



# *Sheriff Eric Flowers*

Indian River County Sheriff's Office

April 6, 2022

Chairman Peter O'Bryan  
Indian River County Board of County Commissioners  
1801 27<sup>th</sup> Street  
Vero Beach, FL 32960

**RE: Notice of request for placement on the April 19, 2022 Board of County Commission Agenda**

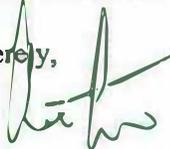
Dear Chairman O'Bryan,

Please allow this letter to serve as a request to be added to the Constitutional Officers and Governmental Agencies portion of the April 19, 2022 Board of County Commission agenda.

Indian River County Sheriff's Office (IRCSCO), would like to notify the Indian River County (IRC) that it is applying for the FY2022 Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act (LEMHWA) Program grant. This grant, if approved, will cover a portion of the cost of a service provider that helps with the overall health and wellness of agency personnel and connects them to support services including counseling when needed. The grant will also cover the expenses for training staff on how to assist in traumatic incidents and the overtime costs for call-outs to those incidents. Our goal is to provide our staff with the best and quickest care.

The total dollars requested of the FY 2022 grant are \$175,000 over a two (2) year timeframe. There is no local match required

Should you have any questions, please contact Grants Specialist, Wendy Gardiner, at 772-978-6214. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,  


Eric Flowers, Sheriff

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Cc: Jason E. Brown, County Administrator  
Kristin Daniels, Budget Director  
IRC Board of County Commissioners

