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An act relating to pretrial proceedings; providing a short title; amending s. 948.06, F.S.; providing that at the first appearance of a probationer or an offender on community control arrested for a new offense for which the court finds the existence of probable cause, the court may order pretrial detention or pretrial release of the person with or without bail to await further hearing to determine the outcome of a violation hearing; providing for dismissal if no affidavit alleging a violation of

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probation or community control is filed within a specified 11

12 13 period; exempting persons subject to hearings under specified provisions; providing an effective date.

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

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## Section 1. This act may be cited as the "Officer Andrew Widman Act."

Section 2. Paragraphs (c) through (f) of subsection (1) of section 948.06, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as paragraphs (d) through (g), respectively, and a new paragraph (c) is added to that subsection to read:

948.06 Violation of probation or community control; revocation; modification; continuance; failure to pay restitution or cost of supervision. --

(1)

Notwithstanding s. 907.041, at the first appearance of a probationer or an offender on community control arrested for a

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new offense for which the court finds the existence of probable cause, the court may order pretrial detention or pretrial release of the person with or without bail to await further hearing to determine the outcome of a violation hearing. If no affidavit alleging a violation of probation or community control is filed with the court within 10 days after arrest for the new offense, the order regarding pretrial detention or pretrial release on the uncharged violation of probation or community control shall be dismissed. This paragraph does not apply to a probationer or community controllee subject to a hearing on his or her danger to the community required under subsection (4) or paragraph (8) (e).

Section 3. This act shall take effect October 1, 2010.