

# Health: Pino worked with Demings

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Health Services Department to meet the needs of our community," Demings said. "During these most recent years, Dr. Pino's leadership has been instrumental in the success of our public health initiatives, including our response to the COVID-19 pandemic."

Pino's educational background includes a

doctor of medicine degree from the Instituto Superior de Ciencias Medicas de la Universidad de La Habana, Havana, Cuba, as well as a master's degree in public health from the University of Connecticut School of Medicine. "He has proven himself as an asset to our public health efforts and will continue to provide valuable leadership to our community in his new role with Orange County," Demings said.

## CITY OF APOPKA PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE FUTURE LAND USE AMENDMENT AND CHANGE OF ZONING

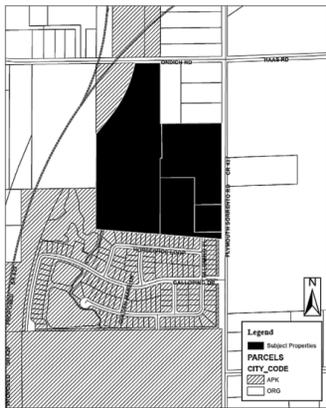
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Secs. 163.3184 and 166.041(3) (c), Florida Statutes and the Apopka Code of Ordinances, Part III, Land Development Code, Article II, Section 2.4.7.B, that **APPIAN ENGINEERING, LLC C/O LUKE M. CLASSON**, has made applications to the City of Apopka Planning Commission and the City Council for a **CHANGE IN THE FUTURE LAND USE DESIGNATION FROM CITY FUTURE LAND USE - IN PROGRESS AND COUNTY RURAL (1 DWELLING UNIT PER 10 ACRES) TO CITY MIXED USE (1 TO 5 DWELLING UNITS PER ACRE) AND A CHANGE IN ZONING FROM COUNTY A-1 (CITRUS RURAL) AND CITY T (TRANSITIONAL) TO CITY KPI-MU (KELLY PARK INTERCHANGE MIXED-USE) FOR 40.5 +/- ACRES.** These applications relate to the following described property located on the southwest corner of Ondich Road and Plymouth Sorrento Road:

### ORDINANCE NO. 2921

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF APOPKA, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT OF THE APOPKA COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF THE CITY OF APOPKA; CHANGING THE FUTURE LAND USE DESIGNATION FROM CITY FUTURE LAND USE - IN PROGRESS AND COUNTY RURAL (1 DWELLING UNIT PER 10 ACRES) TO CITY MIXED USE (1 TO 5 DWELLING UNITS PER ACRE) FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY GENERALLY LOCATED ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF ONDICH ROAD AND PLYMOUTH SORRENTO ROAD; OWNED BY DAVID LEROY BAKLE, CHARLOTTE L BAKLE, DENNIS JOSEPH BAKLE, WANDA S MACLARTY, LARRY M EVERLY SR FAMILY TRUST, AND CORINNE F EVERLY FAMILY TRUST; COMPRISING 40.5 ACRES, MORE OR LESS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

### ORDINANCE NO. 2922

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF APOPKA, FLORIDA, CHANGING THE ZONING FROM CITY T (TRANSITIONAL) DISTRICT AND COUNTY A-1 (CITRUS RURAL) TO CITY KPI-MU (KELLY PARK INTERCHANGE MIXED-USE), AND ASSIGNING NEIGHBORHOOD OVERLAY DISTRICT, FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY GENERALLY LOCATED ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF ONDICH ROAD AND PLYMOUTH SORRENTO ROAD, COMPRISING 40.5 ACRES MORE OR LESS, AND OWNED BY DAVID LEROY BAKLE, CHARLOTTE L BAKLE, DENNIS JOSEPH BAKLE, WANDA S MACLARTY, LARRY M EVERLY SR FAMILY TRUST, AND CORINNE F EVERLY FAMILY TRUST; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



Parcel Identification Number(s): 12-20-27-0000-00-035, 12-20-27-0000-00-051, 12-20-27-0000-00-072 and 12-20-27-0000-00-073  
Contains: 40.5 +/- Acres

Notice is given that the **City of Apopka Planning Commission** will hold a public hearing at its regularly scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall, 120 E. Main Street, Apopka, Florida on **Tuesday, May 10, 2022 beginning at 5:30 P.M.**, or as soon thereafter as possible.

FURTHER NOTICE is given that a public hearing for Ordinance Numbers 2921 and 2922 will be held by the **City of Apopka City Council** at its regularly scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall, 120 E. Main Street, Apopka, Florida on **Wednesday, June 1, 2022 beginning at 1:30 P.M.**

Affected parties and the public may appear at the above listed hearings to speak. The proposed Future Land Use and Rezoning Applications can be inspected at the Apopka Community Development Department located at Apopka City Hall on weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. City Hall address shown below. Please be advised that, under State law, if you decide to appeal a decision made with respect to this matter, you will need a record of the proceedings and may need to ensure that a verbatim record is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the City Clerk's Office at 120 East Main Street, Apopka FL 32703, Telephone: 407-703-1704, no less than 48 hours prior to the proceeding.

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# Moore: Parks, events are greatest

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folks do not understand the terminology or impact of a *comprehensive plan*. Do not feel bad; for years, I did not either. In fact, an elementary school was proposed directly behind my first home. I must note that both my granddaughters attend this school today. We are very fond of it. Well, I should have checked the zoning on the adjacent property. It would have been labeled institutional.

Yesterday, I walked a neighborhood with townhomes that are 25 feet from

the property line. This zoning also could have been known, if sufficient due diligence had been conducted before a home purchase. Land use and permitting is probably the most impactful role of a county or municipal government.

Now, I will say cities do an exceptional job with park offerings and community events. I know the county offers a bluegrass concert and meet Santa at Magnolia Park and other annual events at Kelly Park. But, with more than 1.4 million people residing in the county, the ability to

offer regular events at every pocket park is limited. I took my granddaughters to the wonderful Easter breakfast at the city of Apopka's Camp Wewa last Saturday. I highly recommend it.

As for the municipal taxpayers who receive services from both a city and county, this can be very confusing. I will attempt to simplify the maze of services. Animal and mosquito control are handled by the county. The best way to access these offerings is through 311. Taxpayers can

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# Byrd: AHS FFA chapter the best!

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programs in our schools several years ago. There are many reasons for this but as you can imagine, agriculture is a vitally important field of study and remains one of Florida's largest industries.

Teaching our children about the important role that agriculture plays in all of our lives is important on so many levels. The interest in agriculture has waned over the years, yet we still heavily rely on our agriculture industry for our food supply.

Much as in other careers that are not typically thought of as academic, college-bound careers, this industry suffered a decline in interest when the college-only path was pushed more than 20 years ago in education.

As we have seen with other fields like the construction industry, this means that as the veterans

of agriculture age out and retire, there is not a sufficient trained workforce to take their place.

Luckily, education experts have seen the error of their ways and are back on a path of providing and encouraging skilled workforce training as another pathway for our students.

Dr. Jenkins, our superintendent, recognized this years ago and made the wise decision to expand the agriculture offerings in our schools.

We now have agriculture programs in all of our high schools and most of our middle schools. Most of these programs also have very active FFA programs that compete all year long in various FFA competitions.

Today's FFA has evolved in response to expanded opportunities available in agriculture and its needs to hire skilled and competent employees for more than 300 careers. The

organization helps students prepare for careers in business, marketing, science, communications, education, horticulture, production, natural resources, forestry, and many other diverse fields.

The Apopka FFA chapter will be recognized during the 94th Florida FFA State Convention and Expo in Orlando this summer. The annual state convention is attended by nearly 5,000 FFA members, advisers, administrators, alumni, parents, and industry partners.

They come together to celebrate the achievements won by the past and present generations of agriculturalists.

Congratulations to our Apopka High School FFA chapter on this notable achievement of being one of "Florida's Finest." Once again, we are reminded that our future is in good hands with our current generation of students!

# Hayden: We can change the world

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become a youth leader, a scout den mother, etc., because their child was in that particular group? As soon as their child is out, so are they. They went into it for the opportunity to show kids the way to approach life. I am thankful for those who choose those roles to fill a position of teacher and as one who shows the way for our young people.

Do not get me wrong. I love it when parents get involved with things going on with their kids.

Some of my best memories as a kid come from some of the bicycle races we used to hold in our neighborhoods where the dads, and a few times moms, would jump on a bike and race around the block with us. Or get out in the street to play ball, mumblety-peg, marbles, or any other game in which we were involved. For those of you who do not know, or remember, mumblety-peg is played with pocketknives, and it involved flip-

ping it so it would land in a certain position. Gasp! Real knives!

See, I told you we could learn a lot from kids of yesterday. Even at school recess, our male teachers, at various times, would come out and play mumblety-peg with us.

Life was so much freer then. We still believed that old saying, "Sticks and stones may break my bones; but words will never hurt me!" We still sang out, "cry baby, cry baby, suck your thumb; wipe your nose in bubble gum!" We did not wear our feelings on our sleeves, and when we did, the "cry baby" business would start, and we would be corrected.

The scripture that I started with follows the verses 9 and 10 which states, "For we know in part, and we prophesy in part. But when that which is perfect is come, then that which is in part shall be done away." This scripture does not speak of our Savior Jesus Christ coming back but does speak about the completion of the Word

of God which had not been completed at the time Paul wrote this. In this case, the word "perfect" means complete.

Today, we have available all the learning to change the world.

We have placed men in space, we have invented machines that can do the work of a hundred men, we have changed agriculture so that one family on a thousand acres can feed half of the United States. Our learning is so much more complete or "perfect," so why can't we put away our childish behavior and act as adults?

Stop the whining, the bickering over the freebies. (No free lunches. Someone must pay!) And as Roger Miller would say, "Just put your mind to it, knuckle down, buckle down, do it, do it, do it!"

It is time to put all this childish activity to bed and let us enjoy life the way our Founders foresaw. "Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness" under the tutelage of our great, and mighty Creator.

## ALL ABOUT APOPKA

### The Apopka Chief

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The Apopka Chief is published every Friday and entered as Periodicals, postage paid at Apopka Post Office, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879. The Apopka Chief newspaper is published by Foliage Enterprises, Inc., every Friday at 400 North Park Avenue, Apopka, Fla. 32712-3417. An annual subscription is \$25 in Orange County and \$30 outside Orange County. Phone 407-886-2777. Postmaster: Send address changes to The Apopka Chief, P.O. Box 880, Apopka, Fla., 32704-0880.



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### City of Apopka Telephone Numbers

City Hall	407-703-1700
Mayor's Office	407-703-1701
City Administrator	407-703-1649
City Clerk	407-703-1704
Community Devel.	407-703-1712
Code Enforcement	407-703-1738
Finance Dept.	407-703-1725
Fire (non-emerg.)	407-703-1756
Fire/Rescue Dept.	407-703-1741
Police Chief	407-703-1769
Police (non-emerg.)	407-703-1771
Job Line	407-703-1743
Solid Waste Collect.	407-703-1731
Street Maintenance	407-703-1731
Utility Billing	407-703-1727
Medical, fire emergency	911
The city of Apopka was chartered in 1882. It is located at 28°30 north latitude and is 150 feet above sea level. Its population is about 48,000 and its total area is more than 30 sq. mi. www.apopka.net	

### Orange County Telephone Numbers

Animal Services	407-836-3111
Auto/Boat Tags	850-617-2000
Building Dept.	407-836-8550
County Mayor	407-836-7370
County Commission	407-836-7350
County Attorney	407-836-7320
Clerk of the Court	407-836-2065
Elections Supervisor	407-836-2070
Fire/Rescue	407-836-3111
Solid Waste	407-836-6601
Garbage Collection	407-703-1731
Health Dept.	407-836-2600
Hunting/Fishing Lic	888-347-4356
Parks and Rec. Dept.	407-836-6200
Property Appraiser	407-836-5044
Sheriff Administrative	407-254-7000
Non-Emerg. Complaint	407-836-4357
Utilities	407-836-5515
All other departments	407-836-3111
Medical, fire emergency	911

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### Other Area Numbers of Note

<b>U.S. Senators</b>	
Rick Scott (Rep.)	202-224-5274
Marco Rubio (Rep.)	407-254-2573
<b>U.S. Representative</b>	
Val Demings (Dist. 10)	321-388-9808
<b>State Representatives</b>	
	352-742-6275
Kamia Brown (Dist. 45)	850-717-5045
<b>State Senators</b>	
Randolph Bracy (Dist. 11)	407-297-2045
<b>Orange County Commissioner</b>	
Christine Moore	407-836-7350
<b>Orange County Public Schools</b>	
Pupil assignment	407-317-3233
Bus routes	407-317-3800
Superintendent	407-317-3200
School Board	407-317-3200
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	
The Apopka Chief	407-886-2777
Museum of the Apopkans	407-703-1707
Chamber of Commerce	407-886-1441

# Chamber: Panelists answered several questions

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cal economic, social, and political spheres.

The Tuesday panelists were Jennifer Englert, attorney and managing partner of the Orlando Law Group; Dr. Abhishek Mishra, medical director of the Home Physicians Group; Amy Cameron O'Rourke, author of the book "The Fragile Years" and owner of O'Rourke and Associates; and John Creighton, community relations manager for Halifax Health.

Bernadette Cipriano-Major, community relations coordinator at Halifax Health, was the panel moderator. Cipriano-Major said that the panel questions were the most commonly asked.

### One question for each panelist

Each panelist was given a specific question in relation to one's expertise. The exception was the last question, which Cipriano-Major asked all the panel members toward the end of the event.

Englert was asked for advice to families about transferring parents from a house to an assisted living facility and managing their assets. In response, Englert said that early planning is important; this should be done five to six years ahead before considering moving a parent to a nursing home. Communication with the parent is also important, especially if a parent doesn't want to open up.

**"Even if they don't want to talk about it, I would say try and try and try because they might either get, they might not meet someone who really cares about them,"** Englert said. "They might not meet someone who knows what they're doing and they might get some really bad advice. So just be there, be their advocate and try to

put in way before it's ever necessary."

Cipriano-Major asked Creighton to help the audience understand why doctors are reluctant to refer hospice when it's clear that the patient is declining. Creighton said that, "As humans, we need to have our antennas up to understand that things are changing a little bit. And I believe that you need to be honest with your loved ones."

He said his number one job is to give compassion, which he explained comes from two Latin words meaning "shared suffering." As such, his responsibility is to help a person understand what an irreversible diagnosis is, which means there's no more cure. According to him, many people told him they don't want to go back and forth to the hospital, and instead go home.

"So the best thing to do - all of us - is we have to have bedside calmness," Creighton said. "You can't be creating chaos. You can't be fighting with your daughters. You can't create drama. You can't talk bad about the doctors. You can't talk bad about what's going on with the government. The best thing we can do to patients is to be there to provide bedside calmness."

Mishra was asked about basic needs that could help home care patients, as well as resources they may not have.

Mishra said, "as you get more complex in your medical needs, organizational skills are a necessity. And what we see is a lot of patients as they get into their elder years, they lack the organizational skills to do that on their own."

That includes ensuring caregiver support and remote monitoring capabilities are available, as well as getting a home health aide or a skilled nurse if home health agencies are in the area, and medication man-

agement.

"The way I look at patient care in general is kind of that Swiss cheese model," Mishra said. "No matter what you do as a provider or what you do as a home health service, hospice service, what have you, people are not perfect. So you need to have a system in all that. If something is missed, the next line or the next line or the next line will catch it."

O'Rourke's company, O'Rourke and Associates, helps the elderly and their families secure benefits. She was asked if "There is more help out there than the average person thinks? And/or what is something that you tell people that just shocks them, be it good or bad?"

O'Rourke said that most older adults want to stay at home for their healthcare: "I've had a lot of people communicate to me that on, they absolutely are not going to leave home, period. End of story."

She explained that the older adult would say they're afraid of running out of money before passing away, but it's the family that's more afraid of this situation. She recommended families address money matters such as affording home care in order to "ease that anxiety."

When it comes to home healthcare for seniors, O'Rourke said there is plenty of support for them and their families, such as from Englert and herself.

"I'm not against (assisted living) facilities, but I do know over and over that the older adult wants to stay at home and to do that," O'Rourke said. "They want to know how they can afford to do it. So, to me, the satisfaction comes from looking at the older adult and giving them the calm reassurance that this, we're going to make this work. You can stay at

home. Or if you do need a community, we're going to help you find it."

### What would you change to help seniors?

Cipriano-Major posed the following question as the last one to all the panelists: "If I had a magic wand and gave it to you, what would you change to help seniors?"

Englert said she would get rid of the stigma put on estate planning.

"I would take away the stigma of estate planning and just planning in general and give them an easy way to get that help that they need," she said. "Even

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## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦♦

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SUDOKU ANSWERS: PAGE 1B

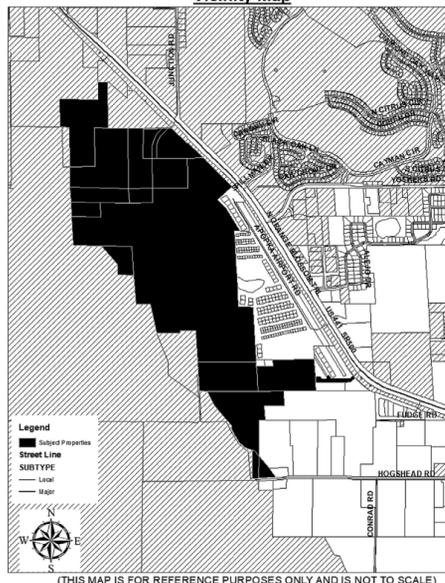
## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE CHANGE OF ZONING CITY OF APOPKA

NOTICE is hereby given that **Poulos & Bennett, LLC** has made an application, in accordance with Florida Statutes 163.3187(c) and the Apopka Code of Ordinances, Part III, Land Development Code, Article II, Section 2.4.7(B) to the City of Apopka Planning Commission, and City Council for a **REZONING OF PROPERTY AND MASTER PLAN**. This application relates to the following described property:

### ORDINANCE NO. 2867

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF APOPKA, FLORIDA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2780, WHICH IS KNOWN AS THE "RUBRIGHT" PLANNED DEVELOPMENT (PD), GENERALLY LOCATED WEST OF NORTH ORANGE BLOSSOM TRAIL, NORTH OF HOGSHEAD ROAD, AND WEST OF THE ORLANDO APOPKA AIRPORT, COMPRISING 424.46 ACRES MORE OR LESS; PROVIDING FOR DIRECTIONS TO THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR, SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

### Vicinity Map



Parcel Identification Numbers: 35-20-27-5220-00-060, 34-20-27-0000-00-007, 26-20-27-0000-00-045, 34-20-27-0000-00-008, 26-20-27-0000-00-028, 35-20-27-0000-00-056, 34-20-27-0000-00-005, 26-20-27-0000-00-030, 27-20-27-0000-00-053, 27-20-27-0000-00-052, 26-20-27-0000-00-046, 26-20-27-0000-00-029, 35-20-27-0000-00-048, 35-20-27-0000-00-012, 02-21-27-0000-00-028, 02-21-27-0000-00-030, 02-21-27-0000-00-029, 35-20-27-0000-00-054

Contains: 424.46 +/- Acres

NOTICE is given that a public hearing for Ordinance No. 2867 will be held by the **City of Apopka City Council** at its regularly scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall, 120 E. Main Street, Apopka, Florida on **Wednesday, May 4, 2022, beginning at 1:30 p.m.**, or as soon thereafter as possible.

Affected parties and the public may appear at the above listed hearing to speak. The proposed zoning ordinance and Master Plan can be inspected at the Apopka Community Development Department located at Apopka City Hall on weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. City Hall address shown below. Please be advised that, under State law, if you decide to appeal a decision made with respect to this matter, you will need a record of the proceedings and may need to ensure that a verbatim record is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the City Clerk's Office at 120 East Main Street, Apopka FL 32703, Telephone: 407-703-1704, no less than 48 hours prior to the proceeding.

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## Moore: County has many services

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access 311 on their phone or through the 311 app.

Other larger county services include operation of the Orange County History Center, management of the facilities of the courthouse, convention center, and jail. The county has an emergency management department which leads during hurricanes and pandemics. The county has a housing division which offers services to the indigent, home repair for low-income residents, and works to increase the amount of affordable housing. One additional department is Neighborhood Services which offers training and grants for neigh-

borhoods and leaders. The Environmental Protection Division deals with our lake and air quality. And the Parks and Recreation department operates more than 100 parks, as well as, the large Orange County trail system.

Speaking of the trail system, I am offering a cleanup along a portion of the West Orange Trail on Sunday, June 5, at 8 a.m. I will be working with the Apopka Adventist Church and Hospital. They have been terrific partners and I cannot express my gratitude enough. Please come join us as we not only pick up trash, but reduce the weeds, eliminate low hanging branches, and remove tree limbs.

Once this is done, Orange County Parks and Recreation staff removes invasive trees and properly maintains the area. I'm enthused by the resulting new homes and upgraded properties along this stretch of the West Orange Trail near Old Apopka Road. My goal is to continue cleaning up the trail area so that more families will travel south enjoying destinations such as downtown Winter Garden, Lake Apopka Wildlife Drive, and Magnolia Park. We can look forward to more lovely affordable homes constructed by the private sector.

If you have an interest in any of the county roles I mentioned, please call my office at 407-836-5850.

### CLUES ACROSS

- Midway between south and southeast
- Celebrations
- Pulpits
- Pin
- Rare laughing
- Parts of the circulatory system
- Financial term
- Pearl Jam frontman
- Cores of vascular plants
- Strong sharp smell or taste
- City in S. Korea
- One from Damascus
- Short message at the end of an email
- It cools your home
- Towards the mouth or oral region
- Intestinal pouches
- Boys and men
- The 12th letter of the Greek alphabet
- Former CIA
- A way to arrange
- Body cavity
- The Great Lake State
- A type of seal
- Stop for a moment
- Ancient kingdom
- Of I
- White clerical vestment
- Songs to a lover
- Prices
- Sun-dried brick
- Where to park a boat
- One who values reason and knowledge
- Partner to leather
- Sailboats
- Actress Zellweger
- Type of screen
- Country singer Haggard
- Puts together in time
- When you hope to arrive

### CLUES DOWN

- An involuntary muscular contraction
- PA transit system
- Leaves a place
- Sweet greenish fruit
- Lends support to
- Chap
- Singer Di Franco
- Water at boiling temperature diffused in the atmosphere
- Asserts to be the case
- Doctor (Spanish)
- Auction attendee
- Characterized by unity
- Soviet Socialist Republic
- Way to analyze video (abbr.)
- Nonclerical
- Tree resin
- The academic world
- Khoikhoi peoples
- Infer from data
- Arrives
- Apart
- Takes on cargo
- Beloved Hollywood alien
- Takes apart
- Dorm official
- Secondary or explanatory descriptor
- Relating to wings
- Speaker
- Situated in the middle
- Loop with a running knot
- Alaska nursing group (abbr.)
- Beloveds
- Establish by law or with authority
- Border river between India and Nepal
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Solutions to the Crossword Puzzle found on page 1B of this newspaper.

# Water: Aquifer levels doing well

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## Groundwater

\*Upper Floridan aquifer conditions (groundwater levels) at the end of March were a mix of high and normal conditions across the district. Water levels in many of the wells across the district increased more than 10 percentile points.

\*Groundwater levels are at the 68th percentile districtwide. This means that since 1980, aquifer levels have been higher than they currently are about 32 percent of the time.

## Surface water flows

\*Flow in the Wekiva River near Sanford was in the high range at 207 mgd (83rd percentile).

\*On April 1, flow in all stations across the district was in the average or high range.

\*On April 1, flow in the St. Johns River's headwaters at the Melbourne station was 259 million gallons per day (mgd) (72nd percentile).

\*Flow in the Econlockhatchee River near Chuluota was in the high range at 223 mgd (82nd percentile).

\*Flow at the St. Johns River DeLand station was also in the high range at 2,558 mgd (81st percentile).

\*Flow in the Ocklawaha River, the largest tributary to the St. Johns River, was in the average range at 574 mgd (54th percentile).

\*Flow at the St. Johns River near Satsuma station was in the average range at 4,151 mgd (73rd percentile).

\*Flow in the St. Marys River near Macclenny was in the high range at 906 mgd (84th

percentile).

## Lake levels

\*Lake Apopka water levels increased by 0.3 foot to 65.9 feet in March. Lake Apopka is part of a system with water control structures that are operated by the district.

\*Lake Brooklyn water levels increased 1.5 feet to 101.3 feet in March and remains below average.

\*Lake Weir water levels had a slight increase from last month of 0.3 foot to 53.7 feet.

\*Lake Winnemissett water level increased 0.3 foot from last month to 56.6 feet.

\*Blue Cypress Lake levels decreased to 21.7 feet. Blue Cypress is also part of a system with water control structures that are operated by the district. During April and May, the regulation schedule levels drop in preparation for the summer wet season.

## Spring flows

\*At Rock Springs, the monthly mean flow decreased 1 cfs to 59 cfs (38 mgd), which is in the normal range for March.

\*Mean monthly flow at Wekiwa Springs decreased slightly to 64 cfs (41 mgd), which is in the normal range for the time of year.

\*The mean monthly flow at Silver Springs decreased to 681 cubic feet per second (cfs), or 440 mgd, which is a 28 cfs decrease from February's mean.

\*At the Blue Spring station in Volusia County, the mean monthly flow was 172 cfs, or 111 mgd.

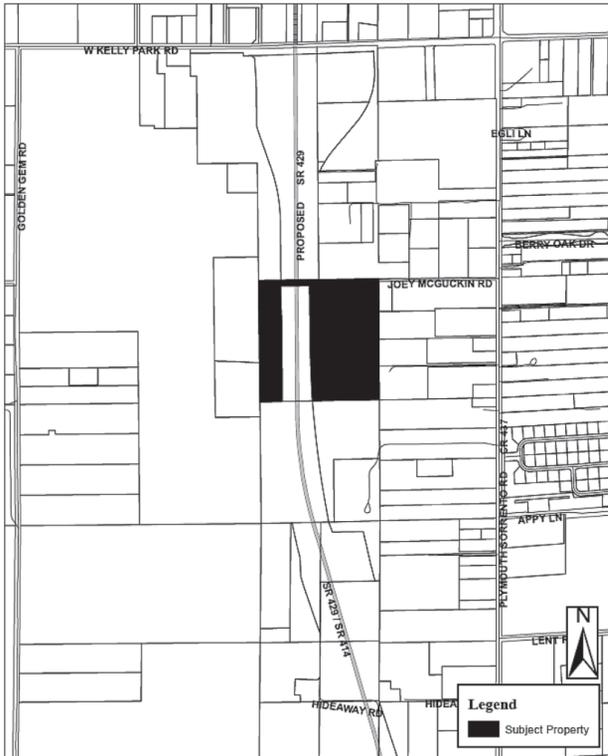
To learn more about rainfall totals and other hydrologic data collected, visit [sjrwm.com](http://sjrwm.com).

## CITY OF APOPKA PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE CHANGE OF ZONING

NOTICE is hereby given that **APPIAN ENGINEERING, LLC C/O LUKE M. CLASSON**, has made an application, in accordance with Florida Statutes 163.3187(c) and the Apopka Code of Ordinances, Part III, Land Development Code, Article II, Section 2.4.7(B) to the City of Apopka Planning Commission, and City Council for a **REZONING OF PROPERTY**. This application relates to the following described property:

### ORDINANCE NO. 2930

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF APOPKA, FLORIDA, CHANGING THE ZONING FROM T (TRANSITIONAL) DISTRICT TO KPI-MU (KELLY PARK INTERCHANGE MIXED-USE), AND ASSIGNING NEIGHBORHOOD OVERLAY DISTRICT, FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY GENERALLY LOCATED SOUTH OF JOEY MCGUCKIN ROAD, WEST OF PLYMOUTH SORRENTO ROAD, EAST AND WEST OF SR 429, COMPRISING 31.93 ACRES MORE OR LESS, AND OWNED BY PM S-1 REO LLC; PROVIDING FOR DIRECTIONS TO THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR, SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



Parcel Identification Numbers: 13-20-27-0000-00-032  
Contains: 31.93 +/- Acres

Notice is given that the **City of Apopka Planning Commission** will hold a public hearing at its regularly scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall, 120 E. Main Street, Apopka, Florida on **Tuesday, May 10, 2022 beginning at 5:30 P.M.**, or as soon thereafter as possible.

FURTHER NOTICE is given that a public hearing for Ordinance Number 2930 will be held by the **City of Apopka City Council** at its regularly scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall, 120 E. Main Street, Apopka, Florida on **Wednesday, June 1, 2022 beginning at 1:30 P.M.**

Affected parties and the public may appear at the above listed hearings to speak. The proposed rezoning can be inspected at the Apopka Community Development Department located at Apopka City Hall on weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. City Hall address shown below. Please be advised that, under State law, if you decide to appeal a decision made with respect to this matter, you will need a record of the proceedings and may need to ensure that a verbatim record is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the City Clerk's Office at 120 East Main Street, Apopka FL 32703, Telephone: 407-703-1704, no less than 48 hours prior to the proceeding.

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## Elwanda Collier Savage

On March 18th, 2022, the soul of Elwanda Collier Savage left Planet Earth bound for wherever the souls of good people, with lives well lived, are destined to go.

She was born on December 9th, 1943, in Orlando, FL to parents Eleanor Inez Nolan Collier and Mathel "Pat" Collier of Winter Garden. She attended Winter Garden Elementary and Dillard Street Elementary schools and graduated in June of 1961 from Lakeview Junior/Senior High School in Winter Garden, the town in which she was reared. She attended the University of South Florida, Tampa, and Florida Technological University, Orlando (now UCF), earning a bachelor's degree in early education. In addition, she earned a master's degree from Nova Southeastern University. She used her education coupled with an abiding love of young children for 37 years as a teacher in Orange County Public Schools including, in alphabetical order, Apopka Elementaries I and II, Grand Avenue Elementary, Hungerford Elementary, Lakeville Elementary, Lovell Elementary, Rock Lake Ele-

mentary, Washington Shores Elementary, and Windermere Elementary.

She was particularly pleased to have taken, accompanied by her husband, each of her grandchildren on a two week visit to their choice of countries in Europe during the summer between their middle and high school matriculation.

"Wandy" was afflicted with Lewy Body Dementia for the last three years of her life. She was cared for at home by her family and remained physically active until her last day when she was hospitalized with a major stroke that caused her demise.

She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Fred (in whose loving arms she died); daughter Rebecca (Mike) Sellers, Apopka; son Andrew (Kim) Savage, Bradenton; granddaughters Amanda (Jason Kincaide) Savage, Belize; Marley (Pawel) Savage-Wierzchowicz, Tampa; step-grandson Zachary Sellers, Apopka; grandson Jacob (Paige) Savage, Richlands, NC; great grandsons Luca Henry Savage, Finn Elliot Savage, and Wyatt Andrew Savage, all of Richlands. All

family members who are Florida residents were with her at her passing.

In order to continue her abiding interest in education, she enlisted the aid of Loomis Family Funeral Home of Apopka to obtain admittance to the medical school at UCF as a participant in medical research or in the education of medical students.

It is important to remember that when you lose someone close, you gain an angel with whom you are already familiar, who will be there in spirit for you whenever needed, who will listen when you talk and who will keep your confidences in absolute secrecy forever.

The family's sentiments are expressed in the (paraphrased) poem by Don Blandings:



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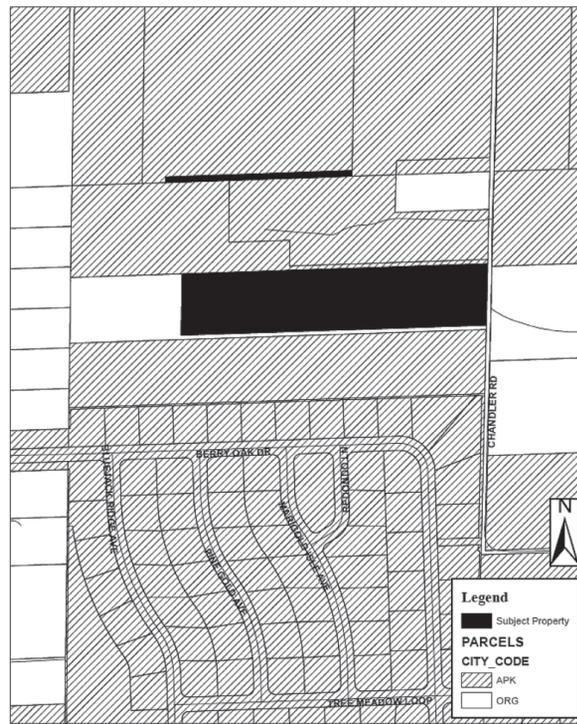
Do not write on stone or wood,  
"She was honest" or "She was good."  
But write in smoke on a passing breeze  
Seven words ... and the words are these,  
Telling all that a volume could,  
"She laughed, she loved and ... she understood."

## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE ANNEXATION CITY OF APOPKA

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Florida Statutes 171.044, the Apopka Code of Ordinances, Part III, Land Development Code, Article II, Section 2.5.1.A, that **KIMLEY-HORN & ASSOCIATES, INC. c/o BRIAN S. ASHBY** has made an application to the City of Apopka City Council for an **ANNEXATION** of a property located south of Kelly Park Road and west of Chandler Road, approximately 6.06 +/- acres. This application relates to the following described property:

### ORDINANCE NO. 2908

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF APOPKA, FLORIDA, TO EXTEND ITS TERRITORIAL AND MUNICIPAL LIMITS TO ANNEX PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTE 171.044 THE HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED LANDS SITUATED AND BEING IN ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA, OWNED BY KELLY PARK ROAD PROPERTY, LLC.; LOCATED SOUTH OF KELLY PARK ROAD AND WEST OF CHANDLER ROAD; PROVIDING FOR DIRECTIONS TO THE CITY CLERK, SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



Parcel Identification Number(s): 18-20-28-0000-00-102 and 18-20-28-0000-00-058  
Contains: 6.06 +/- acres

NOTICE is given that public hearings for Ordinance No. 2908 will be held by the **City of Apopka City Council** at its regularly scheduled meetings in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall, 120 E. Main Street, Apopka, Florida on **Wednesday, May 4, 2022 beginning at 1:30 p.m.**, AND on **Wednesday, May 18, 2022 beginning at 7:00 p.m.** or as soon thereafter as possible.

Affected parties and the public may appear at the above listed hearings to speak. The proposed Annexation can be inspected at the Apopka Community Development Department located at Apopka City Hall on weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. City Hall address shown below. Please be advised that, under State law, if you decide to appeal a decision made with respect to this matter, you will need a record of the proceedings and may need to ensure that a verbatim record is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the City Clerk's Office at 120 East Main Street, Apopka FL 32703, Telephone: 407-703-1704, no less than 48 hours prior to the proceeding.

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