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January 29, 2020



Ms. Mikki Rozdolski, Planning Manager Lee County Dept. of Community Dev. Planning Section Post Office Box 398 Fort Myers, Florida 33902-0398

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Dear Ms. Rozdolski:

Thank you for submitting Lee County's proposed comprehensive plan amendments submitted for our review pursuant to the Expedited State Review process. The reference number for this amendment package is Lee County 20-01ESR.

The proposed submission package will be reviewed pursuant to Section 163.3184(3), Florida Statutes. Once the review is underway, you may be asked to provide additional supporting documentation by the review team to ensure a thorough review. You will receive the Department's Comment Letter no later than <u>February 28, 2020.</u>

If you have any questions please contact Anita Franklin, Plan Processor at (850) 717-8486 or Barbara Powell, Regional Planning Administrator, whom will be overseeing the review of the amendments, at (850) 717-8504.

Sincerely,

D. Ray Eubanks, Administrator Plan Review and Processing

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Florida Department of Environmental Protection

Florida Department of Education Florida Department of State

Florida Department of Transportation District 1 Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council

South Florida Water Management

Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

DATE:

January 29, 2020

SUBJECT:

COMMENTS FOR PROPOSED EXPEDITED STATE REVIEW PLAN AMENDMENT

LOCAL GOVERNMENT/ STATE LAND PLANNING AGENCY AMENDMENT #: LEE CO 20-01ESR

STATE LAND PLANNING AGENCY CONTACT PERSON/PHONE NUMBER: Barbara Powell/(850)717-8504

The referenced proposed comprehensive plan amendment is being reviewed pursuant the Expedited State Review Process according to the provisions of Section 163.3184(3), Florida Statutes. Please review the proposed documents for consistency with applicable provisions of Chapter 163, Florida Statutes.

Please note that your comments must be sent directly to and received by the above referenced local government within 30 days of receipt of the proposed amendment package. A copy of any comments shall be sent directly to the local government and to the State Land Planning Agency to the attention of Ray Eubanks, Administrator, Plan Review and Processing at the Department E-mail address: DCPexternalagencycomments@deo.myflorida.com

Please use the above referenced State Land Planning Agency AMENDMENT NUMBER on all correspondence related to this amendment.

Note: Review Agencies - The local government has indicated that they have mailed the proposed amendment directly to your agency. See attached transmittal letter. Be sure to contact the local government if you have not received the amendment. Also, letter to the local government from State Land Planning Agency acknowledging receipt of amendment is attached.

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January 24, 2020

Ray Eubanks, Plan Processing Administrator State Land Planning Agency Caldwell Building 107 East Madison - MSC 160 Tallahassee, FL. 32399-0800

Re: Amendment to the Lee Plan **Transmittal Submission Package** CPA2019-00008, EEPCO Text Amendment

Dear Mr. Eubanks:

In accordance with the provisions of F.S. Chapter 163, please find attached the proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendment, known locally as CPA2019-00008 (EEPCO Text Amendments). The proposed amendment is being submitted through the expedited state review process as described in Chapter 163.3184. The amendment is as follows:

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CPA2019-00008, EEPCO Text Amendments:

Amend language in Lee Plan Goals 1, 6, and 33 to establish provisions for allowing neighborhood commercial uses, increased residential density, and to clarify timing of agricultural use cessation and recording of conservation easements for certain residential and mixed-used developments located in Southeast Lee County.

The Local Planning Agency held a public hearing for the plan amendment on December 9. 2019. The Board of County Commissioners voted to transmit the amendment on January 22, 2020. The proposed amendments are not applicable to an area of critical state concern. The Board of County Commissioners stated their intent to hold an adoption hearing following the receipt of the review agencies' comments.

The name, title, address, telephone number, and email address of the person for the local government who is most familiar with the proposed amendment is as follows:

Mr. Brandon Dunn, Principal Planner Lee County Planning Section P.O. Box 398 Fort Myers, Florida 33902-0398 (239) 533-8585

Email: bdunn@leegov.com

Included with this package are one paper copy and two CD ROM copies, in PDF format, of the proposed amendment and supporting data and analysis. By copy of this letter and its attachments, I certify that this amendments and supporting data and analysis have been sent on this date to the agencies listed below.

Sincerely,

Mikki Rozdolski, Planning Manager

Lee County Department of Community Development

Planning Section

All documents and reports attendant to this transmittal are also being sent by copy of this cover in an electronic format to:

Comprehensive Plan Review
Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

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