



VOTE
Aug. 18

Shall the Martin County Board of County Commissioners be authorized to grant, pursuant to s. 3 Art. VII of the State Constitution, property tax exemptions to new businesses and expansions of existing businesses that are expected to create new, full-time jobs in Martin County?

Yes for authority to grant exemptions
 No against authority to grant exemptions

JOBS ON THE BALLOT

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AD VALOREM TAX EXEMPTION

- **Temporarily reduces** some county taxes for eligible existing and new businesses that expand facilities, purchase equipment, and create 10 or more jobs.
- **Encourages business investment** by reducing initial costs.
- **Creates sustainable jobs** in manufacturing, processing, fabricating and in target industries too.
- **Does NOT** give a cash payment.
- **Does NOT** grant any automatic benefit.
- **Does NOT** affect taxes for city, school district or other taxing authorities.

Referendum supported by:



A stronger economy is everyone's business.

KEY FACTS:

- Martin County Board of County Commissioners review and vote on every request for exemption.
- **Accountability:** Recipients must provide annual reporting showing jobs maintained—or repay exempted taxes plus interest.
- **Already in-place:** Passed by voters in 2010 and now up for reauthorization.

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