



2016 LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE

➤ **FACILITIES MANAGEMENT**

- Provide a statutory exemption allowing a county to own or lease land outside its limits for the purpose of developing, operating and maintaining wireless communication facilities used for county government purposes.

➤ **HUMAN RESOURCES**

- County Employee Merit Commission – Member Terms
 - Align the terms of appointment to a limited county employee merit system with the terms of appointment to the law enforcement merit system council, require both parties to agree to a public hearing in an appeal and make other clarifying changes.
- Law Enforcement Officers – Appeal of Disciplinary Action
 - Assert that the hearing in an appeal of a disciplinary action by a law enforcement officer in which a single hearing officer or administrative law judge has been appointed may be open to the public or private only by mutual consent of both parties.

➤ **COUNTY MANAGER'S OFFICE**

- Exempt excess payments made to the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System from the county's expenditure limitation.

➤ **COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINER**

- Clarify that a county Medical Examiner is only required to complete and sign the medical certification of death on a death certificate for certain reportable deaths if they assume jurisdiction of the case.