

Planning and Zoning Board / Local Planning Agency

Brevard County Government Center 2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Building C, Commission Room, Viera, Florida Agenda Monday, October 25, 2021

Call To Order - 3:00 P.M.

Approval of Minutes - August 23, 2021

H. Public Hearings

H.1. Public Hearing, Re: Comprehensive Plan Text Amendment Adoption to include a Property Rights Element as required by House Bill 59.

Public Comment

Adjournment

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Public Hearing

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10/25/2021

Subject:

Public Hearing, Re: Comprehensive Plan Text Amendment Adoption to include a Property Rights Element as required by House Bill 59.

Fiscal Impact:

None

Dept/Office:

Planning and Development

Requested Action:

It is requested that the Local Planning Agency consider adoption of a text amendment to the Comprehensive Plan to add a Property Rights Element, and to change the Table of Contents to include this Element.

Summary Explanation and Background:

This request is for a text amendment to create a Property Rights Element to the Comprehensive Plan adding Goals, Objectives, and Policies with regards to the local decision making process as it pertains to the rights of property owners.

This request is a result of House Bill 59, which became law on June 29, 2021, adding Section 163.3177(6)(i), Florida Statutes. Effective July 1, 2021: Each local government must adopt a property rights element in its comprehensive plan by the earlier of the date of its adoption of its next proposed plan amendment that is **initiated** after July 1, 2021, or the date of the next scheduled evaluation and appraisal of its comprehensive plan pursuant to Section 163.3191, Florida Statutes.

The Property Rights Element creates a decision-making policy with regards to the right of property owners to physically control, maintain, improve, protect, and sell properties.

Pursuant to the expedited state review, DEO identified no comment related to adverse impacts to important state resources and facilities within the Departments authorized scope of review. DEO provided one technical comment pertaining to the Ordinance; To revise and remove the reference to the Future Land Use Element and being applicable to the Future Land Use Element of the Comprehensive Plan. Staff has made this change. The other agencies had no comments.

On August 23, 2021, the Local Planning Agency recommended approval of transmittal, adding Paragraph (E) to the element that states Brevard County recognizes that planning and development decisions affect complex systems and have impacts that occur beyond site development. Any affected person may participate in and be a party to a hearing on a planning and development decision. An affected person is any person or local

government that will suffer adverse effect to an interest protected or furthered by this comprehensive plan, included interests related to health, safety, police, fire, service systems, density intensity of development, transportation facilities, healthcare facilities, equipment services, environmental or natural resources.

On September 2, 2021, the Board of County Commissioners approved transmittal as presented and did not include the LPA recommendation.

The Board of County Commissioners will consider adoption of the Property Rights Element on **Thursday**, **November 4, 2021, at 5:00 p.m**. at the Viera Government Center, 2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Building C, First Floor, Viera, Florida.

Clerk to the Board Instructions:

None.

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PROPOSED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT 2021-2.1 PROPERTYT RIGHTS ELEMENT – TEXT AMENDMENT

Request:	A text amendment to the Comprehensive Plan creating Property Rights Element XV and changing the Glossary from Element XV to XVI
Owner / Applicant:	Planning & Development Department
Location:	N/A
Acreage:	N/A
Existing Land Use Designation:	N/A
Proposed Land Use Designation:	N/A

PROPOSED TEXT AMENDMENT

Background:

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The new section requires that governmental entities respect judicially acknowledged and constitutionally protected private property rights. The law allows the Board to adopt its own property rights element or use the provision provided. Staff has presented the provision included in the law in order to expedite this process to ensure that development applications may continue to be processed at this time.

Description:

The proposed amendment will create a Property Rights Element to the Comprehensive Plan adding Goals, Objectives and Policies with regards to the local decision making process, as it pertains to the rights of property owners.

Proposed Text Amendment

The proposed amendment would be adopted as Property Rights Element XV and change the Glossary from XV to XVI. Additions to the Comprehensive Plan will be shown as <u>underlined</u> and deletions are shown as <u>strike through</u>.

PROPERTY RIGHTS ELEMENT

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BREVARD COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

CHAPTER XV

PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS

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Private property rights in the local decision making process......1

GOALS, OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

GOAL

TO ENSURE CONSIDERATION OF PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS IN THE LOCAL DECISION MAKING PROCESS.

Objective 1

Brevard County shall follow a set of policies to ensure that private property rights are considered in the local decision making process.

<u>Policy 1.1</u>

Brevard County shall consider the following in the local decision making process:

- A. <u>The right of a property owner to physically possess and control his or her</u> interests in the property, including easements, leases, or mineral rights.
- B. <u>The right of a property owner to use, maintain, develop, and improve his or</u> <u>her property for personal use or the use of any other person, subject to state</u> <u>law and local ordinances.</u>
- C. <u>The right of the property owner to privacy and to exclude others from the</u> <u>property to protect the owner's possessions and property.</u>
- D. <u>The right of a property owner to dispose of his or her property through sale</u> <u>or gift.</u>

THE 1988* BREVARD COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

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Preface

Adopting Ordinance

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Updated November 7, 2008 November 4, 2021

ORDINANCE NO. 21-___

ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE III, CHAPTER 62, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF BREVARD COUNTY; ENTITLED "THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN", SETTING FORTH PLAN AMENDMENT 2021-2.1; AMENDING SECTION 62-501, ENTITLED "CONTENTS OF THE PLAN"; SPECIFICALLY AMENDING SECTION 62-501, PART IX, ENTITLED PROPERTY RIGHTS ELEMENT; PROVIDING FOR INTERNAL CONSISTENCY WITH THESE AMENDMENTS; PROVIDING LEGAL STATUS; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 163.3161 et. seq., Florida Statutes (1987) established the Local Government Comprehensive Planning and Land Development Regulation Act; and

WHEREAS, Section 163.3167, Florida Statutes, requires each County in the State of Florida to prepare and adopt a Comprehensive Plan as scheduled by the Department of Economic Opportunity; and

WHEREAS, on September 8, 1988, the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, approved Ordinance No. 88-27, adopting the 1988 Brevard County Comprehensive Plan, hereafter referred to as the 1988 Plan; and

WHEREAS, Sections 163.3184 and 163.3187, and 163.3189, Florida Statutes, established the process for the amendment of comprehensive plans pursuant to which Brevard County has established procedures for amending the 1988 Plan; and

WHEREAS, Brevard County initiated amendments and accepted application for amendments to the Comprehensive Plan on June 30, 2021, for adoption as the Plan Amendment Cycle 2021-2; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, have provided for the broad dissemination of proposals and alternatives, opportunity for written comments, public hearings after due public notice, provisions for open discussion, communication programs and consideration of and response to public comments concerning the provisions contained in the 1988 Plan and amendments thereto; and

WHEREAS, Section 62-181, Brevard County Code designated the Brevard County Planning and Zoning Board as the Local Planning Agency for the unincorporated areas of Brevard County, Florida, and set forth the duties and responsibilities of said local planning agency; and

WHEREAS, on October 25, 2021, the Brevard County Local Planning Agency held a duly noticed public hearing on Plan Amendment 2021-2.1, and considered the findings and advice of the Technical Advisory Groups, and all interested parties submitting comments; and

WHEREAS, on November 4, 2021, the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners held a duly noticed public hearing, and considered the findings and recommendations, and all interested parties submitting written or oral comments, and the recommendations of the Local Planning Agency, and upon a thorough, and complete consideration, approval for the adoption of Plan Amendment 2021-2.1; and

WHEREAS, Plan Amendment 2021-2.1 adopted by this Ordinance complies with the requirements of the Local Government Comprehensive Planning and Land Development Regulation Act; and

WHEREAS, Plan Amendment 2021-2.1 adopted by this Ordinance is based upon findings of fact as included in the data and analysis.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, as follows:

Section 1. Authority. This ordinance is adopted in compliance with, and pursuant to the Local Government Comprehensive Planning and Land Development Regulations Act, Sections 163.3184 and 163.3187, Florida Statutes.

Section 2. Purpose and Intent. It is hereby declared to be the purpose and intent of this Ordinance to clarify, expand, correct, update, modify and otherwise further the provisions of the 1988 Brevard County Comprehensive Plan.

Section 3. Adoption of Comprehensive Plan Amendments. Pursuant to Plan Amendment 2021-2.1 to the 1988 Comprehensive Plan, Article III, Chapter 62-504, Brevard County Code, the 1988 Brevard County Comprehensive Plan is hereby amended as specifically shown in Exhibit A. Exhibit A is hereby incorporated into and made part of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Legal Status of the Plan Amendments. After and from the effective date of this Ordinance, the plan amendment, Plan Amendment 2021-2.1, shall amend the 1988 Comprehensive Plan and become part of that plan and the plan amendment shall retain the legal status of the 1988 Brevard County Comprehensive Plan established in Chapter 62-504 of the Code of Laws and Ordinances of Brevard County, Florida, as amended.

Section 5. Severability. If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, sentence or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, invalidate, or nullify the remainder of this Ordinance, but the effect thereof shall be confined to the section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, sentence or provision immediately involved in the controversy in which such judgment or decree shall be rendered.

Section 6. Effective Date. The plan amendment shall become effective once the state land planning agency issues a final order determining the adopted amendment to be in compliance in accordance with Florida Statutes, Section 163.3184(9), or until the Administration Commission issues a final order determining the amendment to be in compliance in accordance with Florida Statutes, Section 163.3184(10). A certified copy of the ordinance shall be filed with the Office of the Secretary of State, State of Florida, within ten days of enactment.

DONE AND ADOPTED in regular session, this the _____ day of ______, 2021.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

Rachel Sadoff, Clerk

By:_____ Rita Pritchett, Chair

Approved by the Board on _____, 2021.

EXHIBIT A

2021-2.1 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT



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2	An act relating to growth management; amending s.
3	163.3167, F.S.; specifying requirements for certain
4	comprehensive plans effective, rather than adopted,
5	after a specified date and for associated land
6	development regulations; amending s. 163.3177, F.S.;
7	requiring local governments to include a property
8	rights element in their comprehensive plans; providing
9	a statement of rights which a local government may
10	use; requiring a local government to adopt a property
11	rights element by the earlier of its adoption of its
12	next proposed plan amendment initiated after a certain
13	date or the next scheduled evaluation and appraisal of
14	its comprehensive plan; prohibiting a local
15	government's property rights element from conflicting
16	with the statement of rights contained in the act;
17	amending s. 163.3237, F.S.; providing that the consent
18	of certain property owners is not required for
19	development agreement changes under certain
20	circumstances; providing an exception; amending s.
21	337.25, F.S.; requiring the Department of
22	Transportation to afford a right of first refusal to
23	certain individuals under specified circumstances;
24	providing requirements and procedures for the right of
25	first refusal; amending s. 380.06, F.S.; authorizing

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26	certain developments of regional impact agreements to
27	be amended under certain circumstances; providing
28	retroactive applicability; providing a declaration of
29	important state interest; providing an effective date.
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31	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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33	Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 163.3167, Florida
34	Statutes, is amended to read:
35	163.3167 Scope of act
36	(3) A municipality established after the effective date of
37	this act shall, within 1 year after incorporation, establish a
38	local planning agency, pursuant to s. 163.3174, and prepare and
39	adopt a comprehensive plan of the type and in the manner set out
40	in this act within 3 years after the date of such incorporation.
41	A county comprehensive plan is controlling until the
42	municipality adopts a comprehensive plan in accordance with this
43	act. A comprehensive plan for a newly incorporated municipality
44	which becomes effective adopted after January 1, 2016 2019, and
45	all land development regulations adopted to implement the
46	comprehensive plan must incorporate each development order
47	existing before the comprehensive plan's effective date, may not
48	impair the completion of a development in accordance with such
49	existing development order, and must vest the density and
50	intensity approved by such development order existing on the
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51	effective date of the comprehensive plan without limitation or
52	modification.
53	Section 2. Paragraph (i) is added to subsection (6) of
54	section 163.3177, Florida Statutes, to read:
55	163.3177 Required and optional elements of comprehensive
56	plan; studies and surveys
57	(6) In addition to the requirements of subsections (1)-
58	(5), the comprehensive plan shall include the following
59	elements:
60	(i)1. In accordance with the legislative intent expressed
61	in ss. 163.3161(10) and 187.101(3) that governmental entities
62	respect judicially acknowledged and constitutionally protected
63	private property rights, each local government shall include in
64	its comprehensive plan a property rights element to ensure that
65	private property rights are considered in local decisionmaking.
66	A local government may adopt its own property rights element or
67	use the following statement of rights:
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69	The following rights shall be considered in local
70	decisionmaking:
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72	1. The right of a property owner to physically
73	possess and control his or her interests in the
74	property, including easements, leases, or mineral
75	rights.

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77 2. The right of a property owner to use, maintain,	
78 develop, and improve his or her property for personal	
79 use or for the use of any other person, subject to	
80 state law and local ordinances.	
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82 3. The right of the property owner to privacy and to	
83 exclude others from the property to protect the	
84 owner's possessions and property.	
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86 4. The right of a property owner to dispose of his or	
87 her property through sale or gift.	
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90 element in its comprehensive plan by the earlier of the date of	:
91 its adoption of its next proposed plan amendment that is	
92 initiated after July 1, 2021, or the date of the next scheduled	l
93 evaluation and appraisal of its comprehensive plan pursuant to	
94 s. 163.3191. If a local government adopts its own property	
95 rights element, the element may not conflict with the statement	<u>-</u>
96 of rights provided in subparagraph 1.	
97 Section 3. Section 163.3237, Florida Statutes, is amended	l
98 to read:	
99 163.3237 Amendment or cancellation of a development	
100 agreementA development agreement may be amended or canceled b	уY
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101	mutual consent of the parties to the agreement or by their
102	successors in interest. <u>A party or its designated successor in</u>
103	interest to a development agreement and a local government may
104	amend or cancel a development agreement without securing the
105	consent of other parcel owners whose property was originally
106	subject to the development agreement, unless the amendment or
107	cancellation directly modifies the allowable uses or
108	entitlements of such owners' property.
109	Section 4. Subsection (4) of section 337.25, Florida
110	Statutes, is amended to read:
111	337.25 Acquisition, lease, and disposal of real and
112	personal property
113	(4) The department may convey, in the name of the state,
114	any land, building, or other property, real or personal, which
115	was acquired under subsection (1) and which the department has
116	determined is not needed for the construction, operation, and
117	maintenance of a transportation facility. When such a
118	determination has been made, property may be disposed of through
119	negotiations, sealed competitive bids, auctions, or any other
120	means the department deems to be in its best interest, with due
121	advertisement for property valued by the department at greater
122	than \$10,000. A sale may not occur at a price less than the
123	department's current estimate of value, except as provided in
124	paragraphs (a)-(d). The department may afford a right of first
125	refusal to the local government or other political subdivision
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126 in the jurisdiction in which the parcel is situated, except in a 127 conveyance transacted under paragraph (a), paragraph (c), or 128 paragraph (e). Notwithstanding any provision of this section to 129 the contrary, before any conveyance under this subsection may be made, except a conveyance under paragraph (a) or paragraph (c), 130 131 the department shall first afford a right of first refusal to 132 the previous property owner for the department's current 133 estimate of value of the property. The right of first refusal 134 must be made in writing and sent to the previous owner via 135 certified mail or hand delivery, effective upon receipt. The 136 right of first refusal must provide the previous owner with a 137 minimum of 30 days to exercise the right in writing and must be 138 sent to the originator of the offer by certified mail or hand 139 delivery, effective upon dispatch. If the previous owner 140 exercises his or her right of first refusal, the previous owner 141 has a minimum of 90 days to close on the property. The right of 142 first refusal set forth in this subsection may not be required 143 for the disposal of property acquired more than 10 years before 144 the date of disposition by the department.

(a) If the property has been donated to the state for
transportation purposes and a transportation facility has not
been constructed for at least 5 years, plans have not been
prepared for the construction of such facility, and the property
is not located in a transportation corridor, the governmental
entity may authorize reconveyance of the donated property for no

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151 consideration to the original donor or the donor's heirs,152 successors, assigns, or representatives.

(b) If the property is to be used for a public purpose,
the property may be conveyed without consideration to a
governmental entity.

156 If the property was originally acquired specifically (C) 157 to provide replacement housing for persons displaced by 158 transportation projects, the department may negotiate for the sale of such property as replacement housing. As compensation, 159 the state shall receive at least its investment in such property 160 or the department's current estimate of value, whichever is 161 162 lower. It is expressly intended that this benefit be extended only to persons actually displaced by the project. Dispositions 163 164 to any other person must be for at least the department's 165 current estimate of value.

(d) If the department determines that the property requires significant costs to be incurred or that continued ownership of the property exposes the department to significant liability risks, the department may use the projected maintenance costs over the next 10 years to offset the property's value in establishing a value for disposal of the property, even if that value is zero.

(e) If, at the discretion of the department, a sale to a
person other than an abutting property owner would be
inequitable, the property may be sold to the abutting owner for

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176	the department's current estimate of value.
177	Section 5. Paragraph (d) of subsection (4) of section
178	380.06, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
179	380.06 Developments of regional impact
180	(4) LOCAL GOVERNMENT DEVELOPMENT ORDER
181	(d) Any agreement entered into by the state land planning
182	agency, the developer, and the local government with respect to
183	an approved development of regional impact previously classified
184	as essentially built out, or any other official determination
185	that an approved development of regional impact is essentially
186	built out, remains valid unless it expired on or before April 6,
187	2018, and may be amended pursuant to the processes adopted by
188	the local government for amending development orders. Any such
189	agreement or amendment may authorize the developer to exchange
190	approved land uses, subject to demonstrating that the exchange
191	will not increase impacts to public facilities. This paragraph
192	applies to all such agreements and amendments effective on or
193	after April 6, 2018.
194	Section 6. The Legislature finds and declares that this
195	act fulfills an important state interest.
196	Section 7. This act shall take effect July 1, 2021.

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Ron DeSantis GOVERNOR



Dane Eagle SECRETARY

October 1, 2021

The Honorable Rita Pritchett Chair, Brevard County Board of County Commissioners 2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way Viera, Florida 32940

Dear Chair Pritchett:

The Department of Economic Opportunity ("Department") has reviewed the Brevard County proposed comprehensive plan amendment (Amendment No. 21-01ESR), received on September 3, 2021, pursuant to the expedited state review process in Section 163.3184(2)(3), Florida Statutes (F.S.). We have identified no comment related to adverse impacts to important state resources and facilities within the Department's authorized scope of review.

We are, however, providing a technical assistance comment consistent with Section 163.3168(3), F.S. The technical assistance comment will not form the basis of a challenge. It is offered either as a suggestion which can strengthen the County's comprehensive plan in order to foster a vibrant, healthy community or is technical in nature and designed to ensure consistency with the Community Planning Act in Chapter 163, Part II, F.S. The technical assistance comment is:

• The draft ordinance heading references this amendment being to the Future Land Use Element of the County's Comprehensive Plan, while the draft ordinance exhibit and supporting documents show the amendment will create a new, separate element. To ensure consistency with Section 163.3177(6)(i), F.S., DEO recommends that prior to adoption, the ordinance be revised to remove the reference to the amendment being applicable to the Future Land Use Element of the Comprehensive Plan and to clearly reference the Property Rights Element as its own, stand alone element.

The County should act by choosing to adopt, adopt with changes, or not adopt the proposed amendment. For your assistance, we have enclosed the procedures for adoption and transmittal of the comprehensive plan amendment. In addition, the County is reminded that:

• Section 163.3184(3)(b), F.S., authorizes other reviewing agencies to provide comments directly to the County. If the County receives reviewing agency comments and they are not resolved, these comments could form the basis for a challenge to the amendment after adoption.

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- The second public hearing, which shall be a hearing on whether to adopt one or more comprehensive plan amendments, must be held within 180 days of your receipt of agency comments or the amendment shall be deemed withdrawn unless extended by agreement with notice to the Department and any affected party that provided comment on the amendment pursuant to Section 163.3184(3)(c)1., F.S.
- The adopted amendment must be rendered to the Department. Under Section 163.3184(3)(c)2. and 4., F.S., the amendment effective date is 31 days after the Department notifies the County that the amendment package is complete or, if challenged, until it is found to be in compliance by the Department or the Administration Commission.

If you have any questions concerning this review, please contact Matthew Preston, Planning Analyst, by telephone at (850) 717-8490 or by email at matt.preston@deo.myflorida.com.

Sincerely,

James D. Stansbury, Chief Bureau of Community Planning and Growth

JDS/mp

Enclosure(s): Procedures for Adoption

cc: Cheryl Campbell, Planner III, Planning and Development Department, Brevard County Hugh Harling, P.E., Executive Director, East Central Florida Regional Planning Council

SUBMITTAL OF ADOPTED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENTS

FOR EXPEDITED STATE REVIEW

Section 163.3184(3), Florida Statutes

NUMBER OF COPIES TO BE SUBMITTED: Please submit electronically using the Department's electronic amendment submittal portal "Comprehensive Plan and Amendment Upload"

(https://floridajobs.secure.force.com/cp/) or submit three complete copies of all comprehensive plan materials, of which one complete paper copy and two complete electronic copies on CD ROM in Portable Document Format (PDF) to the State Land Planning Agency and one copy to each entity below that provided timely comments to the local government: the appropriate Regional Planning Council; Water Management District; Department of Transportation; Department of Environmental Protection; Department of State; the appropriate county (municipal amendments only); the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission and the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (county plan amendments only); and the Department of Education (amendments relating to public schools); and for certain local governments, the appropriate military installation and any other local government or governmental agency that has filed a written request.

SUBMITTAL LETTER: Please include the following information in the cover letter transmitting the adopted amendment:

_____ State Land Planning Agency identification number for adopted amendment package;

_____ Summary description of the adoption package, including any amendments proposed but not adopted;

_____ Identify if concurrency has been rescinded and indicate for which public facilities. (Transportation, schools, recreation and open space).

_____ Ordinance number and adoption date;

_____ Certification that the adopted amendment(s) has been submitted to all parties that provided timely comments to the local government;

_____ Name, title, address, telephone, FAX number and e-mail address of local government contact;

Letter signed by the chief elected official or the person designated by the local government.

ADOPTION AMENDMENT PACKAGE: Please include the following information in the amendment package:

____ In the case of text amendments, changes should be shown in strike-through/underline format.

_____ In the case of future land use map amendments, an adopted future land use map, **in color format**, clearly depicting the parcel, its future land use designation, and its adopted designation.

_____ A copy of any data and analyses the local government deems appropriate.

Note: If the local government is relying on previously submitted data and analysis, no additional data and analysis is required;

_____ Copy of the executed ordinance adopting the comprehensive plan amendment(s);

Suggested effective date language for the adoption ordinance for expedited review:

"The effective date of this plan amendment, if the amendment is not timely challenged, shall be 31 days after the state land planning agency notifies the local government that the plan amendment package is complete. If the amendment is timely challenged, this amendment shall become effective on the date the state land planning agency or the Administration Commission enters a final order determining this adopted amendment to be in compliance."

_____ List of additional changes made in the adopted amendment that the State Land Planning Agency did not previously review;

List of findings of the local governing body, if any, that were not included in the ordinance and which provided the basis of the adoption or determination not to adopt the proposed amendment;

_____ Statement indicating the relationship of the additional changes not previously reviewed by the State Land Planning Agency in response to the comment letter from the State Land Planning Agency.