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Subject: Anniversary Date				

I. <u>POLICY</u>:

Cumberland County Government shall establish an anniversary date for each employee.

II. <u>DEFINITIONS</u>:

Anniversary Date: Most recent effective date of employment with the County of Cumberland.

III. <u>PROCEDURE</u>:

- A. Anniversary dates shall serve as the basis for determining the level of employee benefits, such as longevity and any other benefit deemed appropriate by the Board of Chosen Freeholders.
- B. If a break in County service occurs and the employee is rehired, the most recent date of hire will serve as the anniversary date. Authorized leaves of absence will not be considered a break in service.
- C. For purposes of demotions, layoffs, pension benefits, etc, an employees anniversary date is considered as the date of permanent appointment as required by law.