

HOPE CARD REQUEST FORM

A Hope Card is a digital or a durable, wallet-sized card that contains all the essential information about an existing finalized injunction order. A Hope Card does NOT replace the existing protective order, but it does provide quick information to law enforcement officers about the person ordered to stay away as well as those protected by the order. The Hope Card is valid for two (2) years after the date of issuance of the final order or the expiration date of the injunction, whichever is earlier. A Hope Card may be renewed after the two-year period *if* the injunction is still in effect. Misuse of a Hope Card is prohibited and could result in a second-degree misdemeanor.

Hope Cards are FREE and available to anyone with a valid Final Judgment of Injunction for Protection against domestic violence, repeat violence, sexual violence, dating violence, or stalking.

The petitioner may request a Hope Card from the Clerk's Office at any time after the issuance of the Final Injunction order. The Hope Card will be created within three (3) business days after receipt of the request.

Please fill out the information below to apply for a Hope Card:

Case Number: _____

Petitioner's Name: _____

Respondent's Name: _____

Today's Date: _____

Please make one selection:

- I would like to received my hope card digitally and e-mailed to:

- I would like to pick up my card in person. Please call me when ready at:

- I would like my card mailed to me at:

Completed forms must be emailed to violenceprotectionorders@manateeclerk.com, mailed to P.O. Box 25400 Bradenton, FL 34206 Attn: Violence Protection Division or you may drop it off in person at 1115 Manatee Ave W, Bradenton, FL 34205. For further questions, please call the office directly at (941) 741-4024.

*****Please note that this form is for internal use only and will not be scanned into your case.**

Internal use only (initial and date):

Request received by _____ on _____

Request completed by _____ on _____