# INDIAN RIVER COUNTY MEMORANDUM

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TO: Jason Brown

**County Administrator** 

FROM: Suzanne Boyll

**Human Resources Director** 

DATE: October 10, 2022

SUBJECT: Revision to Administrative Policy AM-205.1 Probation and AM-702.1 Sick Leave

# **BACKGROUND**:

Indian River County has established administrative policies outlining various policies, practices and procedures applicable to County employees. Human Resources is recommending the following revisions:

## AM-205.1 Probation

- 1. Removes language restricting probationary employees from applying for transfers or promotions.
- 2. Clarifies the extension of probation in limited circumstances not to exceed a total of 18 months.
- 3. Identifies the method of documentation and approval that is needed when a probationary employee is dismissed during probation.

#### AM-702.1 Sick Leave

1. Provides a conversion to vacation leave of one-half of the sick leave hours over the maximum accrual at the end of each year for employees hired on or after October 1, 2011.

#### **FUNDING:**

The budgetary impact for the sick leave to vacation leave conversion will vary annually. Funding for these expenses will be paid from each department budget that is impacted.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff respectfully requests the Board of County Commissioners approve the revisions to AM-205.1 Probation and AM-702.1 Sick Leave.

## **ATTACHMENTS:**

AM-205.1 Probation (draft and markup)

AM-702.1 Sick Leave (draft and markup)