



Citrus Health Response Program

Protecting from Root to Fruit

Citrus Health Response Program Mission

Working together to produce healthy citrus

- Ensure security of citrus germplasm and citrus nursery programs
- Support effective disease / disease vector management program for groves
- Monitor defensible phytosanitary protocol that allows fresh fruit movement to all markets
- Implement citrus nursery clean stock program

Resources for the Industry

Tools to support citrus

- Compliance agreements and business plans designed to provide guidance and protect citrus
- Grower Assistance Program – decontamination training, survey assistance, self-survey and business plans
- Best Management Practices

Citrus Germplasm Introduction Program

Important disease-free start

- Ensures citrus germplasm is free from any known graft-transmissible pathogens
- Each variety undergoes years of intensive testing before release
- Provides approved germplasm to citrus budwood registration program
- New 20,000 sq ft facility at future Alachua County budwood site

Citrus Budwood Registration

Responding to disease pressures

- Provides clean budwood to citrus industry
- Facilities located outside of citrus-growing area
- 80,000 sq ft facility in Levy County
- Redundant 60,000 sq ft location planned in Alachua County

Citrus Nursery Guidelines

Providing clean stock for citrus groves

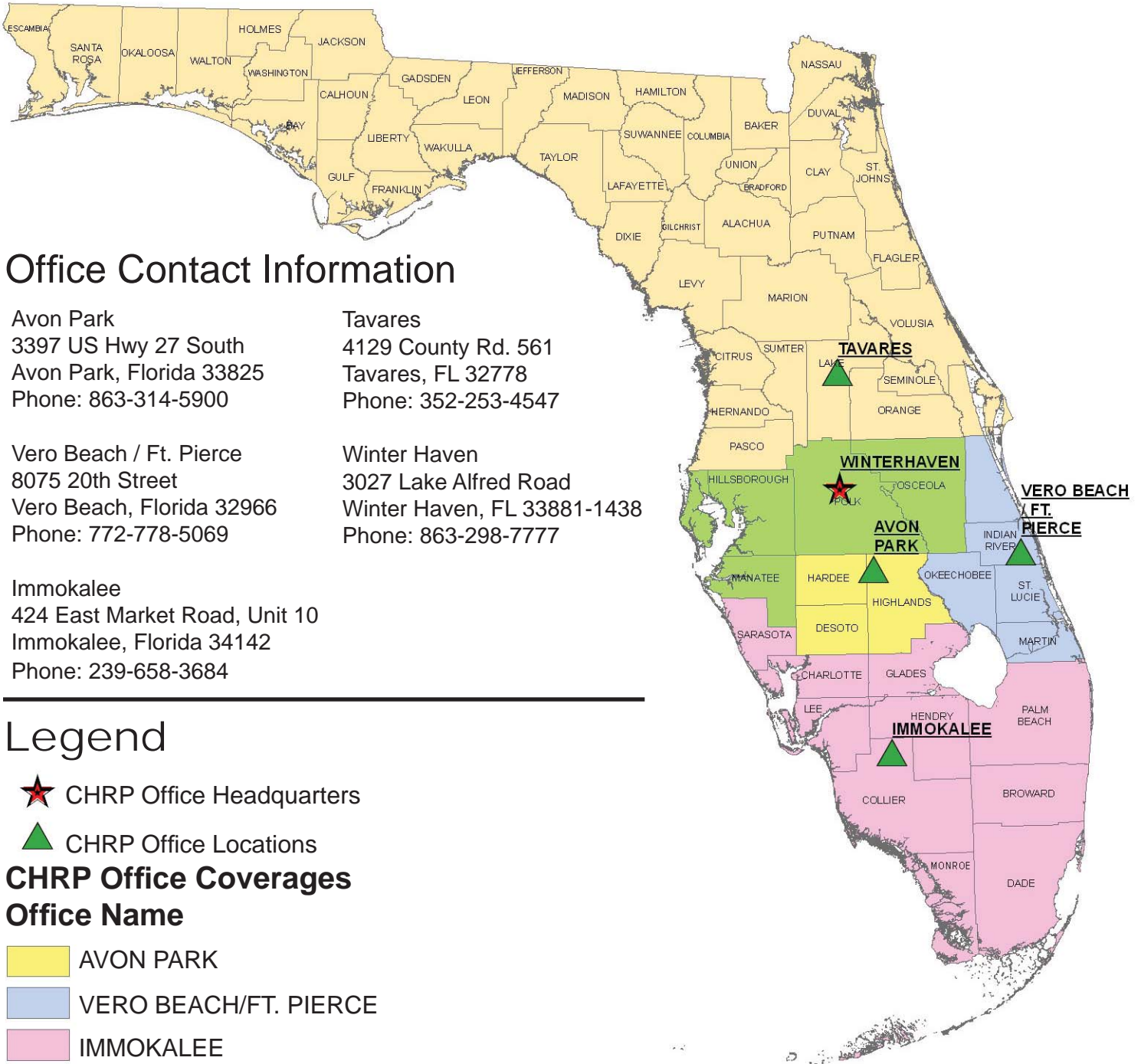
- Rules and regulations to protect industry, 5B-62
- Geographic separation of new nurseries and groves
- Citrus nursery stock is propagated and housed in approved insect-proof structures
- All citrus nurseries are on 30-day inspection cycle
- Compliance agreements are required

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



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Legend

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-  CHRP Office Locations

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