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Guarding manufactured/mobile home owner rights

Let's Save some Money!!

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The 2022 Tax Bill (HB 7071) has a little something for everybody, it seems! Please use this link to read the language of the bill: <https://www.flsenate.gov/Session/Bill/2022/7071>

The Governor has signed HB 7071 into law so the following information is accurate...hopefully you can save some money! The Department of Revenue has issued emergency rules which provide parameters and limitations so please check at your time of purchase for savings.

I have listed the opportunities chronologically for your convenience:

- There is a three month sales tax holiday for children's books from May 14 to August 14, 2022.
- There is a two week disaster preparedness tax break...tarps, batteries, flashlights, coolers... May 28- June 10, 2022...there are cost limits.
- Sales tax at the rate of 3 percent of the sales price on the retail sale of a new mobile home. As used in this paragraph, the term "new mobile home" has the same meaning as in s. 319.001 effective July 1, 2022.
- No sales tax on impact resistant windows, doors, or garage doors July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2024.
- No sales tax on Energy Star Appliances: July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, on washing machines, clothes dryers, water heaters, and refrigerators up to specific purchase prices.
- No sales tax on baby and toddler diapers, clothes, and shoes July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, with some cost limits.
- July 1-7, 2022, no sales tax on some entertainment: museums, concerts, recreational equipment, state parks, and advance ticket sales for events, including sports events, 7/1 through end of the year.
- July 25-August 7, 2022, back to school sales tax holiday for clothing and shoes with limits, school supplies. Important to note this year there is a break on up to \$ 1,500 for personal computers, software, and accessories.
- A new tax exemption Sept 3-9, 2022, on " Skilled Worker Tools" ...hand and power tools, work boots, safety equipment.
- During month of October, 2022, there will be a \$.25.3 cents per gallon tax break on gasoline.

Respectfully submitted,
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