Casey Lucius

From: Jared Grifoni

Sent: Tuesday, July 13, 2021 8:30 AM

To: Mike McNees
Cc: Casey Lucius

Subject: Fwd: Letter to Conservation Follier

Attachments: June 23 letter to CC.docx

Mike, this should be added to the agenda under council reports for council approval/discussion before it is published.

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From: Rich Blonna <rblonna@marcocitycouncil.com>

Sent: Wednesday, June 23, 2021 2:04 PM

To: Mike McNees Cc: Jared Grifoni

Subject: Letter to Conservation Follier

Gentlemen,

Attached is a letter I drafted that expresses my displeasure at the inaction of Conservation Collier in prioritizing open space on Marco Island for preservation.

As you know, I am seeking all avenues available to us to act quickly to acquire open space before it gets scooped up by developers in this very active real estate market.

Please review the letter for content and tone. I want to be stern but not alienate them and further reduce our chances of their support.

In addition, please decide if you think the letter should come from me, the City Council, or the City Manager. I have no ego involved in this, it doesn't have to come from me.

Thanks in advance for your thoughtful review,

Rich