



Indian River County (IRC) Sewer Conversion Countywide Project

IRC SEWER CONVERSION COUNTYWIDE WORKSHOP NOTICE #1

Project Number: 21.26.520

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Indian River County Department of Utility Services (IRCDUS) will be hosting a series of countywide workshops to introduce the IRC Sewer Conversion Countywide Project. The project area will be within the Indian River County limits and focus on the North, Central, and South Utility Service regions where centralized sewer service is currently available.

The first workshop will be held on **Thursday, September 3, 2026, at 5:30 p.m.**, at the Indian River **County Fairgrounds and Expo Center**, David W. Fleetwood Building, located at 7955 58th Avenue, Vero Beach, Florida. The IRCDUS team will review the project purpose, provide information regarding the IRC Sewer Connection Assistance Program, and be on hand to answer questions.



WORKSHOP AGENDA

- Overview of State Legislation
- Anticipated Costs and Funding Options (FDEP grant funding, public/private costs)
- Property Owner requirements for connection
- General project timelines
- Questions/Answers



BENEFITS OF CENTRALIZED SEWER CONNECTION:

Environmental Protection:

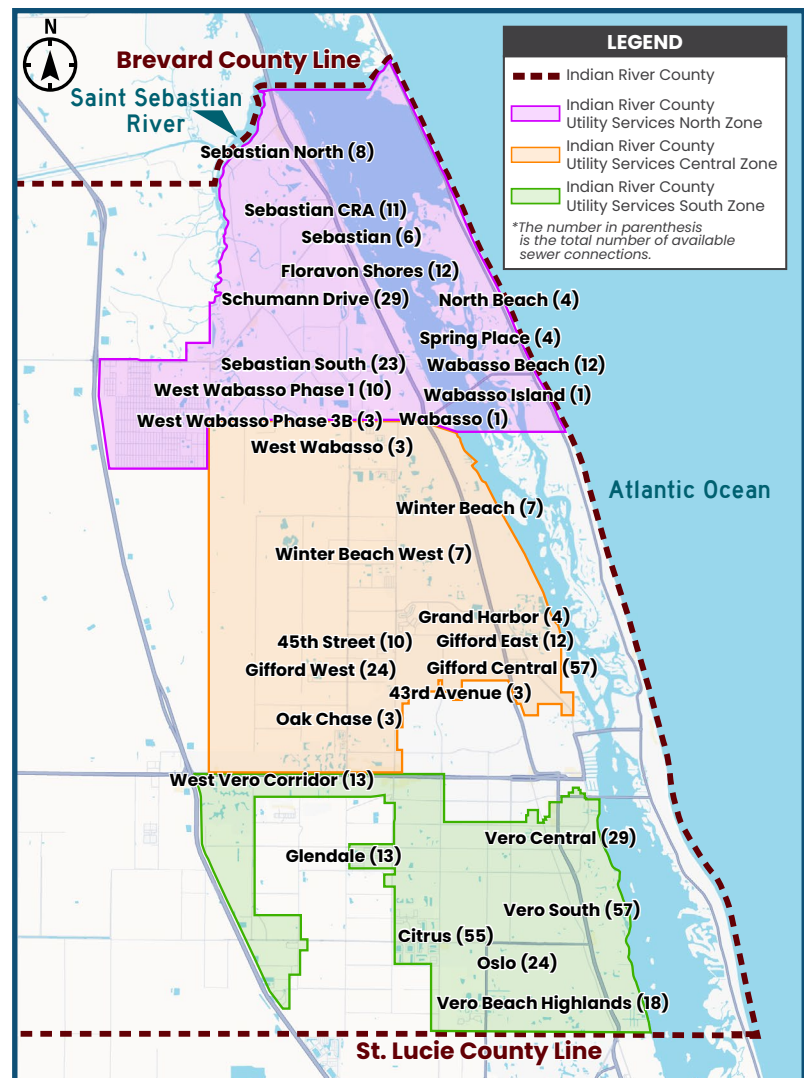
- ✓ Sewer connections will eliminate the negative impacts of septic system pollutants entering the Indian River Lagoon ecosystem
- ✓ Supports long-term water quality goals for the Indian River Lagoon improvement

Homeowner Benefits:

- ✓ Meet state requirements by connecting homes to the centralized sewer system
- ✓ No more septic tank pumping, inspections, or maintenance costs
- ✓ Eliminates the risk of costly septic system repairs or replacements

Public Health:

- ✓ Reduces potential exposure to raw sewage
- ✓ Protects drinking water resources by reducing groundwater contamination



PROJECT INFORMATION & UPCOMING WORKSHOPS

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