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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Board of County Commissioners  
**FROM:** Dylan Reingold, County Attorney   
**DATE:** March 16, 2017  
**SUBJECT:** Neighborhood Stabilization Program Citizen Advisory Task Force

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**BACKGROUND.**

To assist local governments during the Great Recession, the federal government enacted the Housing and Economic Recovery Act, Public Law 110-289 (the "Act"). The Act appropriated Community Development Block Grant funds under the Neighborhood Stabilization Program ("NSP") to local governments, including Indian River County. The NSP funds were utilized for the purchase and rehabilitation of abandoned and foreclosed properties for re-sale or rent to very low, low, and moderate income households.

As part of the NSP application process, Indian River County was required to appoint a citizen advisory task force to provide input on proposed applications and grant activities. On March 3, 2009, the Indian River County Board of County Commissioners (the "Board") formed the NSP Citizen Advisory Task Force. The NSP 1 and NSP 3 grants are now closed, and therefore there is no further need for the NSP Citizen Advisory Task Force. Thus, the County Attorney's Office recommends that the Board sunset the NSP Citizen Advisory Task Force.

**FUNDING.**

There is no funding associated with this item.

**RECOMMENDATION.**

The County Attorney's Office recommends that the Board vote to sunset the Neighborhood Stabilization Program Citizen Advisory Task Force.