## Intent of honor is appreciated

**Editor:** 

Last week, while on vacation out west, I was informed that there was an agenda item on the City Council meeting to change the name of Harmon Road to Bill Arrowsmith Parkway. If someone was trying to surprise me, it worked.

I understand it was a very contentious meeting with the usual creeps blasting me. If this had passed, I would have rejected the move as I would not condone replacing an historical Apopka pioneer name (Harmon). I served 39-plus years as commissioner/vice mayor of this great city and

appreciate the gesture but have asked that it be removed from consideration at this time.

I thank those that spoke in favor and apologize for the meeting conduct that you had to endure. Apopka Proud.

**Bill Arrowsmith Apopka** 

### Law: Opponents argue discrimination

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controls over curriculum, and prohibits students and teachers from being required to use language that violates their personal convictions.

Another was HB 1521, filed by Rep. Rachel Plakon, R-Lake Mary, which requires restrooms and changing facilities only be used by individual's according to their biological sex. It also applies to domestic violence centers and correctional institutions and entities that receive state

Opponents argue the laws, which went into effect July 1, are discriminatory against people who identify as different genders or use different pronouns. They argue the laws will harm the LGBTQ+ com-

#### PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE **ANNEXATION** CITY OF APOPKA

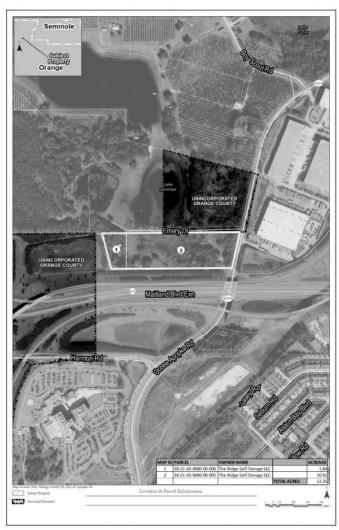
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ORDINANCE NO. 3019

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 MIXED-USE TO INDUSTRIAL FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY GENERALLY LOCATED WEST OF OCOEE-APOPKA ROAD AND NORTH OF SR 414, OWNED BY THE RIDGE SELF-STORAGE, LLC COMPRISING 12.25 ACRES, MORE OR LESS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE

ORDINANCE NO. 3020

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF APOPKA, FLORIDA, CHANGING THE ZONING FROM T (TRANSITIONAL) TO I-L (LIGHT INDUSTRIAL), FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY GENERALLY LOCATED WEST OF OCOEE-APOPKA ROAD AND NORTH OF SR 414; OWNED BY THE RIDGE SELF-STORAGE, LLC COMPRISING 12.25 ACRES, MORE OR LESS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



Parcel Identification Number(s): 28-21-20-0000-00-005. 28-21-20-0000-00-006 Contains: 12.25 +/- 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, August 8, 2023 beginning at 5:30 P.M., or as soon thereafter as possible.

FURTHER NOTICE is given that a public hearing for Ordinance Numbers 3019 and 3020 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 <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>September 6, 2023 beginning at 1:30 P.M. AND Wednesday</u>, <u>September</u> 20, 2023 at 7:00 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.

Apopka City Council Apopka Planning Commission July 28, 2023

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Community Development Department

#### Continued from page 2A response times are critical and MUST BE OF CON-SIDERATION given our 35-plus square miles. We

7. P&R - Given the proximity to RSR Homeowners, the parking lot lights proposed along

at this time.

Brush Drive must be on a timer to close within an hour of the park closing.

8. P&R - Camp Wewa, like Economic Development, in order to grow business and deliver the BREAK EVEN the taxpayers were promised, you need a Camp Wewa Director specifically focused on utilization and growth. With the right leader, this has the potential of becoming a profit center to further grow our Parks and Recreation.

Looking at tonight's presentations, we do not want another tragic event to be the trigger for us to staff according to our needs and growth. Having adequate staffing for Staff safety and

cannot just look at number of 1st responders per capita compared to other communities.

#### Second day observations & recommendations for your consideration:

The Police Department should be staffed at a minimum of 144 when you look at the increase in crime statistics, increase in response times and consideration of the square miles our Officers cover. You do not want an event like the Fire Department experienced last year to be the trigger to provide for the safety of our Officers and Residents that the City warrants.

We should immediately bump starting pay in the \$58,000-62,000 range.

We should provide scholarships for those qualified and interested to com-

**Budget:** Budget discussions important plete the required Florida Police Academy training and those seeking a degree in Criminal Justice. Required continued employment and/or pay back should be required.

We should EXCEED whatever we negotiate for the FireFighters for those Police who desire to seek a degree or additional train-

Fire Department question as to staffing as the Chief indicated hiring 9 new Firefighters for Station 6. This station has been manned for at least the last three years. When you drive by the current station you typically see 3-4 vehicles, hence they are already staffed at 3-4 Firefighters.

Fire Department question as to all the times Captain Maynard's name came up as having responsibility for. One person hav-

See BUDGET Page 9A

### **Moore:** Recognize historical areas

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A local preservation ordinance is simply a next step. I'm proud of the work of Greg Mellowe with his recent approval for the Lockhart Community Marker from the Florida Division of Historical Resources. He completed the significant amount of paperwork while I funded the marker. If a countywide preservation ordinance had been placing this process would have been less precarious and erecting additional markers would have already been erected in District 2. I don't know about you, but I believe more markers are needed throughout the county. Every area of town

deserves preservation of its historical resources.

It is time to remedy this historic preservation deficiency in the county and cities of Apopka and

Ocoee. Once a preservation ordinance, board, and nonprofit organization is created, the Division of Historical Resources recommends becoming a certified local government. This opens the door for technical assistance and training. Opportunities become available for submission into the National Register of Historic Places. And again, the ability to apply and receive funding grants is immense. In Central Florida the following cities are certified:

Winter Park, Orlando, Eatonville, Mt. Dora, Eustis, Sanford, Kissimmee and St. Cloud.

Attending the Florida Main Street Conference opened my eyes to these additional processes and designations to improve our ability to preserve local history. Looking at the success of the above listed cities proves that success is a series of intentional actions and activities. I believe it is time to join them and become a Certified Local Government and pass a Preservation Ordinance. Please help me by advocating with city and county commissioners for the establishment of these successful tools

## **Hayden:** Numbers are still used

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have to give up, or worse, how much more money will we have to throw at the "Climate Change Beast" to keep him happy and controlled? Now on to the reason for this rant. I would wager I receive fifty calls a day from someone in India that is so concerned about my welfare he wants to offer me an extended warranty for my car, or even though I have a Medicare replacement, VA benefits someone wants to give me more coverage, and then there are those who do not say anything but just call to hear me breathe. Now, there are those that advise me they know I have been in an accident within the last two years and want to make sure I get all the money and benefits I deserve. I have tried to call back those numbers, but they are numbers that are out of service or cannot be reached for some

"off the wall" poppycock. "Just wait a goldurned minute."

You mean we can change GOD's Mother Nature's weather by throwing money at it when we cannot even stop people from using out-ofervice phone numbers? How is it that the number is out of service but still can be used? If my vehicle is out of service, you are not going to be able to use it. Or how about, if your electric power is out of service, how much air conditioner can you use? Let us ask the phone companies the real question: How much money do we have to toss your way to stop this invasion of privacy? I wonder if the head honchos at the phone companies are bothered by those annoying calls that come from "out of service" numbers. I do not gamble, but I think I would be willing to give odds on that bet. "Just wait a gol-durned minute!"

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And not just ephemeral sounds or images, but whatever you desire. If you want a boy- or girlfriend, there are apps which can help you with that. Looking for a spouse, or a house? There are apps and websites to help you there too. But what does this really do for us?

The internet and all that goes with it doesn't just gratify our desires, it also expands them. We are

arguably living in a time when most of us are demonstrably more anxious, frustrated, and uncertain about what we actually want out of life. With so many choices before us, we become paralyzed and unable to decide what we really

What is a person to do? We should start by looking at our values. If we value love and integrity, as we should, perhaps we should be careful about what we let enter our lives.

Dating apps are fine, and arguably make it easier to find someone who shares our values, but they might also make it too easy to instantly gratify urges or desires which don't align with our deeper or fundamental values.

Consider your values before gratifying your unruly and ever-expanding

-Christopher Simon

## **Obituaries**

EVANGELINA C. OCHOA, 83, of Apopka, Florida passed away on July 21, 2023. Mrs. Ochoa was born on August 11, 1939 in Ancihuacuaro, Mexico. Mrs. Ochoa is preceded in death by her loving husband Jose Ochoa. She is survived by 7 children; 18 grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren; as well as 2 brothers. She will be dearly missed by her many loved ones and friends.

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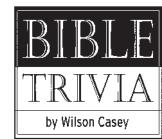
2. Whose last words were, "O God, that I may be at once avenged of the Philistines for my two eyes"? Zimri, Paul, Eli, Samson

3. From Proverbs 18:8. "The words of a talebearer are as \_\_\_\_\_\_"? Truths, Wounds, Answers, Serpents

4. Who assumed if Isaac died that God would be able to bring him back to life? Rebekah, Esau, Abraham, Iacob

5. From Genesis 25:1, who was Abraham's second wife? Keturah, Abigail, Vashti, Candace

6. Who was the famed



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## State's citrus industry's production is down after hurricanes, disease

**By Andrew Powell** The Center Square

A new report shows that Florida's citrus industry's production is down considerably after being ravaged by hurricanes and

The latest Economic and Market Research report from Florida Citrus shows that total orange juice sales, as of June 2023, have fallen by 11.6 percent compared to the previous year, while the price has increased by 12.3 percent.

The Florida citrus report also shows the stark difference between seasons for orange juice yields. For the four weeks ending mid-June 2023, Florida growers produced 25.1 million gallons of orange juice, including frozen, reconstituted and blended varieties.

For the same period in 2022, a total of 29.4 million gallons of orange juice was produced, a 14.5 percent drop for the current season.

According to a recent report from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, during the 2021-22 citrus season Florida produced 41.2 million boxes of oranges. However, fruit that cannot be sold or used for juice. the 2022-23 season is projected to produce 15.9 million boxes of oranges.

The USDA report data shows that during the 2018-19 season, there were 49.7 million fruit-bearing trees, yielding around try. 813 fruit per tree for non-Valencia variet-

ies, 213 per tree for navel oranges and 608 per tree for Valencia.

In comparison, the 2022-23 season forecasts project that there are now around 43.9 million fruit-bearing trees, with yields for non-Valencia varieties at 474 fruit per tree, 106 per tree for navel and 323 per tree for Valencia.

Hurricanes and disease are two major factors for declining yields in fruit and by extension, orange juice. In September 2022, Hurricane Ian ripped through 375,000 acres of citrus groves. The cost to growers is an estimated \$675 million, according to the state Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. Approximately \$65 million has been appropriated for research and to replace damaged trees.

Meanwhile, citrus greening — which is a disease that can kill the tree and its fruit - has spread throughout the Florida citrus groves and the effect is fewer yields every year. Also known as yellow dragon disease, a disease-carrying insect spreads citrus greening — the Asian citrus psyllid and there is no cure once a tree is infected.

Infected trees produce bitter, green The disease is also prevalent in California, Georgia, Louisiana, Puerto Rico, South Carolina, Texas and the U.S. Virgin Islands and threatens the entire U.S. citrus indus-

## **Budget:** Salary surveys were discussed

#### Continued from page 4A

ing too many responsibilities and the job not being done properly was one of Gannon's major concerns. Maynard is a hardworking and outstanding asset. How many hats is he wear-

Parametric training should be a scholarship with continued employment and/or pay back be required.

Firefighter \$1,500-2,000 given the cost of training appears reason-

The ADA is 2 years and running. Set a deadline for 12/31/23 for 100% compliance. All Staff documents must immediately be ADA compliant. We must require ALL developer submissions to be in compliance IMMEDIATE-

The Police Department's presentation was the most concise and complete to date.

Wage surveys are part of the budgeting process and should be done annually in ADVANCE OF AND IN PREPARATION for the budget process.

The scholarships/reimbursement for those seeking a degree could be built on a hybrid platform so everyone has some skin in the game.. Maybe consider Staff Member 25% and the City 75%. Pass, all is good. Fail, retake 100% Staff Member.

The timing of the Firefighters negotiations troubles me.

Stay safe and God's Speed.

See you tonight. Rod Olsen 3156 Rolling Hills

property:

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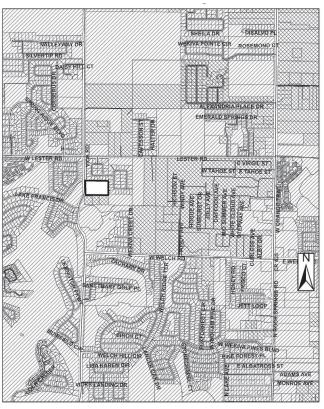
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**ANNEXATION** 

CITY OF APOPKA

ORDINANCE NO. 3018

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 WORD OF LIFE CHURCH APOPKA; LOCATED AT 1853 VICK ROAD, COMPRISING 5.73 ACRES, MORE OR LESS; PROVIDING FOR DIRECTIONS TO THE CITY CLERK, SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



Parcel Identification Number(s): 33-20-28-0000-00-012 5.73 + / - acres

NOTICE is given that public hearings for Ordinance No. 3018 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 Wednesday, August 2, 2023 beginning at 1:30 P.M and Wednesday, August 16, 2023 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 locatewd 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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In the period from July 16-22, the Apopka Police Department received 1,729 calls for service, responded to 28 crashes, issued 117 citations, and made 29 arrests. Juveniles were charged with batterytouch or strike; burglary tools-possession with intent to use: cocaine-manufactured schedule II; fraudimpersonate-false ID given to law enforcement officer; loitering or prowling; probation violation-child in violation of imposed condi-

The following adults were arrested and charged:

Dayron Aguilera, 25, 143 Pinefield Dr., Sanford, larceny-petite theft, merchandise farm transit, 2+ prior convictions.

Laniscia Damartica Anglin, 23, confidential, Apopka, battery-touch or strike; resist officer-obstruct without violence.

Dennis Craig Carter, 63, 438 N. Park Ave., Apopka, possession of cocaine.

Dwayne Anthony Collins, 42, confidential, Groveland, attempted homicide-murder first degree premeditated.

John Doe, 20, general delivery, Apopka, resist officer-obstruct without vio-

substance without prescrip-Bobby E. Durrance,

and/or

54, 15101 SE 93rd Ct.,

Summerfield, drug equip-

use; drugs-possession of controlled substance with-

out prescription (metham-

da, 22, confidential, Apop-

ka, battery-touch or strike.

35, 1369 S. Highland Ave.,

Apopka, other agency war-

443 E. 10th St., Apopka,

vehicle theft-grand theft of

48, 901 S. Kirkman Rd.

Apt. 283, Orlando, mov-

ing traffic violation-driv-

ing while license suspend-

ed, revocation equivalent

status 3rd subsequent vio-

more, 26, 1100 Heron

Sound Dr., Apopka, drugs-

possession of controlled

Freddie Benard Gil-

motor vehicle.

Stefany Alexis Estra-

Jeffery Brian Franco,

Louis G. Galmitz, 18,

Keith Leondra Gibbs,

ment-possession

phetamine).

Antony Harris, 60, transient, Apopka, batterytouch or strike.

Angela Maria Hocroft, 46, 32935 Misty Ln., De-Land, battery-2nd or subsequent offense.

Kyonnah A Hudson-Reynolds, 23, transient, Apopka, trespassing-failure to leave property upon order by owner; trespassingstructure or conveyance.

Samantha Mary Hutt, 29, transient, Apopka, battery-2nd or subsequent offense.

Darin Lamar Jackson, 58, 2046 Clarcona Rd., Apopka, drugs-possession of controlled substance without prescription (fen-

Bobby Royce King, 41, confidential, Apopka, battery-commit domestic battery by strangulation.

Christine Kowaleviocz, 50, confidential, Apopka, battery on officer, firefighter, EMT etc.; resist officer with violence; resist officer-obstruct without violence; simple assault-intent threat to do violence.

Yohel S. Ladino-Reyes, 32, 14106 Millwood Dr., Sanford, public order-crimes violence, nonresident exemption driver's license; marijuana-possession not more than 20

Vincent Lamar Moore, 56, general delivery, Apopka, battery-2nd or subsequent offense.

Roderick Leon Perry, 43, 142 W. Michael Gladden Blvd., Apopka, other agency warrant.

Ruth Regis, 37, 1276 Foxforrest Cir., Apopka, possession of cocaine; drug equipment-possess and/or use; resist officer-obstruct without violence.

Travis Bobby Reilly, 21, 743 Trailview Dr., Apopka, DUI-unlawful blood alcohol, DUI-influence of alcohol or drugs.

Jermaine George Scott, 33, 1424 Mink Dr., Apopka, other agency warrant.

Ja`Vien Elijah Shea, 21, confidential, Apopka, battery-touch or strike; weapon offense-improper exhibit firearm or dangerous weapon.

Quintyn Marquis Simpkins, 20, confidential, Apopka, battery-touch or strike; larceny-other theft.

Reshawn Rovelle Sims, 35, 1165 S. Central Ave., Apopka, trespassingfailure to leave property upon order by owner.

Joseph Lee Walker, 63. 183 Rand Ct., Apopka, possession of cocaine with intent to sell, manufacture deliver etc. Schedule II; obstructing justice-tamper evidence in capital felony crime proceeding.

Eddie Mack Waters, 42, 41 W. 12th St., Apopka, larceny-petit theft merchandise farm transit, prior

## Towel: Coaches will have question-and-answer period during event

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includes a social hour in the piano bar, followed by dinner with the coaches in a private room, fans and alumni of the four schools, many of whom were classmates, teammates, or rivals decades ago, have the opportunity to renew old acquaintances and friendships and reminisce about rivalries from long ago.

The event carries the name of Dave Powers, former highly respected Orlando banking executive and generous Bishop Moore benefactor, who passed away unexpectedly in November 2017. Powers was a driving force in re-establishing the Crying Towel event in 2014. In honor of Powers' indispensable and extraordinarily generous contributions to the success of the Crying Towel event, and, especially to supporting and promoting high school sports in metro Orlando, the event now carries his name.

Williams, creator and host of the Talkin' Old School radio program, is an Apopka Blue Darter football alumnus. He will help to facilitate the program's questionand-answer period and the coaches' presentations will be the topic for Talkin' Old School with Roger Franklin Williams radio program that will broadcast Saturday August 19, on FM 94.9 and AM 950 The Answer from 8-9 p.m.; and on Thursday, August 24, at 7 p.m. on FM 96.9 The Game and AM 740.

Williams will be assisted by

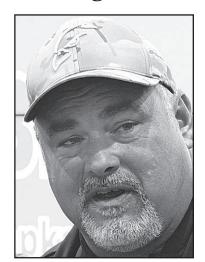
veteran Crying Towel co-hosts Despina McLaughlin and Becky Lesswing. Williams expressed gratitude for the support of the Christner family for hosting the Crying Towel and Christner's Operations Manager Jim Flanagan for his support of Talkin' Old School and high school athletics in Central Florida,

"This event would not be possible without the support of the Christner Family, Jim Flanagan, Christner's Operations Manager, and the support of our other sponsors. They recognize the importance of making a commitment to the Central Florida community and celebrating the tremendous positive impact of high school athletics and, especially, the contributions of these dedicated coaches," Williams said.

The event will start at 5 p.m. with an informal social hour with cash bar with coaches, sponsors, alumni and other guests, followed by an intimate prix fixe dinner at 6 p.m. Immediately following dinner, at approximately 8 p.m., the coaches will make their presentations, recorded for the Talkin' Old School radio program.

The coaches will be available for the open question-and-answer session with dinner guests. Coaches will also be available for interviews with media who attend the event.

The event is open to the public, reservations for the dinner event can be made by phone by calling Christner's at 407-645-

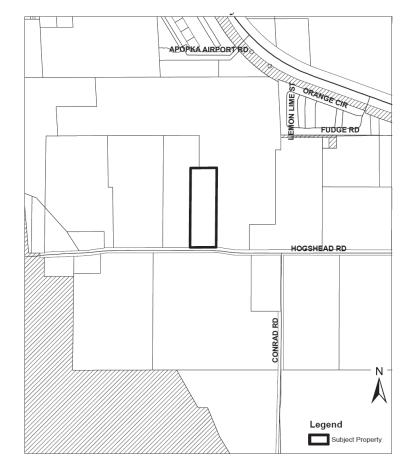


Apopka head football coach Jeff Rolson speaks Monday, July 24, during the media day event held in the Varsity Club at Camping World Stadium in Orlando.

#### **CITY OF APOPKA PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE** SPECIAL EXCEPTION

NOTICE is hereby given that LOWNDES LAW FIRM C/O TARA TEDROW, **ESQ.** has made an application, in accordance with Apopka Code of Ordinances, Part III, Land Development Code, Article II, Section 4.2.2.C to the City of Apopka Planning Commission for a SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO ALLOW OUTDOOR STORAGE FOR CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT, TRUCKS AND TRUCK TRAILERS.

This application relates to the following described property located at 4203 Hogshead Road:



Parcel Identification Number(s): 02-21-27-0000-00-026 6.0 + / - acres

Notice is given that the City of Apopka Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider the special exception request at its scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall on **Tuesday, August 8, 2023, beginning** at 5:30 P.M., or as soon thereafter as possible. at 5:30 P.M., or as soon thereafter as possible.

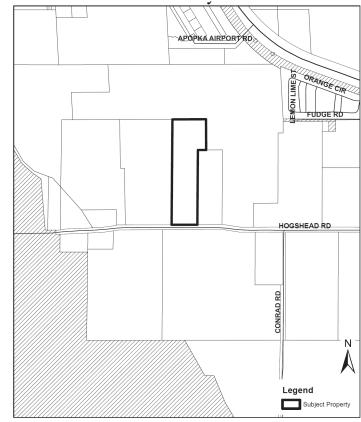
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NOTICE is hereby given that  ${\tt GEOFFREY\ L.\ SUMMITT}$  has made an application, in accordance with Apopka Code of Ordinances, Part III, Land Development Code, Article II, Section 4.2.2.C the City of Apopka Planning Commission for a **SPECIAL** EXCEPTION TO ALLOW OPEN STORAGE AS THE PRIMARY USE FOR A PERIOD OF 12 MONTHS.

This application relates to the following described property located at 4233 Hogshead Road:



Parcel Identification Number(s): 02-21-27-0000-00-025 Contains: 6.0 +/- acres

Notice is given that the City of Apopka Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider the special exception request at its scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall on Tuesday, August 8, 2023, beginning

Affected parties and the public may appear at the above listed hearing to speak. 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 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 assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the City Clerk's Office at 120 East Main Street, contact the City Clerk's Office at 120 East Main Street, Apopka, Florida 32703; Telephone: 407-703-1704, no less than

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