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Re: THE FOUNTAINS

DRI2006-00001 - DRI Application (New)

### Dear MR. RON MANLEY:

The Zoning Division has reviewed the information provided for the above Development of Regional Impact application. The Land Development Code requires additional information for the applicant to be sufficient. Please respond to each requirement not satisfied on the attached sufficiency checklists. For your assistance, we have enclosed any additional memoranda from the various Lee County reviewing agencies.

If you do not provide the requested supplements or corrections within 60 calendar days of this letter, the Code requires that this application be considered withdrawn. Please feel free to contact me or the staff reviewers if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

**Zoning Division** 

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PLEASE FIND THE ATTACHED COMMENTS FROM THE PORT AUTHORITY AND THE COVER OF THE LEE COUNTY GROUNDWATER RESOURCE AND MINING STUDY, WHICH I MADE REFERENCE TO IN MY SUFFICIENCY COMMENTS.

CC:

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## Lee County Port Authority Sufficiency Comments for "The Fountains" Mixed Use Planned Development DCI2006-00029:

1. Portions of the Commercial and Light Industrial Pods of the Fountains development will lie within 60-DNL noise contour created by low-flying aircraft landing and departing from the Southwest Florida International Airport located immediately to the west of the Fountains. These areas are currently within the "Noise Sensitive Zone" created by Lee County in August 2005 and these areas will also be within proposed Noise Zone B when the recommendations of the FAR Part 150 Noise Compatibility Study are fully incorporated with the County's Comprehensive Plan and Land Development Code. New noise-sensitive land uses should not be placed in these areas. At a minimum, the following proposed uses would be considered noise sensitive and should not be included the schedule of uses for areas that will experience 60 DNL or greater noise:

### Commercial Pod:

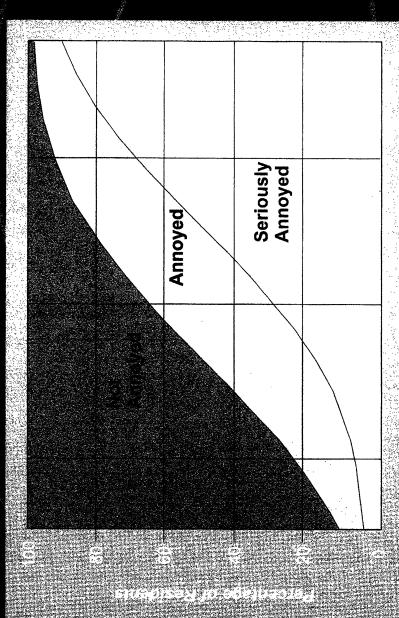
- Community residential home
- Day care center -- child, adult
- Home care facility
- Religious facilities
- Schools Non-commercial (Lee County School District, or other)

### Light Industrial Pod:

- Caretaker's residence
- Religious facilities
- Schools Non-commercial (Lee County School District, or other)
- 2. Please also note that even some people within the open-air portions of the proposed "Public Recreation Complex" in the Commercial Pod may experience annoyance at anticipated noise over the area.

# **Community Response To DNL Values**

Annoyance Caused by Aircraft Noise in Residential Communities Near Major Airports



Citizen's Annoyed Percentages of Approximate DNL Levels at Various

55 DNL -20%

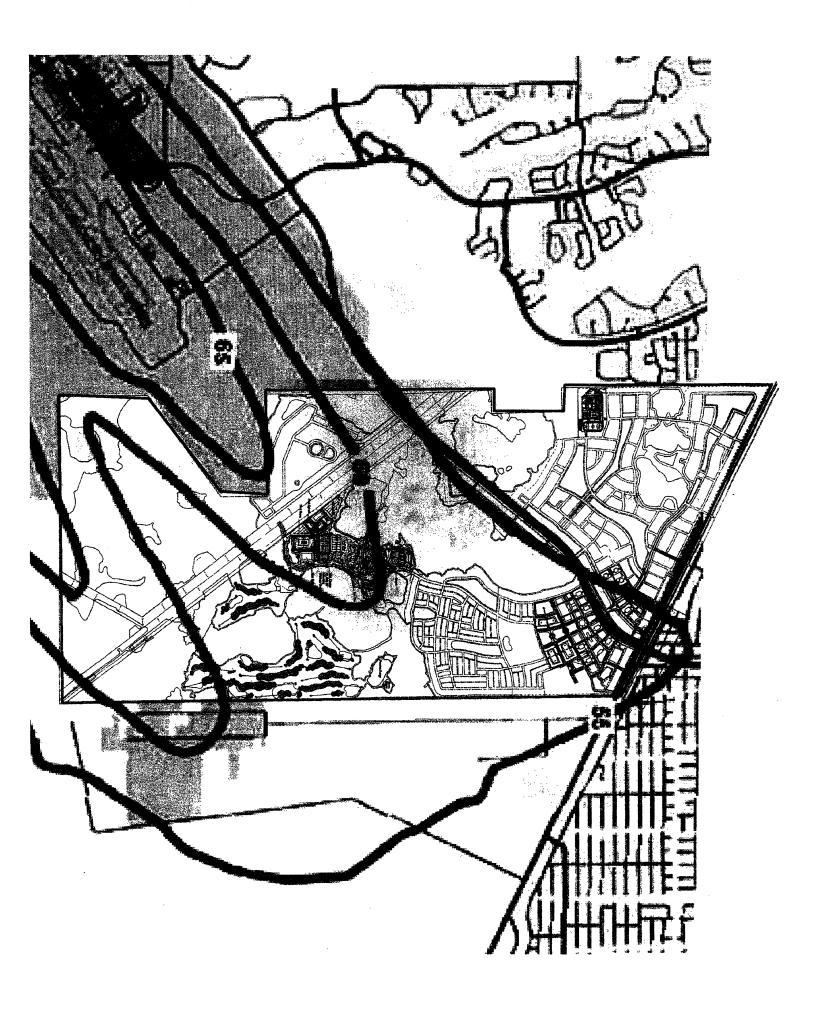
60 DNL - 40%

**65 DNL - 60%** 

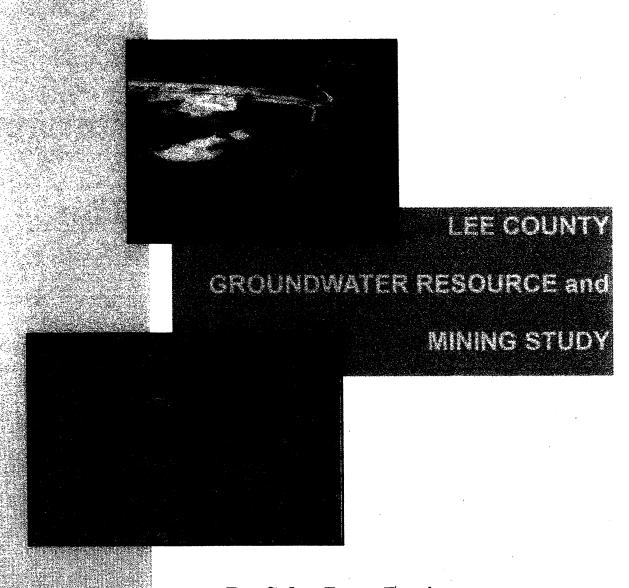
70 DNL - 80%

Source: FAA Report EE-85-2-Aviation Noise Effects





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