



Recap of TBRPC Council Meeting

Talking points to assist Board Members with their reports on Council activities.

Meeting Date: June 12, 2017

❖ DRI #269 – Parrish Lakes, Final Report, Manatee County

A Parrish Lakes Final Report was previously approved by TBRPC on April 11, 2011. However, a delay in the pursuit of the Development Order by the Developer and the subsequent modifications to the transportation analysis requirements approved by the legislature, lead the Developer to request a reassessment of the project's transportation impacts. Essentially all identified Impacts, Developer Commitments and Recommended Conditions remained identical to those presented in the initially-approved Final Report with the exception of those items related to the reanalysis of transportation impacts. The applicant sought specific approval for a two-phase, 1,055-acre, mixed use development to be constructed in northern Manatee County, more specifically along the south side of Moccasin Wallow, one mile east of I-75. An extension of Carter Road will traverse the project. The northern limits of the project are approximately three miles south of the Hillsborough County line. As currently proposed, the project will consist of 3,300 Residential units, 400,000 sq. ft. of Retail and 50,000 sq. ft. of Office when completed in 2036. The Council voted unanimously to accept DRI #263-Parish Lakes Final Report.

❖ Rock Ponds Ecosystem Restoration Project

The Rock Ponds Ecosystem Restoration Project is the largest coastal restoration project ever performed for Tampa Bay, a two-phased cooperative effort between the Surface Water Improvement and Management (SWIM) Program of the Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) and the Conservation and Environmental Lands Management Department (CELMD) of Hillsborough County. This project was identified as part of the Tampa Bay SWIM Plan as well as the Tampa Bay Estuary Program's Comprehensive Conservation and Management Plan for Tampa Bay. Mr. Brandt Henningsen, Chief Advisor Environmental Scientist, Surface Water Improvement and Management (SWIM) Program, Southwest Florida Water Management District and Ms. Nancy Norton, Co-Project Manager provided an overview of this award winning project.

❖ June is Hurricane Awareness Month- 2017 Disaster Planning Guide

The 2017 Hurricane Season began on June 1st. TBRPC works with the region's local governments to increase public awareness about the potential threats to lives and property that hurricanes pose, and to provide informational resources that the citizens of the Tampa Bay region can use to develop hurricane plans. The *2017 Tampa Bay Disaster Planning Guide* provides information about the steps that Tampa Bay area residents can take in their homes, businesses and in the community to be safer and more resilient. Working with the area's county emergency management departments, TBRPC coordinated the production and delivery of 600,000 copies of the *2017 Disaster Planning Guide* for eight counties in two languages. Resolution #2017-01 was unanimously passed declaring the month of June as Hurricane Awareness Month in the Tampa Bay Region.

All presentations, pertinent links and minutes of the meetings can be found on the Council website at www.tbrpc.org. Contact: Wren G. Krahl, Director of Administration/Public Information, wren@tbrpc.org.