

We strongly encourage residents to email county commissioners to voice opposition to proposed changes to building height on Captiva and density at South Seas Island Resort based on the following points.

Please ask commissioners to:

 Deny the proposed language changes at the June 20 public hearing to stop these changes from moving forward

The changes to the Lee County LDC and land use plan will:

- Negatively impact hurricane evacuation of residents, increasing the threat to public safety for future storm events
- Increase traffic to unsustainable levels and its impact on existing infrastructure
- Negatively impact the quality of life for residents of Sanibel and Captiva
- Change the unique character of Captiva Island by resulting in structures that are significantly higher than current building heights and the surrounding landscape
- Have a direct and negative impact on wildlife habitat on Captiva and water quality surrounding the islands of Sanibel and Captiva, as well as the region
- They may jeopardize the plan to improve water quality with the long sought-after installation of a central sewer on Captiva by hooking up to Sanibel's sewer system

Please call or email all five Lee County Commissioners to ask them to reject this unwelcome change in building heights and density.

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