

**SUMTER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

SUBJECT: University of Florida Bureau of Economic and Business Research Preliminary Estimate of the Permanent Resident Population for Sumter County - April 1, 2011 (Staff recommends approval).

REQUESTED ACTION: Approve April 1, 2011, Preliminary Estimate of the Permanent Resident Population of 96,615

Work Session (Report Only) **DATE OF MEETING:** 9/13/2011
 Regular Meeting Special Meeting

CONTRACT: N/A Vendor/Entity: _____
Effective Date: _____ Termination Date: _____
Managing Division / Dept Planning

BUDGET IMPACT: _____
 Annual **FUNDING SOURCE:** _____
 Capital **EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT:** _____
 N/A

HISTORY/FACTS/ISSUES:

Each year the Bureau of Economic & Business Research at the University of Florida (BEBR) develops population estimates for all local governments in Florida. These population estimates are used for revenue sharing.

The April 1, 2011, permanent population estimate from BEBR for the County is 96,615. The BEBR estimate is consistent with the 2011 population estimate developed by the County's Planning Department (96,640). The deviation between BEBR's estimate and the County's Planning Department's estimate is only 25 residents (0.02% deviation).

The 2011 population is an increase in population of 3,195 residents (3.4%) compared to the 2010 U.S. Census population for Sumter County (93,420).

Consequently, staff recommends the Board approve the BEBR April 1, 2011, Preliminary Estimate of the Permanent Resident Population of 96,615.



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August 12, 2011

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is a notice of the preliminary estimate of the permanent population of your area as of **April 1, 2011**. This estimate was produced by our office under contractual agreement with the State of Florida, and is one factor used in determining the distribution of state revenue-sharing funds (Section 23.019, Florida Statutes, Revenue Sharing Act, 1972). Please evaluate this estimate carefully and make the appropriate response on the enclosed form. If you believe the preliminary estimate is not reasonably accurate, indicate what you believe is a more accurate estimate. If possible, include supporting arguments and evidence.

We ask that you confirm receipt of this preliminary estimate by signing the enclosed form and returning it in the postage-paid envelope. If future correspondence regarding population estimates should be directed toward a different person or address than the one listed, please indicate that change on the form.

Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at (352) 392-0171 ext. 337. We need to have you sign and return the enclosed form by **September 15, 2011**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Scott K. Cody'.

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COUNTY ~ Sumter County

PRELIMINARY POPULATION ESTIMATE (PERMANENT RESIDENTS) APRIL 1, 2011

CENSUS 4/1/10	TOTAL POPULATION CHANGE	PRELIMINARY ESTIMATE 4/1/11	INMATES 4/1/11	PRELIMINARY EST LESS INMATES 4/1/11
81,817	2,998	84,815	9,011	75,804

THE POPULATION ESTIMATE PROPOSED FOR STATE REVENUE SHARING, 2012-2013 FISCAL YEAR IS 75,804

YOUR PRELIMINARY POPULATION ESTIMATE FOR APRIL 1, 2011 IS * 84,815 *

PLEASE MARK THE APPROPRIATE RESPONSE AND RETURN ONE COPY OF THIS FORM BEFORE SEPTEMBER 15, 2011 RETAIN THE OTHER COPY FOR YOUR FILE.

I HAVE REVIEWED THIS PRELIMINARY POPULATION ESTIMATE AND CONSIDER IT TO BE REASONABLY CORRECT.

I HAVE REVIEWED THIS PRELIMINARY POPULATION ESTIMATE AND DO NOT CONSIDER IT TO BE REASONABLY ACCURATE I BELIEVE A MORE ACCURATE ESTIMATE WOULD BE I REQUEST THAT YOU RECONSIDER YOUR PRELIMINARY ESTIMATE

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DATE TITLE SIGNATURE

IF FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE SHOULD BE SENT TO AN ADDRESS OR PERSON DIFFERENT THAN THAT CURRENTLY LISTED, PLEASE ENTER THE NEW INFORMATION BELOW

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93,420	3,195	96,615	9,011	87,604

THE POPULATION ESTIMATE PROPOSED FOR STATE REVENUE SHARING, 2012-2013 FISCAL YEAR IS 87,604

YOUR PRELIMINARY POPULATION ESTIMATE FOR APRIL 1, 2011 IS * 96,615 *

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