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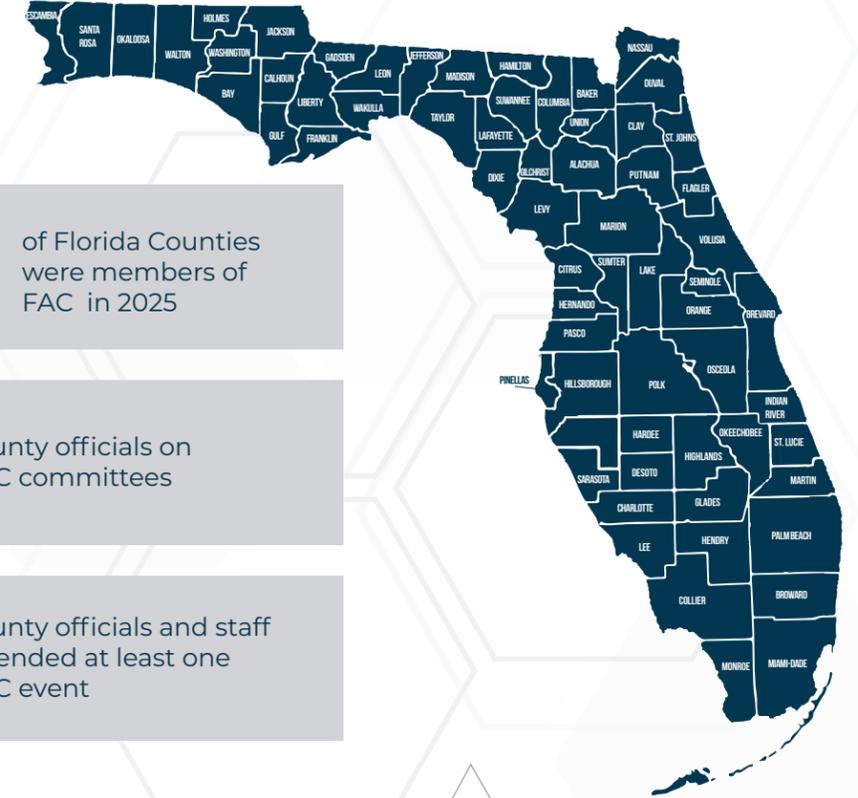
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2025 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP



- 
100% of Florida Counties were members of FAC in 2025
- 
150 county officials on FAC committees
- 
943 county officials and staff attended at least one FAC event

16 COUNTIES HAD ALL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS REGISTERED FOR AT LEAST ONE FAC EVENT

Alachua, Clay, Dixie, Flagler, Franklin, Gadsden, Gulf, Hardee, Hendry, Levy, Okeechobee, Putnam, Santa Rosa, St. Johns, St. Lucie, and Suwannee counties had ALL county commissioners registered for at least one FAC event.

AFFILIATES

137
MEMBERS



300
MEMBERS



93
MEMBERS



26
MEMBERS



51
MEMBERS



HOME RULE ADVOCACY



477

bills monitored in FAC's Bill Tracker



55

proposed preemptions/mandates



269

bills passed both chambers

ENGAGING COUNTY LEADERS

FAC hosted five conferences in 2025, drawing meaningful engagement from county commissioners, staff, and partners across the state and country.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE

9.2%
INCREASE IN EVENT ATTENDANCE ↑

INNOVATION & POLICY

47.2%
INCREASE IN EVENT ATTENDANCE ↑

LEGISLATIVE DAY



180 IN ATTENDANCE

LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE



304 IN ATTENDANCE

LEGISLATIVE WINS FOR FLORIDA COUNTIES

AMENDED AND PASSED LEGISLATION:

- Modified full local responsibility for Utility Relocation to reimbursement grant program
- Removed Impact Fee caps --> unanimous vote threshold
- Modifications to reduce potential preemption of Live Local 3.0 (Affordable Housing)
- Supported state recycling plan (FAC Legislative Action Plan)
- Supported one water approach resolution (FAC Legislative Action Plan)

FAILED PREEMPTIONS

- Prevented legislation from imposing term limits on counties (HJR 679 & SJR 802)
- Defeated legislation expanding use of Agricultural Enclaves (HB 1209 & SB 1118)
- Derailed legislation on Local Option Taxes (Reauthorization) and Tourist Development Tax Offsets (HB 1221)
- Stalled legislation preempting siting of waste incineration facilities (HB 1609)
- Coalition of local governments cautioned wholesale changes to sovereign immunity laws (HB 301)



TECHNOLOGY SUMMIT



FAC hosted its Technology Summit in Marion County, Florida, bringing together 161 county commissioners and staff to focus on the future of technology, cybersecurity, and artificial intelligence.



14 expert panelists and speakers



161 commissioners and staff in attendance

FAC ANNUAL CONFERENCE



20 workshops at annual conference



51 speakers and panelists at annual conference

When I attended my 1st FAC conference, I attended the new commissioner bootcamp and just from that initial class I learned a wealth of info that led me to obtain my CCC credential. Being able to network with commissioners from other counties while learning is a great way to make our counties better.



— JESSICA WARD, FRANKLIN COUNTY COMMISSIONER

LOOK AHEAD – SAVE THE DATE

JUNE 23-26, 2026



2026 ANNUAL CONFERENCE & EXHIBITION
 HILTON ORLANDO
 ORLANDO FLORIDA
Orange County

67 Counties. 67 Communities.
ONE FLORIDA



SEPTEMBER 16-17, 2026



2026 INNOVATION & POLICY CONFERENCE
 HILTON JACKSONVILLE @ MAYO CLINIC
 JACKSONVILLE FLORIDA
Duval County

67 Counties. 67 Communities.
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DECEMBER 2-4, 2026



2026 LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE
 SAWGRASS MARRIOTT
 PONTE VEDRA FLORIDA
St. Johns County

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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

2025 GRADUATES

17 CCC | **6** ACCI | **11** ACCII | **6** CGE



148 GRADS currently in office | **580** GRADS since inception



96 GRADS currently in office | **313** GRADS since inception



48 GRADS currently in office | **72** GRADS since inception



46 GRADS currently in office | **59** GRADS since inception

BOARDS WITH ALL ACC GRADS: CHARLOTTE COUNTY
BOARD WITH ALL CCC/ACC GRADS: ALACHUA, BRADFORD, CHARLOTTE, GILCHRIST, HIGHLANDS



SAVING TAX DOLLARS

FAC's Business Solutions are designed by counties for counties, delivering the highest quality and value. All of FAC's business solutions use the collective purchasing power of counties to reduce the cost of products and services, while driving superior performance and service.



\$30 MILLION
In savings to counties

61 PARTICIPATING COUNTIES

2,755
Number of items purchased

\$5.9 BILLION
Assets

62 PARTICIPATING COUNTIES

69,764 PARTICIPANTS

25 MEMBERS

21 COUNTIES
4 SPECIAL DISTRICTS

25 TOTAL TRAININGS
were held providing support in our signature Risk Management Model.

2 LOAN PROGRAMS

11 LOCAL GOVERNMENTS
financed their infrastructure and capital needs

\$2.9 BILLION
was lent to 60+ local governments since 1991

\$2 BILLION
(Total in both funds as of 9/30/25)

37 ACTIVE MEMBERS
Short Term bond fund as of 09/30/25

59 ACTIVE MEMBERS
Day to Day fund as of 09/30/25

55 COUNTIES
are a part of the Florida Trust

BUSINESS SOLUTIONS



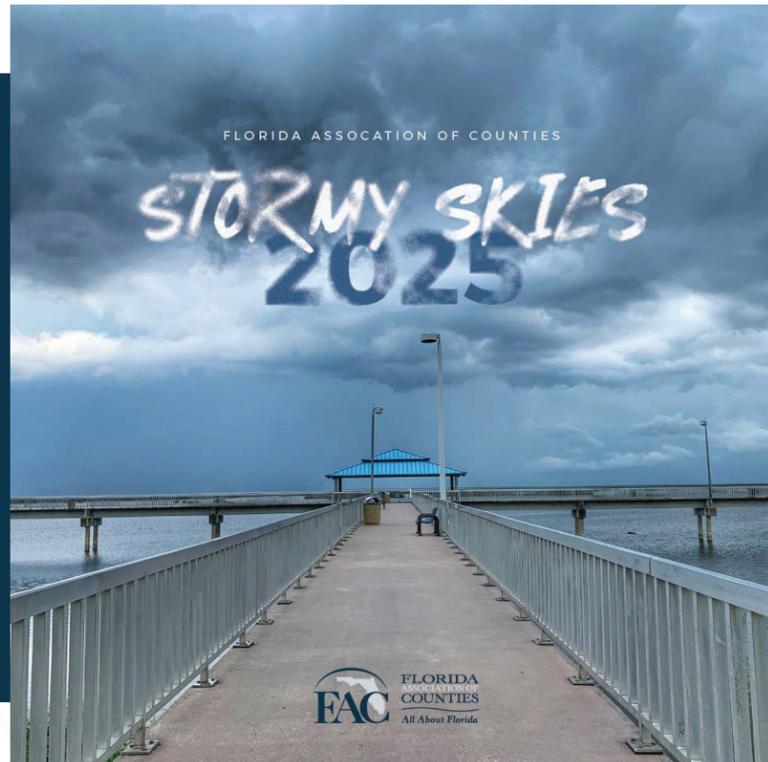
CALENDAR



PHOTO CONTEST

565 PHOTOS WERE SUBMITTED

FAC held its annual photo calendar contest. This year the theme was "Stormy Skies" and 565 photos were submitted to this highly anticipated publication.



COMMUNICATIONS

SOCIAL MEDIA NUMBER OF FOLLOWERS

f
3,774

ig
1,199

X
4,970

in
1,488

NUMBER'S ACROSS ALL PLATFORMS

@
520,672
page and
profile
impressions

💬
882
posts

👤
360,197
page and
profile reach

👥
11,431
total followers

↑
701%
increase
from 2024

↑
5.3%
increase
from 2024

↑
22.6%
increase
from 2024

↑
8.1%
increase
from 2024



55
COUNTIES
PARTICIPATED

WINNERS

- Okeechobee County
- Monroe County
- Orange County
- Brevard County
- Charlotte County
- Collier County
- Escambia County
- Flagler County
- Franklin County
- Hardee County
- Hillsborough County
- Lafayette County
- Levy County
- Miami-Dade County
- Nassau County



COMMUNICATIONS



721

e-blasts sent throughout 2025 with an average



40%
open rate

NEWS & NOTES

A newsletter dedicated to featuring pertinent information relevant to counties, educational articles, and innovative counties ideas.



39.2%
average
open rate



2,518
average
distribution rate

NEWS CLIPS

News Clips shares news headlines most relevant to Florida's counties.



40.38%
average
open rate



2,107
county officials
and staff receive

FAC MENTIONED IN ARTICLES



534 TIMES

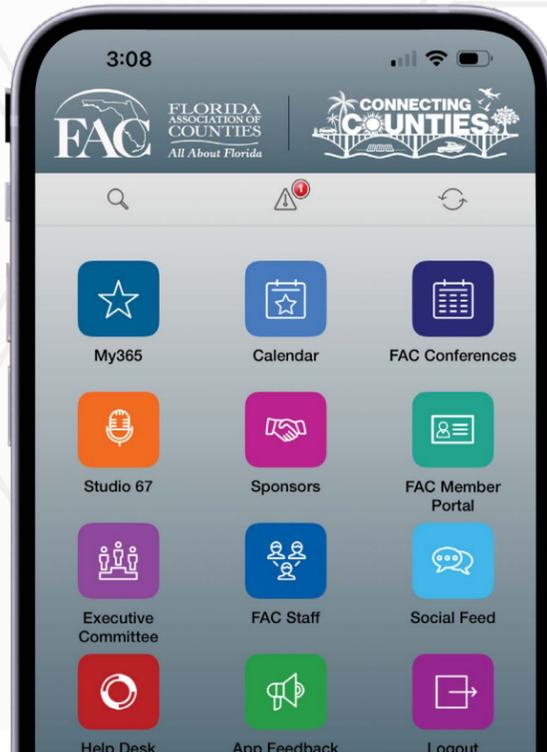
FAC was mentioned
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NEW IN 2025! FAC – FL COUNTIES MOBILE APP

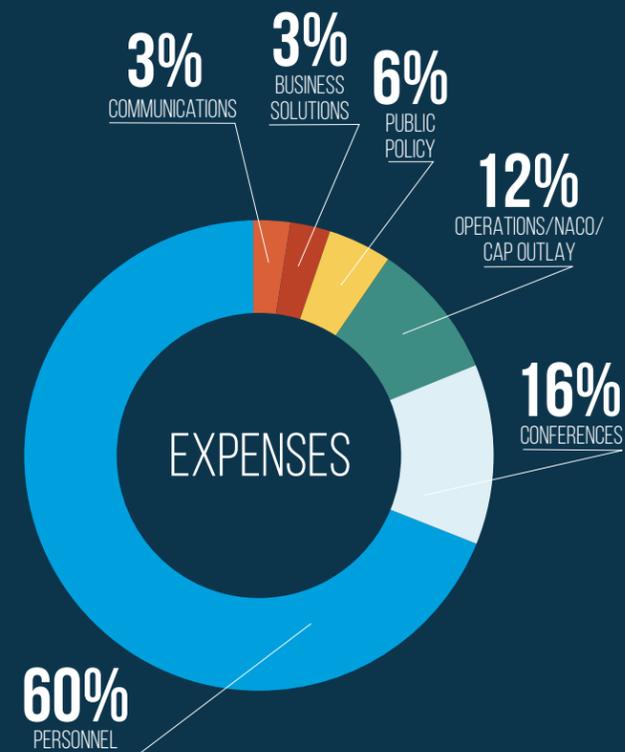
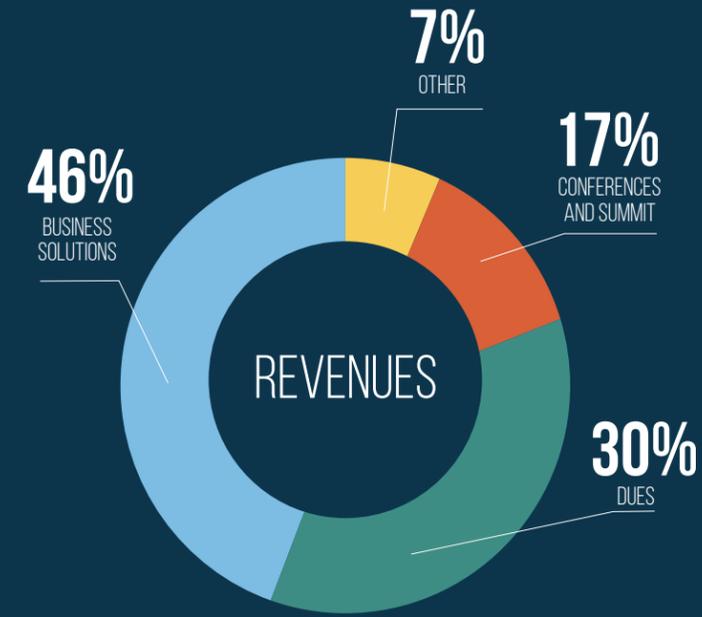
In 2025, FAC launched its first ever mobile app, FAC – FL Counties.



187
downloads in 2025



FINANCE



FAC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE



Michelle Lincoln
President
Monroe County



René Flowers
President-Elect
Pinellas County



Susan Adams
1st Vice President
Indian River County



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