## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

Pursuant to section 286.011, Florida Statutes, notice is hereby given that the Okaloosa County Tourist Development Department will hold its 2021 Tourism Kickoff Meeting on Tuesday, January 26, 2021 at 8:00 am. The meeting will be held in Ballroom I at the Destin-Fort Walton Beach Convention Center, 1250 Miracle Strip Pkwy SE, Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548.

Members of the public are welcome to attend. However, in an effort to provide additional opportunities for public participation, while still complying with social distancing guidelines, the County will provide an accommodation for the public to access and participate in the meeting remotely by telephone. If you wish to request such the following an accommodation, please go link to http://myokaloosa.com/bcc/speaker card and fill out the form prior to 2:00 p.m. the day before the scheduled public meeting. You may also request an accommodation by calling 850-651-7131. The day of the meeting, you must call in between 8:00 - 8:30 am and wait to speak. After 8:30 am, the meeting will be locked and no new attendees will be admitted to the meeting.

Please be advised that two or more members of the Okaloosa County Tourist Development Council (TDC) and/or Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) may be in attendance. This is not an official meeting of the TDC or BOCC and TDC or BOCC members will not take any action or vote at this meeting.

If any person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, such person will need a record of the proceedings may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Okaloosa County adheres to the American Disabilities Act and will make reasonable modifications for access to these hearings upon request. Requests may be made to the County Commission office described above and must be made at least 48 hours in advance of the hearing in order to provide the requested service.