# **EEPCO Text Amendments**

CPA2019-00008

Privately Initiated Text Amendments

# **Summary of Amendments**

#### **Residential:**

- Allow 15% more units
   within Environmental
   Enhancement and
   Preservation Communities
   (EEPC) when enhanced
   regional benefits provided
- Clarify timing to end agricultural uses and record conservation easements in EEPCs

#### **Commercial:**

- EEPCs with minimum of 2,000 acres may request up to 100,000 sf of commercial, consistent with wellfield protection Ordinance
- Reallocate allowed 300,000 sf of commercial development within Southeast Lee County

### Residential Amendments

### The amendments will (Proposed Policy 33.3.4, Subsection 3.e):

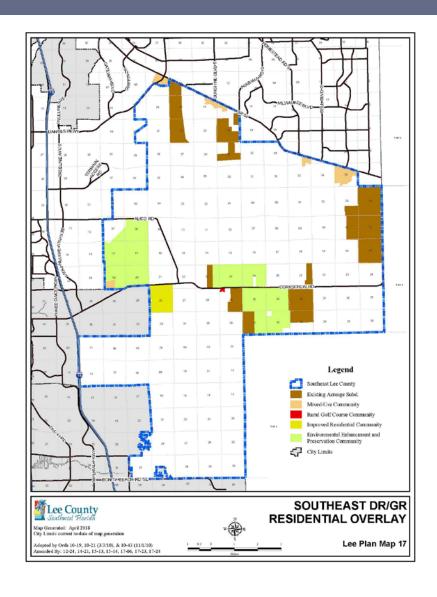
- allow for 15% unit increase for properties in EEPCO.
- require additional 5% open space for total of 65% open space required.
- Create stormwater retention and flowway connections to implement county identified regional flood mitigation projects.



## **Commercial Amendments**

#### The amendments will:

- Reallocate 300,000 sf of commercial uses within SE Lee County residential overlays (Proposed Policy 33.3.5):
  - **Mixed-Use Communities:** Currently 300,000 sf of commercial uses is allocated to Mixed-Use Communities.
  - Environmental Enhancement and Preservation Communities: Allow up to 100,000 sf of commercial (out of 300,000 sf) in EEPCs.
  - Rural Golf Course Communities: Pending CPA2018-10008.
- Incorporate additional criteria specific to commercial uses (Proposed Policy 33.3.4, Subsection 4):
  - Prohibit commercial development in wetlands.
  - Exclude commercial uses that could potentially adversely impact Lee County water resources.
  - Require water quality monitoring and pretreatment of stormwater.
  - Require a commercial component in the wildlife coexistence plan.



## **EEPCO Environmental Requirements**

#### **Existing:**

- Provide 60% open space (preserve plus development area).
- Restoration of 55% of the property into wetland and upland preserves with flowway and wildlife connections.
- Maintenance of preserve areas in perpetuity.
- Provide enhanced lake management plan.
- Site specific ecological and hydrological restoration plan.
- Wildlife coexistence plan.
- Meet state and federal water quality standards.
- Cease agricultural uses to eliminate use of associated chemicals and irrigation.
- Preservation of water resources through reductions in water use allocation and the use of native plants to reduce irrigation.
- Connect to sewer and water instead of the currently approved well and septic use.

### **Proposed:**

#### Residential (Policy 33.3.4, Subsection 3.e):

- Additional 5% open space for total of 65% open space required.
- Create stormwater retention and make flowway connections to implement county identified regional flood mitigation projects.

#### Commercial (Policy 33.3.4, Subsection 4):

- Prohibit commercial development in wetlands.
- Exclude commercial uses that could potentially adversely impact Lee County water resources.
- Require water quality monitoring and pretreatment of stormwater.
- Require a commercial component in the wildlife coexistence plan.

## Conclusion and Recommendation

#### **Conclusions:**

- Development footprints will not increase;
- Commercial uses allowed in Southeast Lee County will not increase;
- Commercial uses will be limited to specific community overlays (Map 17);
- Increased opportunity to re-establish historic and mitigate flooding at a regional scale; and,
- Will not have significant impacts on present or future water resources, consistent with Lee Plan Policies 2.4.2 and 2.4.3.

#### **Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that the Board of County Commissioners
 transmit the proposed amendments, as identified in Attachment 1.

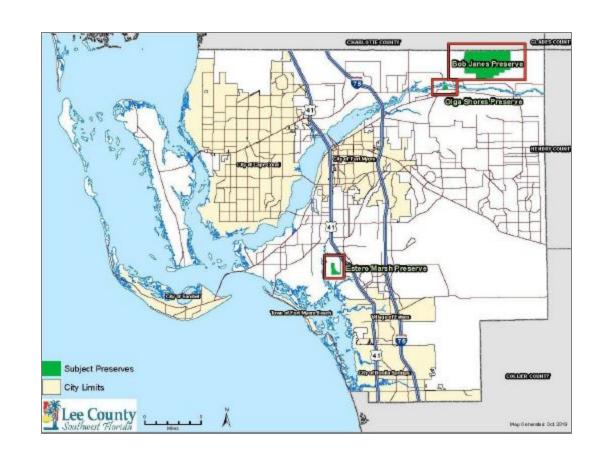
# CONSERVATION LANDS UPDATE

CPA2019-00006

County Initiated Map Amendment

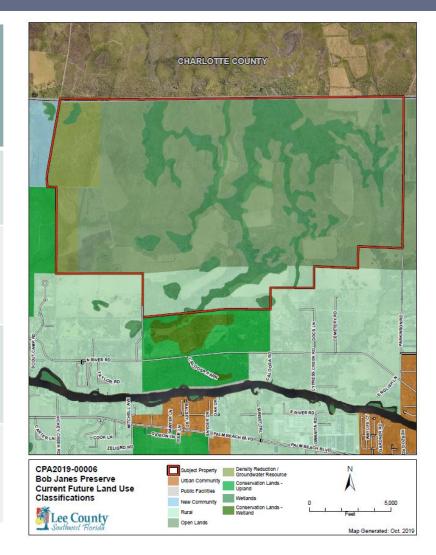
# Proposed Amendment

- Size:
  - o 5,726<u>+</u> acres
- Location:
  - 3 different parcels throughout Lee County
- Current Future Land Use Categories:
  - o DR/GR
  - o Open Lands
  - o Rural
  - o Suburban
  - o Wetlands
- Proposed Future Land Use Category:
  - Conservation Lands (upland and wetland)



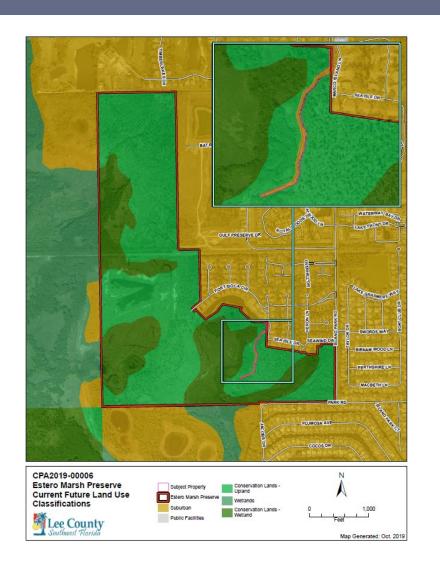
## Proposed Conservation Lands Acreages: Bob Janes

Current FLUC	Proposed FLUC	Acres	Dwelling Units Removed from FLUC
DR/GR	Conservation Lands - Upland	504.76	50
Open Lands	Conservation Lands - Upland	3442.35	344
Rural	Conservation Lands - Upland	419.35	419
Wetlands	Conservation Lands - Wetland	1251.81	63



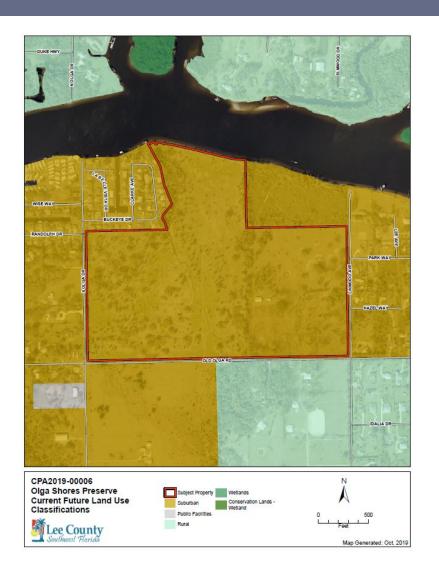
## Proposed Conservation Lands Acreages: Estero Marsh

Current FLUC	Suburban
Proposed FLUC	Conservation Lands – Upland
Acres	16.43
Dwelling Units Removed from FLUM	99



## Proposed Conservation Lands Acreages: Olga Shores

Current FLUC	Suburban
Proposed FLUC	Conservation Lands – Upland
Acres	91.73
Dwelling Units Removed from FLUM	550

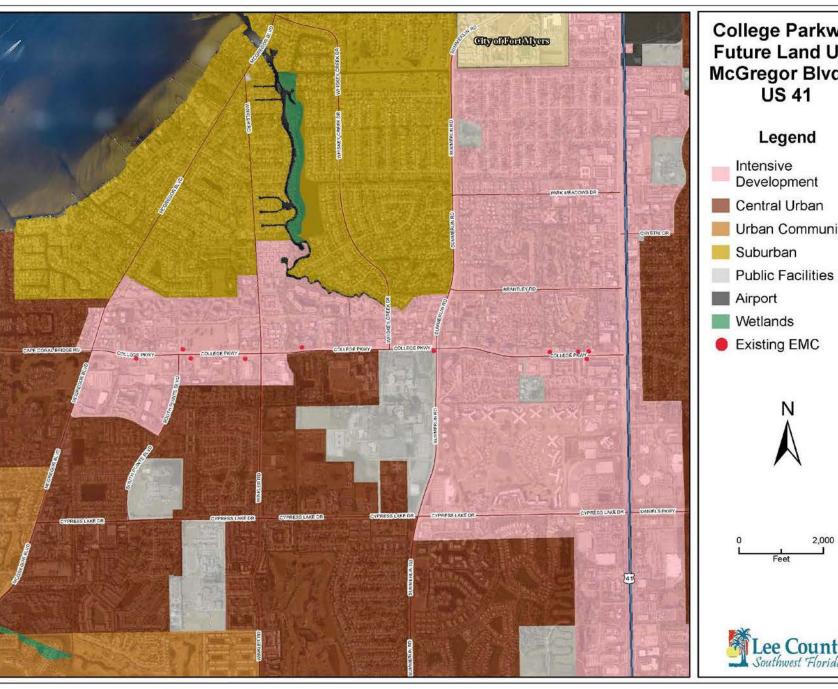


### Conclusion and Recommendation

- The proposed Lee Plan map amendment will help achieve the objectives identified by the individual Land Stewardship Plans (LSP).
- Consistent with Objective 1.4, 1.4.6, Objective 2.1, and Policy 2.1.1 of the Lee Plan.
- The total number of acres proposed for preservation is 5,726.44, and the total number of dwelling units to be removed from the FLUM is 1,525.
- Staff recommends that the amendments should be transmitted for state review.

# Electronic Message Centers on College Parkway

Land Development Code Amendments



### **College Parkway Future Land Use** McGregor Blvd to

- **Urban Community**





# Private Recreational Facilities Planned Development Use Table

Land Development Amendments