Effective April 1, 2017, the 5% Okaloosa County tourist development tax collected on or after March 1, 2017, must be reported and paid to the Florida Department of Revenue. The Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. 16-20 authorizing the Department to collect and administer the 5% tourist development tax.

The Department will mail replacement coupon books to Okaloosa County dealers who will be reporting the tourist development tax. (Dealers who file electronically will not receive a coupon book.) The returns in the new coupon books will indicate a combined transient rental tax rate and sales and use tax of 11%, as illustrated in the example below:

Report Okaloosa County Tourist Development Tax to the Florida Department of Revenue Beginning April 1, 2017

References: Okaloosa County Ordinance 16-20; Section 125.0104(10), Florida Statutes
FOR MORE INFORMATION

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For forms and other information, visit our website at www.floridarevenue.com or call Taxpayer Services at 800-352-3671, Monday through Friday (excluding holidays).

For a detailed written response to your questions, write the Florida Department of Revenue, Taxpayer Services, MS 3-2000, 5050 West Tennessee Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0112.

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