



County Connection



- Brandon Cain** – Signal Technician, Traffic Engineering
- Austin Evans** – Stormwater Maintenance Worker, Stormwater Division
- Jacob Essig & Thomas Latham** - Lifeguard I, North Cty. Aquatic Ctr.
- Shayne Acuna & Michael Heckler** – Utilities Service Worker, Water Distribution
- Chelsea Carlson** – Library Associate I, Main Library
- Heather Greer** – Building Support Specialist, Building Division
- Dewayne Smith** – Tradesworker I, Facilities Management
- Louis Aqudelo** – Recreation Leader, Recreation Division
- Antonio Irvin & Jerome Lester**– Senior Maintenance Worker, Road & Bridge
- Dorian Johnson** – Project Engineer, County Engineering
- Kylie Ariotti** – Environmental Specialist, Beach Restoration
- Jonathan Howard** – Senior Planner, Metro Planning Organization
- Gary Crosby** – Outside Operations Attendant, Golf Course

Welcome New Commissioners



Joseph Earman,
District 3



Laura Moss,
District 5

Congratulations & Thank You

to each of these employees for their years of dedication and hard work...



5 years

- Steven Hitt** – Environmental Planning/Code Enforcement
- Sheila O’Sullivan** – Human Resources
- Ray Casas** – Parks & Recreation
- David Flower** – Road & Bridge
- Julian Wingate** – Shooting Range



10 years

- Beth Martin** – Risk Management



Retirees



- Peggy Parmenter** – Fire Services
- Michael Dalton** – Building Division
- Leona Allen** – BCC Operations



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In lieu of the annual holiday luncheon, Human Resources will be distributing bags of Holiday Cheer to all BoCC employees! It is expected Santa will make his deliveries on Friday, December 11th.



Share your (group or individual) holiday spirit by emailing your picture(s) to rsadams@ircgov.com (subject line Holiday Spirit Pic.). The chosen winner will receive a small prize!



Blood Drive – Friday, December 11th, 9 am – 3 pm. The bus will be located at the Administration Complex, Building B, East parking lot. Appointments are encouraged. Do so here:

www.oneblood.org/donate-now - Use the sponsor code #20402. An informational flyer is included with the newsletter.



Health & Wellness – Be aware of your wellbeing and health. Included with this newsletter are three health flyers to help you do that! They are “Live Well Work Well,” “Expert Help ...,” & “Ameritas”



Self-Insurance Fund Balance Comparison Attached is a fund balance analysis for the health plan. It reflects an increase of 5.13% for the plan year ending September 30, 2020.



The Florida Mobile Mammography service will be onsite in the Building B East-side parking lot on Friday, December 11th. Please see the flyer that is included with this newsletter for further information on how to schedule an appointment online or by phone.



Indian River County CARES (By Phil Matson, AICP, Com. Dev. Director)

The COVID-19 pandemic is continuing to impact many of the citizens of Indian River County. The Florida Housing Finance Corporation and the Federal CARES Act made provisions for people who have lost income due to the pandemic to obtain badly needed rent and mortgage payment assistance so they can avoid eviction/foreclosure for themselves and their families. The workforce in some of Indian River’s most popular industries – like hotels, restaurants, and personal services - has been particularly hard-hit.

Getting assistance into the hands of those folks is a serious priority for Indian River County. To do so in a timely manner, a number of County staff have come in early, stayed late and worked on weekends to help those in need. Bill Schutt of Community Development leads the effort, and he urges folks in need to log in to the County’s website to see if they are eligible. If you know of anyone who has been laid off or lost income due to COVID-19, have them check our website right away, (https://www.ircgov.com/Public_Notices/COVID-19/CRF-PublicNotice.pdf), as the funds and duration of the program are limited. The program is specifically targeted to lower income applicants and a complete application is required. If eligible and if all checks out, relief payments will be forthcoming, for applicants, their landlords and mortgage companies. And they can send the “bill” to Bill.

Nationwide December Webinars flyer included with this newsletter.

Contact Mark Schilling, CRC
772-284-9660 or

[Book Consultation](#)



Kudos came in for the library staff again! Keep up the impressive work!



What can be said about the Peanut Butter Poetry Contest? A mouth full!

PLEASE REPORT IMPROPER DUMPING



Please call 772-226-1888 to report dumping of any substance into storm drains and canals or report online at IRCSTORMWATER.COM