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MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of County Commissioners
FROM: Dylan Reingold, County Attorney *DR*
DATE: September 11, 2018
SUBJECT: Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement

BACKGROUND.

In 1988, Indian River County, St. Lucie County, Martin County, Okeechobee County, the District Board of Trustees of Indian River Community College (now Indian River State College) and the Medical Examiner for District 19, Florida entered into an interlocal agreement for the purpose of providing medical examiner services in District 19, which consists of Indian River County, St. Lucie County, Martin County and Okeechobee County. The agreement was amended in 1990. In 2004, the parties entered into an Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement which expires on September 30, 2018. The parties now desire to enter into the Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement which will extend the lease term until September 30, 2028.

Under the Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement, Indian River State College will continue to rent to the counties space for the Medical Examiner at the Indian River State College location at 3209 Virginia Avenue in Ft. Pierce. Under the Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement, the four counties agree to pay for the expenses for operating the Medical Examiner's Office using a formula for the split in the costs for the four counties that is based upon the number of autopsies and deaths in each of the counties.

FUNDING.

For Fiscal Year 2018/19 \$454,367 has been budgeted as Indian River County's portion of the Medical Examiner's Budget. The funds will be expensed through General Fund/Medical Examiner- Acct# 00190727-033120. There will be a \$156.50 recording cost for recordation of the Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement in the Public Records of Indian River County. Funds for this cost are available from the General Fund/County Attorney's Office/Recording Fees - Account No. 00110214034830.

RECOMMENDATION.

The County Attorney recommends that the Board approve the proposed Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement and authorize the Chairman of the Board to execute the proposed Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement and any documents necessary to effectuate the Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement.

ATTACHMENT(S).

Second Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement