



# *Sheriff Deryl Loar*

## Indian River County Sheriff's Office

March 20, 2017

Chairman Joseph E. Flescher  
Indian River County Board of County Commissioners  
1801 27<sup>th</sup> Street  
Vero Beach, Florida 32960

**RE: Notice of request for placement on the April 4, 2017 Board of County Commission Agenda**

Dear Chairman Flescher:

Please allow this letter to serve as a request to be added to the Constitutional Officers and Governmental Agencies portion of the April 4, 2016 Board of County Commission agenda.

Indian River County Sheriff's Office (IRCSO), would like to notify Indian River County (IRC) that it is applying for a 2017/2018 Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Grant. This grant, if approved, will provide funds to cover the salaries of two Victim Advocates within the Victims Assistance Function of IRCSO. This is a continuation grant which has been utilized by IRCSO for several years in an effort to provide services, assistance, and guidance to all victims of crime within the county, no matter jurisdiction during their time of need.

The total dollars requested of the 2017/2018 grant are \$89,639.56, which, as stated, will serve to reimburse two victim advocate positions. This grant requires a 25% match which will be accomplished using allowable In-Kind Services from a currently funded position. The completed application, along with the Indian River County Finance Office Grant Form, is included with this request.

Should you have any questions, please contact Planner, Annette M. Russell, at 772-978-6214. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Deryl Loar, Sheriff

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cc: Jason Brown, County Administrator  
Mike Smykowski, Budget Director  
IRC Board of County Commissioners

Enclosures