Abandoned and unmanaged citrus groves harbor pests and diseases that threaten to destroy Florida's citrus industry. By destroying unwanted and unproductive citrus trees, grove owners may qualify for the lowest tax rates available by simply following these steps:

1. Contact your local Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (FDACS) Division of Plant Industry (DPI) Field Office and request an information packet on the Abandoned Grove Initiative.

2. Contact your local County Property Appraiser and verify their participation in the Abandoned Grove Program.

3. Destroy citrus trees in abandoned, unmanaged or diseased groves at owner’s expense and call DPI for destruction verification and an Abandoned Grove Compliance Agreement.

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