

October 16, 2018
ITEM 14.D.1

INDIAN RIVER COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Board of County Commissioners

DATE: October 5, 2018

SUBJECT: Discussion regarding Ordinance to Ban the Sale of Dogs and Cats in Pet Stores

FROM: Joseph E. Flescher
Commissioner, District 2

Discussion Item:

I would like to discuss the Indian River County Board of County Commissioners' consideration of an ordinance to prohibit the retail sale of commercially bred dogs and cats from puppy mills and kitten factories. The ordinance would not prohibit the adoption of dogs, cats and other animals from such entities as not-for-profit animal shelters or animal rescue organizations.

Back up includes a copy of a similar Ordinance from Seminole County.

