chapter 79-561, Laws of Florida, as amended; revising provisions relating to the Civil Service System for certain employees of Santa Rosa County; providing for the appointment of the fifth member to the board; providing for transfers within the Civil Service System; providing an effective date.

An act relating to Santa Rosa County; amending

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 5, paragraph (d) of subsection (3) of section 16, and section 21 of chapter 79-561, Laws of Florida, as amended, are amended to read:

Section 5. Existing board to assume authority; election or appointment date.--

(2) Elections or appointments shall be held or made on the last Tuesday in May, with the exception of the appointment of the fifth member of the board, which will be made at the next meeting. The board members shall take office at the next meeting of the board. The oath of office shall be administered to each of the board members by the clerk of circuit and county courts.

Section 16. Rules for classified service; posting of rules.--

- (3) The rules or regulations, among other things, shall provide:
- (d) For transfer within the Civil Service System. For transfer from a position to a similar position which is of the

same range within a taxing authority or to an equivalent 1 2 position in a different taxing authority. Section 21. Transfers.--3 (1) IN-CLASS TRANSFER. -- The transfer of a permanent 4 5 employee from one appointing authority to another appointing 6 authority in the same class of position may be permitted upon 7 2 weeks' notice, with approval of the receiving authority 8 only. 9 (2) IN-RANGE TRANSFERS. -- The transfer of a permanent employee from one appointing authority to another appointing 10 11 authority in a different class of position in the same or a 12 lower pay grade may be permitted, upon 2 weeks' notice, provided the employee meets the minimum qualification 13 14 requirements for the new assignment as documented by the board in accordance with the examining plan for such class of 15 position and provided the receiving authority approves the 16 17 action. Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a 18 19 law. 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31