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TO:

**Board of County Commissioners** 

FROM:

Diane Bernardo, Finance Director

THROUGH: Jeffrey R. Smith, Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller

DATE:

January 11, 2017

SUBJECT:

**Dori Slosberg Driver Education Safety Act** 

**Indian River County Traffic Education Program Trust Fund Report** 

Cumulative Reporting Through 12/31/16

## BACKGROUND

On August 20, 2002, the Board of County Commissioners adopted Ordinance Number 2002-026 creating the Indian River County Traffic Education Program Trust Fund (our fund 137). This ordinance authorized a \$3 traffic ticket surcharge, which is collected by the Clerk of the Circuit Court. On September 19, 2006. the Board adopted Ordinance 2006-035 to repeal this fine.

Subsequently on February 17, 2015, the Board elected to reinstate and increase the driver education fee to \$5 under Ordinance Number 2015-003. The new fee is effective March 1, 2015 and is charged on each civil traffic penalty assessed in the County. As noted in the ordinance, these funds shall be used "to fund driver education programs in public and nonpublic schools".

Attached to this memo is a report of the revenues and expenditures from the inception of the initial \$3 fee (October 1, 2002) and includes the new \$5 fee commencing in March 2015. The Board currently carries a balance of \$44,869.

The Clerk's office will continue to provide a quarterly report of the traffic education trust activity.

## RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Board of County Commissioners accept the attached report.

## Indian River County, Florida Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Traffic Education Program

	FY 03	FY 04	FY 05	FY 06	FY 07	FY 08	FY 09	FY 10	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15	YTD FY16	YTD FY17	Inception
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			10/01/2004-		10/01/2006-	10/01/2007-	10/01/2008-	10/01/2009-	10/01/2010-	10/01/2011-	10/01/2012-	10/01/2013-	10/01/2014-	10/01/2015-	10/01/2016-	to Date
	9/30/2003	9/30/2004	9/30/2005	9/30/2006	9/30/2007	9/30/2008	9/30/2009	9/30/2010	9/30/2011	9/30/2012	9/30/2013	9/30/2014	9/30/2015	9/30/2016	12/31/2016	Totals
REVENUES	40.500															
Fines and forfeitures	\$ 42,563							\$ 525							\$ 10,952	
Interest	222	686	2,130	5,797	8,426	4,999	2,989	753	240	104	70	28	59	264	-	
Total Revenues	42,785	42,911	43,924	54,169	17,963	6,574	3,733	1,278	624	317	106	43	32,046	64,774	10,952	322,199
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EXPENDITURES			i										ì			
Public Safety	[ -	-		25,188	44,373	36,210	29,962	35,317	7,565	8,900	12,460	6,675	6,230	60,000	4,450	
Total Expenditures			-	25,188	44,373	36,210	29,962	35,317	7,565	8,900	12,460	6,675	6,230	60,000	4,450	277,330
Net change in fund balances	42,785	42,911	43,924	28,981	(26,410)	(29,636)	(26,229)	(34,039)	(6,941)	(8,583)	(12,354)	(6,632)	25,816	4,774	6,502	
Fund balances at beginning of year	-	42,785	85,696	129,620	158,601	_132,191	102,555	76,326	42,287	35,346	26,763	14,409	7,777	33,593	38,367	
Fund balances at end of year	42,785	85,696	129,620	158,601	132,191	102,555	76,326	42,287	35,346	26,763	14,409	7,777	33,593	38,367	44,869	44,869

School District of Indian River County St. Edwards School Total Disbursed to Date

\$ 161,185 \$ 116,145 \$ 277,330