

COMMISSION POLICY 25-____: County Initiatives Requiring Public Relations

I. Purpose

- a. To ensure transparency and accountability in county governance by requiring formal approval for major initiatives beyond routine operations. This policy also clarifies the Chairman's role as the official representative of the Commission at public events, promoting clear leadership and coordinated participation by all commissioners.

II. Policy

- a. Any initiative of significant efforts, production time and funding other than routine county business, proposed by a commissioner must be formally introduced at a public meeting and receive approval from the commission to move forward.
- b. Unless otherwise directed, the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners shall serve as the official representative of the Commission at public events and shall have the discretion to determine the roles of fellow commissioners during county events.
- c. At the start of each new chairmanship, the incoming Chairman and the County Administrator will meet to discuss the roles of commissioners as liaisons to determine and clarify each commissioner's role in events, including media engagements, community outreach, ceremonial duties, and other public-facing responsibilities amongst additional duties.

Approved by: _____

Date: _____

POLICY HISTORY

Created: May 28, 2025

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Current: