

**ESCAMBIA COUNTY
TOURIST DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**

Special Meeting – August 10, 2020

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

BOCC Chambers

AGENDA

- 1) Call to Order – Chairwoman Shirley K. Cronley
- 2) Public Comment – Chairwoman Shirley K. Cronley
- 3) New Business
 - a. Visit Pensacola Update – Darien Schaefer, Visit Pensacola
 - b. Discussion on “5th cent tax” Spending Plan
 - c. Recommendation for “5th cent tax” Spending Plan*
- 4) Other Business

*Requires Council vote

FLORIDA STATUTORY AUTHORIZED USES OF TDT CENTS 1 - 5

	1	2	3	4	5
Acquire, construct, extend, enlarge, remodel, repair, improve, maintain, operate or promote publicly owned & operated convention centers, sports stadiums, sports arenas, coliseums, auditoriums, aquariums or museums that are publicly owned and operated or owned and operated by not-for profit organizations and open to the public	X	X	X		
Promote Zoological Parks that are publicly owned and operated or owned and operated by not-for-profit organizations and open to the public	X	X	X		
Promote and advertise tourism in Florida, nationally and internationally, and/or to support an activity, service, venue or event that is attractive to tourists	X	X	X	X	X
Fund Convention and Visitor's Bureaus	X	X	X		
Finance beach park facilities or beach improvement, maintenance, re-nourishment, restoration, and erosion control, including shoreline protection, enhancement, cleanup, or restoration of inland lakes and rivers (public access required)	X	X	X		
TDT revenues may be pledged to secure and liquidate revenue bonds issued by the County for the purposes set forth in the 1, 2, and 5 or for the purpose of refunding bonds previously issued for such purposes, or both	X	X	X		
Pay the debt service on bonds issued to finance the construction, reconstruction or renovation of a publicly owned professional sports franchise facility or retained spring training franchise facility				X	X
Pay the debt service on bonds issued to finance the construction, reconstruction or renovation of a convention center				X	
Pay the operation and maintenance cost of a convention center for a period of up to ten years, only if the tax was levied for this purpose					X