ANNOUNCEMENT OF ANNUAL DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) GOAL FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF FEDERAL FUNDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Indian River County has prepared an updated Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Goal for the expenditure of Federal Transit Administration (FTA) funds for Fiscal Years 2018, 2019, and 2020 in compliance with Federal Regulations (49 CFR Part 26.45). Indian River County proposes that 2.2% of all FTA funds that the County will expend in FTA-assisted contracts for each fiscal year will be let to qualified DBE firms.

The proposed goal and the methodology used to arrive at the goal are available for public inspection during normal business hours, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the Indian River County Administration Building, 1801 27th Street, Vero Beach, FL 32960 for 30 days beginning June 13, 2017. The County will be accepting written comments on the overall DBE Goal and methodology through July 13, 2017.

A copy of the proposed goal and methodology may be obtained from the Indian River County MPO web page at http://www.irmpo.com/Documents/Index.htm or a copy may be obtained by writing to Sharon Schalm, MPO Staff Assistant, 1801 27th Street, Vero Beach, FL 32960, or by calling (772)226-1672. Additional information about the DBE program can be obtained from the Regional Civil Rights Officer, Federal Transit Administration, Region IV, by writing to 230 Peachtree St. NW, Suite 800, Atlanta, GA 30303 or by calling (404)865-5628.