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February 27, 2020

Ms. Mikki Rozdolski, Manger
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Dear Ms. Rozdolski:

This letter is in response to the letter dated February 26, 2020, notifying of an extension for the adoption of a proposed amendment DEO 19-06ESR to the Lee County Comprehensive Plan pursuant to Section 163.3184(3), Florida Statutes.

The Department acknowledges receipt of the extension notification. The new extended adoption date is June 12, 2020. The Department reminds the County that all citizens who commented on the amendment need to be notified of the extension.

If the proposed amendment is adopted, please submit the amendments to the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Bureau of Community Planning, Plan Processing Team within 10 working days of adoption pursuant to Section 163.3184(3), Florida Statutes.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Barbara Powell at (850) 717-8499, or myself, at (850) 717-8504.

Sincerely,

D. Ray Eubanks
Plan Processing Administrator

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**Re: Comprehensive Plan Amendment No. 19-06ESR
Vintage Commerce Center
Extension of 180-Day Adoption Deadline**

Dear Mr. Eubanks:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 163.3184(3)(c)1., Florida Statutes, this letter is to provide notice to the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity ("DEO") and other state and regional review agencies of an agreement between the applicant, CLE FL RE Investment I LLC and the County to extend adoption of Comprehensive Plan Amendment No. 19-06ESR (the "CPA").

The CPA consists of a map and a text amendment to amend the Future Land Use Map designation on ±33.95 acres from Industrial Commercial Interchange to General Interchange and to amend Table 1(b) 2030 population allocation to accommodate residential development on the subject property. The CPAs are locally known as CPA2018-10012 & CPA2018-10013.

The Lee County Board of County Commissioners (BoCC) held a public hearing to transmit the CPA on September 18, 2019, and subsequently transmitted the CPA to the reviewing agencies on September 25, 2019. The County received no comments from the reviewing agencies on the transmitted CPA application. Pursuant to Section 163.3184(3)(c)1., Florida Statutes, the BoCC is required to conduct its second public (adoption) hearing to take final action on the CPA by April 13, 2020 (180 days after receiving no comments) or else the CPA will be deemed withdrawn, unless an agreement to extend the deadline is approved and notice is provided to the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity ("DEO") and any affected person that provided comments on the CPA.

On February 26, 2020, the applicant requested to extend the second public hearing on the CPA until **June 12, 2020**. A copy of this letter is attached. The concurrent planned development rezoning is in process and the Hearing Examiner Report is pending. The extension is necessary in order to coordinate the CPA and

planned development rezoning requests so that both applications may be heard concurrently by the BoCC.

The County agrees to this time extension and respectfully requests that DEO issue a letter recognizing the extension from April 13, 2020 to June 12, 2020, to forward an adopted amendment to DEO and other state and regional agencies for final review. Upon receipt of such acknowledgment, the County will notify all citizens who commented on the amendment of the extension.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,
Department of Community Development
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Mikki Rozdolski
Manager, Community Development Operations

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February 26, 2020

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RE: CPA2018-10012 & CPA2018-10013, Vintage Commerce Center amendments

Dear Mr. ³Rozdolski:

On behalf of our client CLE FL RE Investment I, LLC, we respectfully request a 60-day extension of the statutory 180-day deadline (F.S. 163.3184(3)(c)) for the BoCC to hold the second hearing on the plan amendment(s). Lee County uses a Hearing Examiner for zoning applications. The county is desirous of the zoning application and the comprehensive plan applications tracking together. The Hearing was completed in December 2019. The Hearing Examiner has not yet issued a recommendation to the Board of County Commissioners. The BoCC only meets the first and the third Wednesday of every month. The March hearing agendas (BoCC) are already set. The applicant is concerned that due to no fault of the applicant the time will run. Thus, the property owner and applicant respectfully request an extension of time.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Arnold, AICP

Cc: Sharon Jenkins-Owen, AICP
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