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The Honorable Frank Mann, Chairman Lee County Board of County Commissioners Post Office Box 398 Fort Myers, Florida 33902-0398

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Dear Chairman Mann:

The Department of Economic Opportunity has completed its review of the comprehensive plan amendment adopted by Lee County on January 20, 2016 (Amendment 15-4ESR; Ordinance Numbers 16-01, 16-02 and 16-03). We have reviewed the amendment in accordance with the expedited state review process set forth in Sections 163.3184(2), (3) and (5), Florida Statutes (F.S.), and have identified no provision that necessitates a challenge of the Ordinance adopting the amendment.

If this plan amendment is not challenged by an affected person, the amendment will become effective 31 days after the Department notified the local government that the plan amendment package was complete. If this plan amendment is challenged by an affected person, the amendment will not become effective until the Department or the Administration Commission enters a final order determining the amendment to be "In Compliance." No development orders, development permits, or land uses dependent on this amendment may be issued or commence before it has become effective.

If you have any questions relating to this review, please contact Scott Rogers, Planning Analyst, at (850) 717-8510, or by email at scott.rogers@deo.myflorida.com.

Sincerely

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