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BOCC Meeting Agenda Nov. 19th

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Mon, Nov 18, 2019 at 3:46 PM

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Dear Commissioners,

Concerning item 8 J 3. (shown below), we note what appears to be the intention for both a HI "East" and "West" MSTU. More importantly, we ask for a single MSTU with the same geographic area as used for the 2013 SAD.

Respectfully,

Presidents Council Board of Directors

Regular Meeting

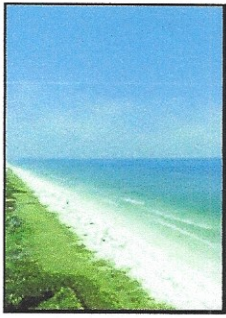
Tuesday, November 19, 2019

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3. SHI East and West MSTUs - Permission to Advertise Staff recommends Board permission to advertise two public hearings to be held at the Board's regular meeting on December 17, 2019.

Initially dictated, please excuse any inadvertent poor form or typos. Thank you, Harvey 414/202-4278



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October 21, 2019

Commissioner Frannie Hutchinson, St. Lucie County Commissioner-District 4 and Chair of the SLC Erosion District

Commissioner Chris Dzadovsky, St. Lucie County Commissioner-District 1

2300 Virginia Ave.
Fort Pierce, FL 34982

RE: SLC-Coastal Erosion Funding

Dear Commissioners Hutchinson and Dzadovsky,

We are writing on behalf of our 5,000 plus South Hutchinson Island residents in St. Lucie County to respectfully request your support and efforts concerning the above.

We appreciate the number of our questions concerning the above that have been answered this past couple of weeks. With two potentially significant factors yet to be confirmed concerning the prospective So. SLC 3.5-Mile Beach Project (its cost and the number of additional strategically located public access easements with their corresponding additional federal funding), we understand the importance of retaining the flexibility of keeping as many funding options on the table as possible. Accordingly, in addition to the efforts presently underway, **we recommend**, that if not already started, preparations also be made to keep on the table an MSTU for:

1. ALL of Hutchinson Island,
2. HI South Beach (understanding it is the same area as the SAD previously used for the 2013 project),
3. HI-North This is particularly important and fair, to potentially further offset costs of the Ft. Pierce Inlet and Beach projects and help strengthen the Erosion District's funds generally, especially if the much needed \$500,000 from Ft. Pierce that has been mentioned should not be forthcoming.

Aside from the current Erosion Control District, we would appreciate having all special tax areas treated as MSTUs. Concerning the HI 2 SAD, we as yet are not aware of any instance where a prospective MSTU is not a more fair, reasonable, flexible and sustaining funding option. Accordingly, **we suggest** HI 2 SAD merits no additional time, effort or expense to keep it on the table and it be abandoned.

We remain committed to a successful completion of the So. SLC 3.5-Mile Beach Project and "Initial Start" with the USACE. Also, to a dependable, adequate and sustaining source of funding for the Erosion District generally.

We hope for a successful path forward and welcome the opportunity to talk about the pros and cons of not just the above but other alternative funding sources as well. Sources, such as possibly the growth in revenues from the Tourist or "Bed" tax not already contractually committed being allocated to the extent possible to the Erosion District. Thank you again for your support, and good luck with your upcoming efforts in Washington D.C.

Sincerely,

Presidents Council Board of Directors Hutchinson Island, Florida

cc: SLC Board of County Commissioners

Mr. Jeff Bremer, Deputy County Administer

Mr. Glenn Henderson, Director Mosquito Control and Coastal Management Services



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Presidents Council meeting request

COUNCIL PRESIDENTS <pcofhi@gmail.com>

Thu, Oct 3, 2019 at 7:00 AM

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Mr Howard Tipton,

We all agree that a comprehensive beach maintenance/nourishment program is needed, and the prospective 50-year federal program is a big step in the right direction. The presentations to date have been encouraging as the dialogue regarding funding options for the projects has been wide-ranging. We request that members of our Board meet, during October, with County staff for a "funding workshop" to discuss all the options and alternatives.

We recognize the funding challenges ever-increasing coastal erosion presents and that continued discussion is included as part of a "Strategic Budget Planning" initiative early in the new fiscal year beginning Oct. 1st. We would like to participate in that discussion as "funding options on and off the table" are reviewed and the development of a long term funding source for beach and dune erosion is developed. Of extreme interest going forward is adequate county-wide funding necessary for the Erosion District.

The funding issue is a significant county issue since all residents share in the benefit economically and the use of the beaches. We recognize that costs, estimates and participation varies throughout the on-going discussion, and we ask for the earliest opportunity to contribute positively to a resolution on an informed cooperative basis.

We appreciate your support to schedule a meeting of county staff and impacted citizens to work on the funding strategies for beach nourishment. Harvey Alligood, Beach & Dune Committee Chairman, is the contact person for the Presidents Council (414-202-4278).

Presidents Council Board of Directors