



City of Sanibel “The Sanibel Plan” Community Survey

The City of Sanibel is in the process of updating its Comprehensive Plan, known as the Sanibel Plan. A Comprehensive Plan is essentially a “road map” that guides decisions on land use, private investment, green space programs, and development of public projects. It describes the history, current state, and future vision of the community. While the plan won’t be able to answer all the questions about the future, it will serve as the city’s foundation, guiding its growth and development for the next 20 years.

Thank you for participating. We value your feedback, and we’ll keep all your answers anonymous.

**The Comprehensive Plan Community Survey is being prepared and conducted by*

Calvin, Giordano and Associates, Inc. on behalf of the City of Sanibel

1. What is your age?

2. Do you live in the City of Sanibel?

☐ Yes ☐ No

3. How long have you lived in Sanibel?

☐ 0-5 years ☐ 5-15 years ☐ 15-25 years ☐ More than 25 years
☐ I don’t reside in the City of Sanibel

4. If no, do you live elsewhere within Lee County?

☐ Yes ☐ No

5. Do you rent or own your home?

☐ Own ☐ Rent ☐ N/A

6. How many people, including yourself, live in your household?

7. Are you a permanent or seasonal resident?

☐ Permanent ☐ Seasonal



City of Sanibel “The Sanibel Plan” Community Survey

8. Do you have anyone under the age of 18 at home?

☐ Yes

☐ No

9. Do you expect to live in the City of Sanibel within the next

☐ 0-4 years

☐ 5-9 years

☐ 10-19 years

☐ 20+years

☐ Not Sure

10. How familiar are you with the Sanibel Plan?

☐ I am not familiar with the Sanibel Plan.

☐ I know the city has a Plan, but I don’t know its purpose or what’s in it.

☐ I am somewhat familiar with the purpose of the Sanibel Plan and what it contains.

☐ I am very familiar with the purpose of the Sanibel Plan and what it contains.

11. How important are the following factors when deciding on where you want to live in the future?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not Important	Neutral
Family	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Jobs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Weather	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Events and/or Recreation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Safety	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Affordability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

12. What change or addition would make Sanibel a better place to live or visit?



City of Sanibel “The Sanibel Plan” Community Survey

13. What concerns you the most about the future of the city of Sanibel?

Why? _____

14. Using a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being the most important and 10 the least important to the future of Sanibel, please score the following topics.

- Housing Affordability ____
- Historic Preservation ____
- Environmental Stewardship ____
- Resilient Development ____
- Commercial/Retail Development ____
- Youth & Teen Activities ____
- Infrastructure Improvements (roads, potable water, sewer) ____
- Sense of Community ____
- Parks, Recreational & Cultural Activities ____
- Multi-Modal Transportation Options (bicycle facilities, transit, etc.) ____
- Other ____



City of Sanibel “The Sanibel Plan” Community Survey

15. How would you rate the quality of life in the City of Sanibel?

☐ Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor ☐ No Opinion

What would improve your rating?

16. Would you recommend the City of Sanibel as a place to: *(Check all that apply)*

☐ Live ☐ Work ☐ Play ☐ Raise a family ☐ Retire

☐ No opinion

17. What do you like most about the city of Sanibel?

18. Which transportation challenge do you experience most often?

☐ Traffic congestion ☐ Lack of transit ☐ Unsafe crossings ☐ Unrepaired infrastructure

Why? _____

19. How has the City’s experience with and recovery from Hurricane Ian, followed by Hurricane Helene and Milton, affected Sanibel’s:

	Negatively Impacted	No Change	Positively Impacted
Sense of Community	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Character	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Affordability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Socio-economic Diversity	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Desirability as a Place to Live	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Desirability as a Place to Vacation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recreation Opportunities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sanctuary Island Status	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Business Community	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Explain _____



City of Sanibel “The Sanibel Plan” Community Survey

What would you like to see more of on Sanibel? (Select one per row)

	More	Less	No Change
Small Shops and Cafes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Restaurants	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Services (e.g. salons, spas, healthcare)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Grocery Stores	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Activity Centers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Job opportunities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Housing Opportunities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Vacation Rentals	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Passive Recreation Areas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Active Recreation Opportunities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mixed Use Developments (Commercial with Residential)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Events	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other: _____	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Thank you for participating. We value your feedback, and we'll keep all your answers anonymous.

Please feel free to leave additional comments in the space below.