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MEMORANDUM

July 1, 2026

TO: Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Jennifer Steelman, Director
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SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement Re: Amending Sections 16½-157, 26-5, and 26-102 through 26-104 of the Broward County Code of Ordinances to comply with Section 218.077, Florida Statutes; Repealing the Living Wage Advisory Board and Section 26-105 of the Code

Summary

The proposed Ordinance, if enacted, would amend Sections 16½-157, 26-5, and 26-100 through 26-104 of the Broward County Code of Ordinances to comply with the amendments to Section 218.077, Florida Statutes. Specifically, the proposed Ordinance would revise the County's Domestic Partnership Ordinance, Prevailing Wage Ordinance, and Living Wage Ordinance to provide that such requirements will no longer apply to contracts entered into on or after September 30, 2026, including contracts resulting from competitive solicitations where the applicable contract is not executed prior to that date.

The proposed Ordinance, if enacted, would further provide that the ordinances will continue to apply to contracts entered into prior to September 30, 2026, including authorized renewal and extension terms existing prior to that date, to the fullest extent permitted by and consistent with Section 218.077, Florida Statutes. In addition, the proposed Ordinance would repeal Section 26-105 of the Broward County Code of Ordinances relating to the Living Wage Advisory Board.

Fiscal Impact

The fiscal impact for this proposed ordinance will depend on market conditions at the time new contracts are entered into by the County. Prevailing wage, domestic partnership and living wage will no longer be a requirement for vendor contracts entered into or awarded after September 30, 2026. Effective September 30, 2026, the state minimum wage in Florida will be \$15.00 for non-tipped employees. According to the Purchasing Division, there are approximately 100 - 130 vendors that will be impacted by this proposed ordinance.