



# 2022 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

**HOME RULE** 

**BROADBAND** 

**WATER RESOURCES** 

AFFORDABLE HOUSING & HOMELESSNESS

#### **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**



### **HOME RULE**



### **BROADBAND**

Oppose legislation that limits resident input into local decisions and diminishes the role of local government. Protect Seminole County's Rural Boundary and the ability of Florida's counties to determine growth policy.

Support increasing public and private funds for the construction of broadband infrastructure, specifically in underserved and rural communities.



## **WATER RESOURCES**



# AFFORDABLE HOUSING & HOMELESSNESS

Support ongoing regional efforts to improve Lake Jesup's water quality, as well as initiatives related to Red Tide, algae blooms, and other environmental degradation occurring in Florida's waters.

Advocate for additional funding to support the conversion of septic systems to central sewer systems.

Support appropriating the full amount of dedicated Documentary Tax revenues from the Sadowski Housing Trust Fund to advance housing programs. Advocate for the development of a dedicated state funding source to mitigate homelessness.



#### **MONITOR**



# APPROPRIATIONS REQUESTS

- The legislative priorities of community and regional partners that are consistent with those of Seminole County Government, including priorities that support behavioral health and substance abuse programs
- Legislation that modifies the role of regional planning councils
- Initiatives that support interconnectivity of new and existing trails
- Impacts to Sovereign Immunity limits and processes for claim resolution
- Efforts to reauthorize the Qualified Target Industry (QTI) tax incentive program
- Legislation that shifts administrative or unfunded responsibilities to local governments

#### **E.E. WILLIAMSON ROAD TRAIL CONNECT**

Addition of 10-foot-wide trail/shared-use path, and related infrastructure improvements, to 2.6 miles of E.E. Williamson Road

**Amount Requested:** \$1M

County Match: \$1M

#### LITTLE WEKIVA RIVER MAINTENANCE

Ongoing inspections and maintenance of the Little Wekiva River to ensure invasive vegetation does not reestablish and native vegetation continues to flourish

Amount Requested: \$500,000 County Match: \$500,000

#### **WEKIVA SPRINGS ROAD**

Operational improvements to a 0.3-mile portion of Wekiva Springs Road to reduce queue lengths and decrease vehicle collisions

Amount Requested: \$500,000 County Match: \$500,000