



# Brevard County Board of County Commissioners

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## Legislation Text

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### **Subject:**

An Appointment to the Save Our Indian River Lagoon Citizen Oversight Committee

### **Fiscal Impact:**

No Cost

### **Dept/Office:**

Natural Resources Management

### **Requested Action:**

It is requested that the Board of County Commissioners appoint Mr. David Sherrer to the Technology Alternate seat on the Save Our Indian River Lagoon Citizen Oversight Committee.

### **Summary Explanation and Background:**

On January 26, 2021, the Board of County Commissioners selected Mr. Vinnie Taranto to fill the County Commission's voting member seat for Technology on the Save Our Indian River Lagoon Citizen Oversight Committee. This opened up the Technology Alternate seat where Mr. Taranto had previously served. The Space Coast League of Cities was asked to rank and nominate a citizen volunteer to fill the vacated Technology Alternate seat. The vacancy was re-advertised and 11 volunteers applied. At their April 12<sup>th</sup> meeting, the League of Cities selected Mr. David Sherrer (application attached) to be confirmed by the County Commission.

#### **Background:**

On August 23, 2016, the Board of County Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. 1615 for the Save Our Indian River Lagoon Project Plan and Trust Fund. The Ordinance called for establishment of a Citizen Oversight Committee to make recommendations to the County Commission regarding annual updates to the Save Our Indian River Project Plan that is funded by the half cent Save Our Indian River Lagoon sales tax. The Committee structure consists of 7 members and 7 alternates representing 7 fields of expertise: Science, Technology, Economics/Finance, Real Estate, Education/Outreach, Tourism, and Lagoon Advocacy. Half of the Committee is selected by the County Commission and half the Committee is nominated by the Space Coast League of Cities, with all seats appointed by the County Commission. Terms are for 2 years, after which members and alternates can be reappointed or replaced.

### **Clerk to the Board Instructions:**

None