Indian River County, Florida
Business Impact Estimate

Florida law requires that before the County adopts a new ordinance, it must prepare a Business Impact Estimate that complies with Sec. 125.66(3), Fla. Stat. There are several exemptions to this requirement, which are outlined in the statute. This Business Impact Estimate form is provided to document compliance with and exemption from the requirements of Sec.125.66(3), Fla Stat. If one or more boxes are checked below under "Applicable Exemptions," this indicates that Indian River County has determined that a business impact estimate is not required by law for the proposed ordinance. If no exemption is identified a business impact estimate is required by Sec. 125.66(3), Fla. Stat. and must be provided in the "Business Impact Estimate" section below. This Business Impact Estimate Form may be revised following its initial posting.

Proposed ordinance's title/reference:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING INDIAN RIVER COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 102, SECTION 102.01 "BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETINGS AND PROCEDURES" TO MODIFY THE BOARD MEETING TIMES AND AMENDING SECTION 102.04 "ORDER OF BUSINESS", TO ADD NEW "DEPARTMENTAL MATTERS" AND TO MODIFY PUBLIC COMMENT PROCEDURES.

Applicable Exemptions

☐ The proposed ordinance is required for compliance with Federal or State law or regulation;

☐ The proposed ordinance relates to the issuance or refinancing of debt;

☐ The proposed ordinance relates to the adoption of budgets or budget amendments, including revenue sources necessary to fund the budget;

☐ The proposed ordinance is required to implement a contract or an agreement, including, but not limited to, any Federal, State, local, or private grant or other financial assistance accepted by the municipal government;

☐ The proposed ordinance is an emergency ordinance;

☐ The ordinance relates to procurement; or

☐ The proposed ordinance is enacted to implement the following:

a. Part II of Chapter 163, *Florida Statutes*, relating to growth policy, county and municipal planning, and land development regulation, including zoning, development orders, development agreements and development permits;
b. Comprehensive plan amendments and land development regulation amendments initiated by an application by a private party other than the County;
c. Sections 190.005 and 190.046, *Florida Statutes*, regarding community development districts;
d. Section 553.73, *Florida Statutes*, relating to the *Florida Building Code*; or
e. Section 633.202, *Florida Statutes*, relating to the *Florida Fire Prevention Code*.

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Indian River County hereby publishes the following information:

1. Summary of the proposed ordinance (must include a statement of the public purpose, such as serving the public health, safety, morals, and welfare):

This ordinance amends Indian River County Code (IRC) Sections 102.01(1) to allow the Board of County Commissioners to meet on the last Tuesday of the month and revises IRC Section 102.04 "Order of Business" to include consideration of agenda items from Building and Facilities Services and the Sandridge Golf Course. Finally, the ordinance revises public comment procedures in IRC Section 102.04 "Order of Business" to allow public comment on agenda items at the beginning of the meeting and public comment on non-agenda items at the end of the meeting. The purpose of the ordinance is to provide more flexibility for Board meeting times and to consider items from all departments. It will also create more uniformity and consistency in the public comment procedure for agenda related items to ensure the Board is abiding by the law and also allowing public comment opportunities for non-agenda related items.

2. An estimate of the direct economic impact of the proposed ordinance on private, for-profit businesses in the county, including the following, if any:

   (a) An estimate of direct compliance costs that businesses may reasonably incur if the ordinance is enacted:

There is no estimated compliance cost for businesses related to this ordinance.

   (b) Identification of any new charge or fee on businesses subject to the proposed ordinance, or for which businesses will be financially responsible:

There are no new charges or fees on businesses included in this ordinance.

   (c) An estimate of the County's regulatory costs, including an estimate of revenues from any new charges or fees that will be imposed on businesses to cover such costs:

None.

3. A good faith estimate of the number of businesses likely to be impacted by the ordinance:

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None.

4. Additional information the governing body determines may be useful (if any):

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