Received 16 responses from agencies and made the following grant awards: Boca Raton Police Department (\$21,006.00), Broward Sheriff's Office (\$64,600.00), Pinellas Park Police Department (\$28,340.00), and Polk County Sheriff's Office (\$135,000.00).
- Provided three different awareness trainings for various organizations.
- Continued outreach of potential donors, community partners, and supporters.
- Fundraised \$403,816.80 in private contributions.
  - Including a local and national foundation, event sponsorships, individual philanthropic gifts, and anonymous online donations.
  - Hosted a regional awareness event in Tallahassee (April 2025) and annual fundraising gala A Night of Hope and Healing (May 2025).
- Updated corporate and individual annual giving plans.
- Attended and participated in over 12 partner/stakeholder trainings, webinars, listening sessions. (These sessions were attended by the DSO's Executive Director.)



# <u>Brief Description of the Organization's Plans for the Next Three Fiscal Years</u>

During the upcoming fiscal years, the Florida Alliance to End Human Trafficking is focused on the following initiatives:

- Host fundraising events to provide funding, support, and assistance to the Statewide Council on Human Trafficking.
- Collaborate with the Statewide Council on Human Trafficking to update the organization's training resources.
- During Fiscal Year 2025-2026, the DSO will offer up to \$150,000 in Law Enforcement Grants for agencies' technology purposes (based on input and direction from the Statewide Council) in their efforts to combat human trafficking. (There will be one application period tentatively scheduled to open in November 2025.)