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MEMORANDUM

To: Mark Woodard, County Administrator

From: Mike Twitty, Property Appraiser

February 26, 2018 Date:

Subject: South County Service Center

Dear Mark,

As discussed, I have a conflict that won't enable me to attend the BCC meeting on February 27th. However, I would like to offer the following statement in support of the proposed South County Service Center:

The Property Appraiser's Office is in support of the proposed South County Center and believes this facility will allow both the Tax Collector and Property Appraiser Offices' to most efficiently serve the public in this area of the county. While co-location is not a necessity, it is considered to provide economies of scale via shared use of many areas and allow for more effective collaboration between the two offices, which will benefit the public. Even more importantly, with the confusion that often exists between the Constitutional duties of our two offices, co-location within a one-stop facility is considered the best way to accommodate our citizens and provide them the highest level of convenience and customer service.

Kevin Hayes, Deputy of Appraisals, will be on hand at the meeting to answer any questions relating to our planned occupancy of the proposed facility and is able to read my statement if so desired by the board.

Sincerely,

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