Webb County Personnel Policy and Procedures Section 7.01

❖ Entry Step and Discretionary Steps after Probationary Period: All new hires shall be placed on Step A at the entry level of their specific Grade in accordance to the position. Department Heads and Elected Officials have the discretion to place the new employ at a high step within the limits of *Figure 1* and *Figure 2* after the six-month probationary period:

Figure 1

Grade		teps	
5-15	Discretion to Hire up to 5 Steps into the Grade	A,B,C,D,E	
16-20	Discretion to Hire up to 8 Steps into the Grade	A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H	
21-28	Discretion to Hire up to 10 Steps into the Grade	A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H,I,J	

For Attorneys Only (Public Defender, County Attorney, District Attorney and Civil/
Legal), the Department Head and Elected Official have the discretion to hire or promote
after Probationary Period above the minimum entry rate as follows:

Figure 2

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Grade	Experience	Steps
22	0-2 years	K-M
	3-4 years	N-P
	5 years or more	Q-S
23	0-2 years	N-P
	3-4 years	Q-S

	5 years or more	T-V
24-26		N-W
27-28		K-M

Note: Experience should be in the field of law.