

# Office of the INDIAN RIVER COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

Jason E. Brown, County Administrator Michael C. Zito, Assistant County Administrator

# MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Board of County Commissioners
FROM: Jason E. Brown County Administrator
DATE: December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019
SUBJECT: Lobbyist for 2020 Legislative Session

## **BACKGROUND**

Since February 17, 2015, Anfield Consulting, Inc., has assisted Indian River County with various issues including, but not limited to, legislation regarding the High-Speed Passenger Rail Safety Act and obtaining funding for water projects. The current term of Indian River County's contract with Anfield Consulting, Inc., expires on December 31, 2019. County Administration staff recommends continuing to utilize Anfield Consulting, Inc., during the 2020 Florida Legislative Session.

### **FUNDING**

Funding for lobbying services has been included in the General Fund/BCC Office/Other Professional Services Account Number 00110111-033190 for \$120,000.00.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

County Administration staff recommends that the Board enter into an agreement with Anfield Consulting, Inc., for lobbying services for the term of January 1, 2020, to December 31, 2020, and authorize the County Administrator to execute the referenced agreement.

#### ATTACHMENTS

Agreement for Professional Services