City of Sanibel

Meeting Agenda - Final Revised

City Council

Tuesday, July 15, 2025 9:00 AM BIG ARTS - 900 Dunlop R
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Set Proposed Millage Rate

SUPPLEMENT 1 - AS OF 7/10/25 UDATED AGENDA ATTACHMENTS UNDER BUDGET ITEM 8(a.) AND (b.). ADDED UPDATED CONSENT AGENDA BUSINESS ITEMS a., b.(vii) & b.(viii.), AND NEW BUSINESS ITEM (a.) SUPPLEMENT 2 - AS OF 07/11/25 - ADDED PUBLIC COMMENT UNDER SECOND READING ITEM 7.(b.), NEW BUSINESS ITEM 12(a.), 12(b.) AND 12(d.). INFORMATIONAL ITEMS 14(c.)

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE CITY COUNCIL AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE (Councilmember DeBruce)

3. ROLL CALL

4. SET THE AGENDA

5. PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT (Commissioner Schopp)

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR NON-AGENDA ITEMS

(Maximum time allotted, 20 minutes, with a limitation of 3 minutes per speaker.)

7. 9:10 AM - SECOND READING AND PUBLIC HEARING

a. <u>Shared Use Path Violations</u> ORDINANCE 25-009 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL,

FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 66, TRAFFIC; AMENDING ARTICLE V, BICYCLES, MICROMOBILITY DEVICES, MOTORIZED SCOOTERS, AND MOPEDS, SECTION 66-164, USE OF BICYCLE PATHS/CROSSWALKS, AND SECTION 66-171, PENALTIES; AND ARTICLE VIII, ELECTRIC PERSONAL ASSISTIVE MOBILITY DEVICES, SECTION 66-245, VIOLATIONS; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERANCE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

Attachments:

Agenda Memorandum Ordinance 25-009 Business Impact Estimate

b. <u>Use of Gas Powered Leaf Blowers</u>

SECOND READING - ORDINANCE 25-010 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 30, ENVIRONMENT, ARTICLE III, NOISE, SECTION 30-70, GAS POWERED LEAF BLOWERS, SUBSECTION (2), TO ALLOW FOR A WAIVER FROM THIS SUBSECTION DURING A STATE OF LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO A WEATHER EVENT; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERANCE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

Attachments:

Agenda MemorandumOrdinance 25-010 with additional amendmentOrdinance 25-010 First Reading versionSec. 30-70. Gas powered leaf blowersLeaf Blower Ordinance 22-007 - December 6 2022Leaf Blower Ordinance 21-004 - August 24 2021Leaf Blower Ordinance 19-012 - December 3 2019Business Impact EstimatePublic CommentPublic Comment as of 07/11/25 (SUPPLEMENT 2)

c. <u>Solar Energy & EV Charging Infrastructure</u>

SECOND READING - ORDINANCE 25-011 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO
CONSIDER SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEMS AND ELECTRIC VEHICLE (EV)
CHARGING INFRASTRUCTURE; AMENDING SUBPART B, LAND
DEVELOPMENT CODE; CHAPTER 126, ZONING; ARTICLE XIV,
SUPPLEMENTARY DISTRICT REGULATIONS, DIVISION 2, ACCESSORY
STRUCTURES, ADDING A NEW SUBDIVISION IV, ALTERNATIVE CLEAN
ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES, A NEW SECTION 126-913, APPLICABILITY, AND A
NEW SECTION 126-914 DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF
UPDATING THE LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE REGULATIONS; PROVIDING FOR
CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERANCE;

AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

Attachments:

Agenda Memorandum Ordinance 25-011 PC Resolution 25-11 Business Impact Estimate

d. Front Porches

SECOND READING - ORDINANCE 25-012 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO **CONSIDER FRONT PORCH ADDITIONS WITHIN THE TOWN CENTER COMMERCIAL DISTRICTS; AMENDING SUBPART B, LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE; CHAPTER 122, VEGETATION, ARTICLE II, LANDSCAPING, DIVISION 2, COMMERCIAL AND INSTITUTIONAL USES, SECTION 122-48, LOCATION AND** SIZE OF VEGETATION BUFFERS; AND CHAPTER 126, ZONING, ARTICLE VIII, **COMMERCIAL DISTRICTS, DIVISION 3, TCG TOWN CENTER GENERAL COMMERCIAL DISTRICT, SECTION 126-514, REQUIRED CONDITIONS, AND DIVISION 4, TCL TOWN CENTER LIMITED COMMERCIAL DISTRICT, SECTION** 126-534, REQUIRED CONDITIONS, AND ARTICLE XIV, SUPPLEMENTARY DISTRICT REGULATIONS, DIVISION 3, BUILDING AND AREA REQUIREMENTS, SUBDIVISION II, SPECIAL SETBACKS, AMENDING SECTION 126-961, OUTDOOR SEATING SETBACKS, AND ADDING A NEW SECTION 126-962, FRONT YARD SETBACKS FOR FRONT PORCHES IN THE TCL AND TCG DISTRICTS: FOR THE PURPOSE OF UPDATING THE LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE REGULATIONS: **PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING** FOR SEVERANCE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

Agenda MemorandumOrdinance 25-012Design Concepts by Coastal Vista Design 25-012PC Resolution 25-12Business Impact Estimate

8. DISCUSSION OF FY2026 BUDGET

Attachments:

 a. City of Sanibel Fiscal Year 2026 Draft Budget (Agenda Memorandum to be provided in supplemental agenda) (SUPPLEMENT 1)

 Attachments:
 Link to Online Proposed Operating Budget

 Link to Online Proposed 5-Year Capital Improvement Plan

b. <u>Proposed Operating Millage Rate</u>

RESOLUTION 25-030 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, ADVISING THE LEE COUNTY PROPERTY APPRAISER OF THE PROPOSED OPERATING MILLAGE RATE, THE ROLLED-BACK RATE, THE PROPOSED AGGREGATE MILLAGE RATE, THE MILLAGE LEVY FOR THE

SEWER VOTED DEBT SERVICE, THE RECREATION CENTER VOTED DEBT SERVICE, AND THE DATE, TIME, AND PLACE AT WHICH A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD TO CONSIDER THE TENTATIVE OPERATING MILLAGE RATE FOR TAX (CALENDAR) YEAR 2025 AND TENTATIVE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SANIBEL FISCAL YEAR 2026; AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO PROVIDE CERTIFICATION OF SAME; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (SUPPLEMENT 1)

Attachments: Resolution 25-030

9. 1:00 PM - CONVENE AN EXECUTIVE SESSION RELATING TO FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE (FOP) UNION NEGOTIATIONS

Mayor Mike Miller Vice Mayor Holly D. Smith Councilmember Laura DeBruce Councilmember John Henshaw Councilmember Richard Johnson Sanibel City Manager Dana Souza Sanibel City Manager Dana Souza Sanibel Deputy City Manager Steve Chaipel Human Resources Director Crystal Mansell Labor Counsel John "J.K." Keller, IV (Allen, Norton & Blue)

10. COMMITTEES BOARDS COMMISSION

a. <u>Establishment of Sanibel Plan Update and Transportation Master Plan Steering Committees</u> RESOLUTION 25-033 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING THE SANIBEL PLAN UPDATE STEERING COMMITTEE AND THE TRANSPORTATION MASTER PLAN STEERING COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR PURPOSE; PROVIDING FOR MEMBERSHIP AND DUTIES; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

Attachments:

Agenda Memorandum Resolution 25-033

b. <u>Sanibel Plan Update Steering Committee Appointments</u> RESOLUTION 25-035 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, APPOINTING SEVEN MEMBERS TO SERVE ON THE SANIBEL PLAN UPDATE STEERING COMMITTEE UNTIL THE CITY COUNCIL ADOPTS AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE PLAN AND THE COMMITTEE IS DISSOLVED; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (Appointing two at-large members, applicants listed in

alphabetical order by last name)

Attachments:Agenda MemorandumResolution 25-035Jeff BurnsJason HalliburtonJeffrey MuddellEric PfeiferMark ReinerKaren Storjohann

c. <u>Transportation Master Plan Steering Committee Appointments</u> RESOLUTION 25-036 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, APPOINTING FIVE MEMBERS TO SERVE ON THE TRANSPORTATION MASTER PLAN UPDATE STEERING COMMITTEE UNTIL THE CITY COUNCIL ACCEPTS THE PLAN AND THE COMMITTEE IS DISSOLVED; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (Appointing one at-large member,

applicants listed in alphabetical order by last name)

 Attachments:
 Agenda Memorandum

 Resolution 25-036
 Robert Brooks

 Mary Lewis
 Kerri Maw

 Pasquale Russo
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11. OLD BUSINESS

a. 2:30 PM - TIME CERTAIN

Wulfert Channel Area Dredging Special Assessment Preliminary Assessment Roll & Setting Date and Time for Public Hearing

RESOLUTION 25-034 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, RELATING TO THE WULFERT CHANNEL AREA DREDGING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT IN THE CITY OF SANIBEL; CONSTITUTING THE CITY'S 2025-2026 FISCAL YEAR PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT ROLL RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE SPECIAL SERVICE ASSESSMENT TO FUND THE CHANNEL DREDGING AGAINST ASSESSED PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE WULFERT CHANNEL AREA DREDGING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR OCTOBER 1, 2025 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2026; CONFIRMING AND AUTHORIZING MATTERS RELATING TO SUCH ASSESSMENT; SCHEDULING A PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER THE ADOPTION OF THE ANNUAL RATE RESOLUTION AND TO CONFIRM COLLECTION OF SUCH SPECIAL SERVICE ASSESSMENT THROUGH THE UNIFORM METHOD OF COLLECTION VIA THE ANNUAL LEE COUNTY TAX BILL; PROVIDING DIRECTION FOR THE PREPARATION OF THE PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT ROLL AND NOTICES REQUIRED BY LAW; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE Attachments:

Agenda MemorandumResolution 25-034City of Sanibel-Wulfert Channel and Dinkins Bayou Estimate 7-8-25 UpdatedWulfert Channel Dredging Assessment Payment OptionsAffidavit of PublicationWulfert Channel Dredging Assessment District Preliminary Assessment RollWulfert Channel Dredging Assessment District Preliminary Assessment RollWulfert and Dinkins Area 1 Dredge AreaWulfert-Dinkins Dredging - Resident Letter - June 2025 with attachmentsResolution 25-024 - 6-12-2025June 12 2025 City Council Meeting Agenda Packet Items - Wulfert ChannelChapter 170, Florida Statutes

b. <u>Dredging Assessment Area Budget Amendment</u>
 RESOLUTION 25-027 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL,
 FLORIDA APPROVING BUDGET AMENDMENT 2025-008 TO APPROPRIATE
 \$748,065 FOR A DREDGING PROJECT IN THE WULFERT CHANNEL AREA; AND
 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (To appropriate \$748,065 in funding for a dredging project in the
 Wulfert Channel area. The funding for this project is being appropriated from the General Fund budgeted ending fund balance and transferred to the dredging project fund. This amendment increases the fiscal year 2025 budget by \$748,065.)

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Agenda Memorandum</u> Resolution 25-027

c. Award of contract to Bayside Dredging, LLC, to complete the Wulfert Channel Dredging Project in the amount of \$739,000 and authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement

 Attachments:
 Agenda Memorandum

 Contract for Execution
 Contract Attachments

- d. Designation of Florida League of Cities Policy Committees Application deadline August 18, 2025
 - i. Development, Code Compliance, and Redevelopment (Previously Miller)
 - ii. Finance and Taxation
 - iii. Intergovernmental Relations, Mobility and Emergency Management (Previously Henshaw)
 - iv. Municipal Operations (Previously DeBruce)
 - v. Utilities, Natural Resources, and Public Works (Previously Johnson)

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Agenda Memorandum</u> <u>FLC Policy Committee Notice - 6/24/25</u>

12. NEW BUSINESS

a. Request from Community Housing and Resources (CHR) to waive the \$20,000 debt service payment for Casa Mariposa (SUPPLEMENT 1)

Attachments: Agenda Memorandum

b. <u>Solid Waste Initial Assessment</u>

RESOLUTION 25-031 OF THE SANIBEL CITY COUNCIL RELATING TO THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE, RECYCLABLES, AND HORTICULTURAL WASTE, IN THE CITY OF SANIBEL CONSTITUTING THE **CITY'S 2025-2026 FISCAL YEAR INITIAL ASSESSMENT RESOLUTION RELATING** TO THE ANNUAL SPECIAL SERVICE ASSESSMENT TO FUND THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE, RECYCLABLES, AND HORTICULTURAL WASTE AGAINST ASSESSED PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY OF SANIBEL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR OCTOBER 1, 2025 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2026; CONFIRMING AND AUTHORIZING MATTERS RELATING TO SUCH ASSESSMENT; SCHEDULING A PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER THE ADOPTION OF THE ANNUAL RATE RESOLUTION AND TO CONFIRM COLLECTION OF SUCH SPECIAL SERVICE ASSESSMENTS THROUGH THE UNIFORM METHOD OF COLLECTION (i.e., ANNUAL LEE COUNTY TAX BILL); PROVIDING DIRECTION FOR THE PREPARATION OF THE ASSESSMENT ROLL AND NOTICES REQUIRED BY LAW; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (SUPPLEMENT 2)

Attachments:

Agenda Memorandum Resolution 25-031 Solid Waste Proposed Fee Schedule

c. <u>Solid Waste Rates</u>

RESOLUTION 25-032 APPROVING A SOLID WASTE RATE STRUCTURE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026; ESTABLISHING SOLID WASTE, RECYCLABLES, AND HORTICULTURE WASTE RATES FOR RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL, AND MULTI-FAMILY PROPERTIES; APPROVING A SOLID WASTE FRANCHISE FEE; APPROVING A SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL SURCHARGE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (SUPPLEMENT 2)

Attachments: Resolution 25-032

d. Discussion regarding Sanibel Police Administrative Employment Agreements (SUPPLEMENT 2)

Attachments:

Agenda Memorandum

i. RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, APPROVING AN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SANIBEL AND WILLIAM DALTON TO SERVE AS POLICE CHIEF; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (SUPPLEMENT 2)

<u>Attachments:</u> Bill Dalton - Employment Agreement

ii. RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANIBEL, FLORIDA, APPROVING AN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY

OF SANIBEL AND DR. ANTHONY THOMPSON TO SERVE AS DEPUTY POLICE CHIEF; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

(SUPPLEMENT 2)

Attachments: Anthony Thompson - Employment Agreement

13. CONSENT AGENDA

ANY PERSON MAY REQUEST THAT COUNCIL REMOVE AN ITEM FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA FOR DISCUSSION BY NOTIFYING THE CITY MANAGER, CITY CLERK, OR A COUNCIL MEMBER PRIOR TO OR AT THE MEETING.

CONSENT ITEMS PULLED FOR DISCUSSION

a. ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

b. BUSINESS ITEMS

i. Adoption of Minutes - May 6, 2025, Regular Meeting (SUPPLEMENT 1)

Attachments: Minutes

ii. Renewal of Sanibel Fire District and Sanibel Recreation Department Partnership Agreement Letter

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Agenda Memorandum</u> <u>Sanibel Fire District Letter of Agreement</u>

iii. Award of contract to Concrete Science Solutions, LLC in the amount of \$106,304.86 for the resurfacing of the recreation center pool deck and authorizing the City Manager to execute the contract.

<u>Attachments:</u>	Agenda Memorandum
	Pool Deck Resurface Options Staff Notes
	ITB Resurface Results and Sign In
	Pool Deck Resurface Bid 07.07.25
	Concrete Science Contract 07.15.25

iv. Consider approving a contract with Southern Striping Solutions, LLC in the amount of \$1,371,949.79 for the Periwinkle Way Milling and Resurfacing Project and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract. Funds are available for these construction services through a combination of a Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) Grant 454841-1 and Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) Grant HA017.

 Attachments:
 Agenda Memorandum

 Contract
 Bid Opening Information 6-26-25

 Southern Striping Solutions LLC Proposal

 Sanibel Periwinkle Way Project Manual

 Sanibel Periwinkle Way Plans

- Award a proposal from Weston & Sampson Engineers, Inc.to provide Professional Services in Conjunction with the City's East Periwinkle Way Bridge Replacement Project (Bridge No. 126500) in the amount of \$77,570.00.
- Attachments:
 Agenda Memorandum

 Weston & Sampson Periwinkle Bridge Utility Relocation Proposal

 Weston and Sampson Engineers Fully Executed Contract
- vi. Award of Contract to Expanse Electrical Company, LLC in the amount of \$1,297,849.32 for the Post Hurricane Ian Lift Station Control Panel Procurement Phase 1.
- Attachments:Agenda MemorandumLS Control Panel Phase 1 Recommendation MemoLS Controls Panels ContractL&S Electric BidExpanse Electrical BidBid Results & Sign In SheetPost Hurricane Ian Control Panels Addendum 1Post Hurricane Ian Control Panels Addendum 2Post Hurricane Ian Control Panels Addendum 3Post Hurricane Ian Control Panels Project ManualPost Hurricane Ian LS Control Panels PlansTetra Tech Lift Stations Phase 1 Scope
- vii. Approval of three grant agreements from the Tourist Development Council (TDC) and authorizing the City Manager to execute the agreements. (These grant funds are included in the FY26 draft budget):
 - 1. Beach Park Facility Maintenance in an amount of \$2,011,500.00;

Attachments:

- 2. Annual Beach and Shoreline Erosion Monitoring in an amount of \$50,000;
- 3. Shared Use Path Resurfacing Project in the amount of \$500,000, (SUPPLEMENT 1)

Transmittal Letter
BS Funding Requests FY 25-26
TDC Agreement - Beach Parks Ops and Maintenance 401656
TDC Agreement - Beach and Shoreline Erosion Monitoring 401747
TDC Agreement - Shared Use Path Resurfacing Project 403430

 viii. Approve submission of an application to the US Department of Energy's, National Renewable Energy Lab (NREL), Energy Technology Innovation Partnership Project (ETIPP): Coastal, Remote, and Island Community Technical Assistance program to develop a Strategic Energy Plan for Sanibel and allow for the City Manager to execute the Application and Grant Agreement. (SUPPLEMENT 1)

Attachments:

Agenda Memorandum ETIPP Application 2025 - Strategic Energy Plan

14. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

a. Hazard Mitigation Grant Project Update (East Rocks, Tradewinds)

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Agenda Memorandum (East Rocks)</u> Agenda Memorandum (Tradewinds)

b. Water Quality Report from Natural Resources Department

Attachments: Agenda Memorandum

- **c.** Finance Department Reports
 - i. Causeway Counts
 - ii. Grants Report
 - iii. Hurricane Recovery Financial Report (SUPPLEMENT 2)

 Attachments:
 Agenda Memorandum - Causeway Counts

 Grants Report
 Hurricane Recovery Financial Update

d. Sanibel Historical Museum & Village FY2024 Audit

 Attachments:
 SHMV Audit Letter

 SHMV Financial Statement Audit

e. MacKenzie Hall Update

Attachments: Agenda Memorandum

15. GENERAL COUNCIL DISCUSSION

(Including comments, future agenda items, and general discussion)

16. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

17. CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORT

18. PUBLIC COMMENT

19. ADJOURNMENT

IF A PERSON DECIDES, TO APPEAL A DECISION MADE BY THE COUNCIL ON ANY MATTER CONSIDERED AT THIS MEETING/HEARING, SUCH PERSON MAY NEED TO ENSURE THAT A VERBATIM RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS IS MADE, TO INCLUDE THE TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE UPON WHICH ANY SUCH APPEAL IS TO BE BASED.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PERSONS NEEDING A SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING, TO INCLUDE HEARING IMPAIRMENT, SHOULD CONTACT SCOTTY LYNN KELLY, CITY CLERK, NO LATER THAN ONE DAY PRIOR TO THE PROCEEDINGS AT (239) 472-3700. FOR ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE IF HEARING IMPAIRED, TELEPHONE THE FLORIDA RELAY SERVICE AT 711.

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HORIZON – UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

Upcoming Important Dates

Attachments: Horizon Schedule

"RULES OF CIVILITY FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION"

In recognition that public discourse is essential to the democratic system of government on April 16, 2002, Sanibel City Council adopted a Proclamation embracing civility in public deliberations. These rules were updated February 22, 2007.

Therefore, Sanibel City Council sanctioned these rules for public participation while conducting meetings and workshops:

1. Speakers are permitted to deliver his or her comments without interruption.

2. Speakers and debates should focus on issues, not on persons or personalities.

3. Persons are encouraged to participate in the governmental process.

4. To allow time to hear all points of view, speakers are allotted 3 minutes each time they are recognized.

5. Sidebar discussions while others are speaking are not permitted in Council Chambers. These discussions are to be removed from the chamber so as not to be disruptive to those conducting and following Council business.

6. Only the speaker recognized by the Chairperson has the floor. Speakers should raise their hand to be recognized. Speakers should identify themselves for the record. Speakers should utilize the microphone so that their comments can be recorded.

7. Anyone wishing to speak on an issue is given an opportunity to speak before speakers are recognized for an opportunity to speak a second time on an issue.

8. We seek to understand one another's points of view.

9. Anger, rudeness, ridicule, impatience and lack of respect for others are not acceptable behavior. Demonstrations in support or opposition to a speaker or idea such as clapping, cheering, booing or hissing or intimidating body language are not permitted in Council Chambers or workshop facilities.

10. We should all take initiative to make things better. Our goal is to foster an environment, which encourages a fair discussion and exchange of ideas without fear of personal attacks.