



LAKE COUNTY FLORIDA

ATTN: DEMOLITION CONTRACTORS

Effective January 01, 2013

Demolition contractors will need to obtain a **local certificate of competency license** to perform demolition work in Lake County. (This does not apply to General, Building or Residential contractors)

Demolition contractor shall mean a contractor whose services are limited to the demolition of all buildings or residences regardless of height or number of stories.

If you currently have a demolition license with Lake County you will be grandfathered in and will not have to take a demolition examination. **You must obtain your local certificate of competency license prior to January 01, 2013 in order to be exempt from testing.**

The following is required to obtain a local demolition license:

1. Proof of liability insurance, the general liability limits must have a minimum of \$300, 00.00 per occurrence and must show Lake County Board of County Commissioners as Certificate Holder.
2. Proof of Workers Compensation insurance, must show Lake County Board of County Commissioners as Certificate Holder, or provide a copy of the approved DWC-252 exemption form from the State.
3. Copy of current business tax receipt from any county or city.
4. Provide an original bond in a sum of \$5,000.00 bound unto the Florida Homeowners' Construction Recovery Fund. An original document is required, we cannot accept a copy.
5. An affidavit stating that the applicant will not undertake any work outside the scope of the certificate of competency for which he/she is applying.
6. If using a fictitious name or if incorporated you will need evidence of registering with the Secretary of State.
7. Copy of drivers license
8. License fee of \$150.00 for (two) 2 years, or pro-rated if less than six (6) months before expiration date, if applicable. Checks are made payable to the Board of County Commissioners or you may pay by cash or Visa or MasterCard.

If you do not register your license before January 1, 2013 you will need to take the demolition examination prior to your license being issued. The passing grade for Lake County is 75% and you **MUST** have taken the Business and Law Examination.

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