



Office of the
**INDIAN RIVER COUNTY
ADMINISTRATOR**

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Jason E. Brown
County Administrator

DATE: December 10, 2020

SUBJECT: 2021 Indian River County Legislative Priorities

BACKGROUND

The 2021 Florida Legislative Session begins on March 2, 2021. Indian River County staff has put together a proposed legislative program which includes an appropriation for the South County Water Treatment Plant Enhanced Recovery Project, funding for Sector 3 Beach Restoration and policies related to Lagoon health, recycling, rural broadband, short-term vacation rentals and other relevant policy areas which affect Indian River County.

Upon adoption of the Indian River County 2021 Legislative Priorities, County Commissioners and County Staff are authorized to advocate in support of those priorities before the Indian River County Legislative Delegation and the Florida Legislature as a whole.

In addition to specific policy issues, the proposed legislative program contains a number of guiding principles as well as a policy statement directing opposition to any legislative action which takes away the home rule authority of local governments in Florida.

RECOMMENDATION

County staff recommends that the Board approve the proposed 2021 Indian River County Legislative Priorities.

ATTACHMENTS

2021 Indian River County Legislative Priorities