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Board of County Commissioners 1801 27<sup>th</sup> Street Vero Beach, FL 32960

Dear Commissioners,

The Economic Opportunities Council of Indian River County, Inc. (EOC) is the federally designated Community Action Agency for Indian River County. Chartered in 1965, EOC has provided services to low-income, county resident for over 50 years.

As the Commission may know, Community Action Agencies are the local grantees for the Community Services Block Grant, and operate under the Community Services Block Grant Act 1998 Reauthorization, P. L. 105-285. Required by legislation is a tripartite board structure; one-third elected officials, or their designees, one-third low-income representatives, and one-third members of the private/business community.

EOC is required to document commission's appointments to its board. In past years, Commissioners schedule have not allowed for direct participation and have appointed designees to serve in their place. EOC respectfully request consideration of the following individual to appointment for a one-year term:

Teddy Floyd Jeanette Anderson Leonard Frankel Valia Rich

EOC appreciates your support, looks forward to working together and helping those within our community who live in poverty, and moves towards self-sufficiency.

Sincerely,

Angela Daws · Green
Executive Director





