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## San-Cap Chamber opposes proposed land use chamber

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# San-Cap Chamber opposes proposed land use changes

The Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce has sent a letter to Lee County Commissioners expressing its opposition to the proposed changes to the county Land Development Code and Lee Plan affecting Captiva. Stating these proposals "would jeopardize our small-town feel, increase traffic and wear on our infrastructure, complicate hurricane evacuation, and have a negative impact on our water quality and wildlife," the group urged denial of the proposed amendments at the upcoming county public hearings.

See the full letter here.

#### More about the proposed changes:

Since there has been a lot of activity in the past two days, below are links and calendar items concerning the proposed changes to the county Land Development Code and Lee Plan affecting Captiva:

- Legal opinion and <u>letter</u> from coalition of island organizations opposing the proposed land use changes
- June 12 CCA workshop link: https://youtu.be/1HZLD3\_wWpo
- June 13 Community Panel meeting link: <a href="https://youtu.be/HoAUPCyDWw8">https://youtu.be/HoAUPCyDWw8</a>

- The motion from the June 13 Community Meeting
- Timbers Resort letter to HOA President Council
- 2002 South Seas Administrative <u>Interpretation</u>
- A public hearing on proposed land use changes to the Land Development Code will be held Tuesday, June 20, beginning at 9:30 a.m. You can download the agenda and backup materials at <a href="https://www.leegov.com/bocc/meetings/agendas">https://www.leegov.com/bocc/meetings/agendas</a>

**Speak up**: Send an email and make a call to oppose these building height and density changes:

- **District 1**: Kevin Ruane <u>dist1@leegov.com</u> or (239) 533-2224
- District 2: Cecil Pendergrass dist2@leegov.com or (239) 533-2227
- District 3: Ray Sandelli dist3@leegov.com or (239) 533-2223
- District 4: Brian Hamman, Chairman <u>dist4@leegov.com</u> or (239) 533-2226
- District 5: Mike Greenwell, Vice Chairman <u>dist5@leegov.com</u> or (239)
   533-2225

### **Community Panel sets special meeting June 22**

The Captiva Community Panel has scheduled a special meeting on Thursday, June 22, beginning at 9 a.m. to discuss the decisions made at the June 20 public hearing and June 21 plan transmittal hearing. Details below.

When: Jun 22, 2023 09:00 AM Eastern Time (and Canada)

**Topic**: Special Captiva Community Panel meeting Please click the link below to join the webinar: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87565096970?

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