

Alachua County, FL

12 SE 1st Street Gainesville, Florida

Legislation Text

File #: 20-1063, Version: 3

Agenda Item Name:

County Attorney request to initiate or defend cases.

Presenter:

Sylvia Torres

Description:

Per Article IV, Sec. 21.41(e), Duties and Responsibilities of the County Attorney, a current list of Article 5 cases where authorization to initiate or defend is requested. Please see attached "Litigation Report - Request for Authority to Defend or Initiate."

For the December 8, 2020 meeting, there is only one case: Campen Properties, LLC, Petitioner vs Alachua County, FL.

Recommended Action:

Approve the County Attorney's authority to initiate or defend case in the attached Litigation Report.

Prior Board Motions:

October 6, 2020 Board denied the application from Archer Solar Project, LLC for a Special Exception.

Fiscal Consideration:

While the exact amount is not known at this time, it is expected that Alachua County will incur costs associated with: (1) retaining a Special Magistrate/Mediator; and (2) Notice requirements, per Florida Statute §70.51.

Sufficient budget exists to cover this expense.

Background: