

26 the Office of the Attorney General, shall develop and implement
27 the Hope Card Program, which provides for the issuance of a Hope
28 Card to any person who has been issued an order of protection by
29 a county or circuit court in this state.

30 (2) Beginning October 1, 2024, a person who has been
31 issued a final judgment on injunction for protection under s.
32 741.30, s. 784.046, s. 784.0485, or s. 825.1035 may request a
33 Hope Card from the clerk of the court of the circuit in which
34 the order for an injunction for protection was entered. A person
35 may request a Hope Card at the time the final judgment on
36 injunction for protection is issued or at any other time before
37 the expiration of the order for protection.

38 (3) After the court has issued a final judgment on
39 injunction for protection and within 3 business days after
40 receipt of a request for a Hope Card, the clerk of the court
41 shall create the Hope Card and provide it to the petitioner.

42 (4) The clerk of the court may not assess a fee for the
43 issuance of a Hope Card.

44 (5) A Hope Card is valid for 2 years after the date of
45 issuance of the final order or the expiration date of the
46 injunction, whichever is earlier. A Hope Card may be renewed
47 after the 2-year period if the injunction is still in effect.

48 (6) A Hope Card issued under the program must be a
49 durable, wallet-sized card containing all of the following
50 information:

51 (a) The respondent's name and date of birth.

52 (b) The name and date of birth of the petitioner or
 53 protected person.

54 (c) Information regarding the issuing court; the case
 55 number; the date the order of protection was issued; and the
 56 expiration date, if any, of the order of protection.

57 (d) The date of issuance and the expiration date of the
 58 Hope Card.

59 (7) A person who, having actual knowledge that he or she
 60 is not protected by an injunction that is currently in force and
 61 effect, knowingly and willfully presents to another person a
 62 Hope Card or other document purporting to be a Hope Card for the
 63 purpose of evidencing the existence of an injunction, commits a
 64 misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s.
 65 775.082 or s. 775.083.

66 Section 2. Paragraph (d) is added to subsection (8) of
 67 section 741.30, Florida Statutes, to read:

68 741.30 Domestic violence; injunction; powers and duties of
 69 court and clerk; petition; notice and hearing; temporary
 70 injunction; issuance of injunction; statewide verification
 71 system; enforcement; public records exemption.-

72 (8)

73 (d) The petitioner may request a Hope Card under s.
 74 741.311 after the court has issued a final order of protection.

75 Section 3. Paragraph (d) is added to subsection (8) of

76 | section 784.046, Florida Statutes, to read:

77 | 784.046 Action by victim of repeat violence, sexual
78 | violence, or dating violence for protective injunction; dating
79 | violence investigations, notice to victims, and reporting;
80 | pretrial release violations; public records exemption.—

81 | (8)

82 | (d) The petitioner may request a Hope Card under s.
83 | 741.311 after the court has issued a final order of protection.

84 | Section 4. Paragraph (c) is added to subsection (8) of
85 | section 784.0485, Florida Statutes, to read:

86 | 784.0485 Stalking; injunction; powers and duties of court
87 | and clerk; petition; notice and hearing; temporary injunction;
88 | issuance of injunction; statewide verification system;
89 | enforcement.—

90 | (8)

91 | (c) The petitioner may request a Hope Card under s.
92 | 741.311 after the court has issued a final order of protection.

93 | Section 5. Paragraph (c) is added to subsection (10) of
94 | section 825.1035, Florida Statutes, to read:

95 | 825.1035 Injunction for protection against exploitation of
96 | a vulnerable adult.—

97 | (10) TRANSMITTAL TO SHERIFF; SERVICE; HOPE CARD.—

98 | (c) The petitioner may request a Hope Card under s.
99 | 741.311 after the court has issued a final order of protection.

100 | Section 6. This act shall take effect October 1, 2024.