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ZONING BOARD OF THE CITY OF ALACHUA, FLORIDA

In the matter of;

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Terrace, Alachua, Florida, to consider a request by the City of Alachua to amend the City's Land Development

Regulations. This ad ran in the Gainesville Sun on August 31st, 2017

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Commission # FF 243987

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# Trump makes it harder to rebuild for future floods

By Michael Biesecker and Joan Lowy The Associated Press

WASHINGTON -Two weeks before Harvev's flood waters engulfed much of Houston, President Donald Trump quietly rolled back an order by his predecessor that would have made it easier for stormravaged communities to use federal emergency aid to rebuild bridges, roads

and other structures so

they can better withstand

future disasters. Now, with much of the nation's fourth-largest city underwater, Trump's move has new resonance. Critics note the president's order could force Houston and other cities to rebuild hospitals and highways in the same way and in the same floodprone areas.

"Rebuilding while ignoring future flood events is like treating someone for lung cancer and then giving him a carton of cigarettes on the way out the door," said Michael Gerrard, a professor of environmental and climate change law at Columbia University. "If you're going to rebuild after a bad event, you don't want to expose yourself to the same thing all over again."

Trump's action is one of several ways the president, who has called climate change a hoax, has tried to wipe away former President Barack Obama's efforts to make the United States more resilient to threats posed by the changing climate.

The order Trump revoked would have permitted the rebuilding to



Interstate 69 is covered by floodwaters from Harvey on Tuesday in Humble, Texas. Just two weeks ago, President Donald Trump rolled back an order by his predecessor that would have made it easier for storm-ravaged communities to use federal emergency aid to rebuild bridges, roads and other construction so they can better withstand future disasters. [DAVID J. PHILLIP/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

take into account climate scientists' predictions of stronger storms and more frequent flooding.

Bridges and highways, for example, could be rebuilt higher, or with better drainage. The foundation of a new fire station or hospital might be elevated an extra 3 feet (about 1 meter).

While scientists caution against blaming specific weather events like Harvey on climate change, warmer air and warmer water linked to global warming have long been projected to make such storms wetter and more intense. Houston, for example, has experienced three floods in three years that statistically were once considered 1-in-500-year events.

The government was still in the process of implementing Obama's 2015 order when it was rescinded. That means

the old standard rebuilding storm-ravaged facilities in the same way they had been built before is still in place.

Trump revoked Obama's order as part of an executive order of his own that he touted at an Aug. 15 news conference at Trump Tower. That news conference was supposed to focus on infrastructure, but it was dominated by Trump's comments on the previous weekend's violence in Charlottesville, Virginia.

Trump didn't specifically mention the revocation, but he said he was making the federal permitting process for the construction of transportation and other infrastructure projects faster and more costefficient without harming the environment.

"It's going to be quick, it's going to be a very streamlined process," Trump said.

Asked about the revocation, the White House said in a statement that Obama's order didn't consider potential impacts on the economy and was "applied broadly to the whole country, leaving little room or flexibility for designers to exercise professional judgment or incorporate the particular context" of a project's location.

Obama's now-defunct order also revamped Federal Flood Risk Management Standards, calling for tighter restrictions on new construction in flood-prone areas. Republicans, including Sen. John Cornyn of Texas, opposed the measure, saying it would impede land development and economic growth.

Revoking that order was only the latest step by Trump to undo Obama's actions on climate change.

In March, Trump rescinded a 2013 order that directed federal agencies to encourage states and local communities to build new infrastructure and facilities "smarter and stronger" in anticipation of more frequent extreme weather.

Trump revoked a 2015 Obama memo directing agencies developing national security policies to consider the potential impact of climate change.

The president also disbanded two advisory groups created by Obama: the interagency Council on Climate Preparedness and Resilience and the State, Local, and Tribal Leaders Task Force on Climate Preparedness and Resilience.



Featuring exhibitors with products & services for North Central Florida's growing 55+ population.

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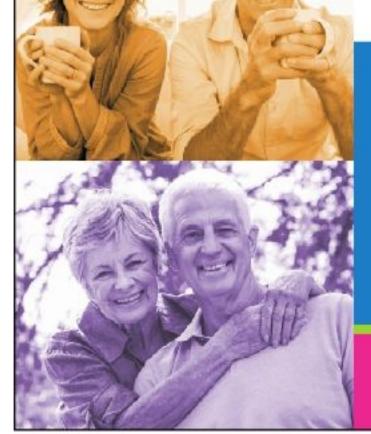




Market your business to the mature adult audience in Alachua County & surrounding communities! 62,685 adult residents age 55 & older make up 24.1% of Alachua County's population!\* \*SOURCE: Data from United States Census Bureau for July 2015

Attendees will enjoy visiting exhibits and seminars relating to: health, wellness, hobbies, sports, travel, home, garden, automotive and more! Create an eye-catching table display that showcases your goods or services, and draw in many potential customers! Reach the 55+ Audience as far north as Lake City and as far south as The Villages!

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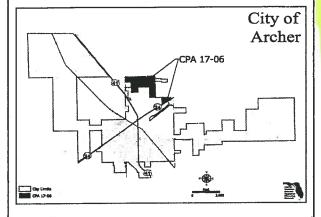
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Containing 30.05 acres, more or less.

All said lands containing 133.88 acres, more or less.



A public hearing will be conducted by the City Commission to consider the amendment and enactment of the ordinance adopting the amendment on September 11, 2017 at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, in the City Commission Chambers, City Hall, located at 16870 Southwest 134th Avenue, Archer, Florida. The title of said ordinance shall read, as follows:

#### **ORDINANCE NO. 13-2017**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ARCHER, FLORIDA, RELATING TO AN AMENDMENT OF MORE THAN TEN ACRES OF LAND TO THE FUTURE LAND USE PLAN MAP OF THE CITY OF ARCHER COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, PURSUANT TO AN APPLICATION, CPA 17-06, BY THE PROPERTY OWNER OF SAID ACREAGE UNDER THE AMENDMENT PROCEDURES ESTABLISHED IN SECTIONS 163.3161 THROUGH 163.3248, FLORIDA STATUTES, AS AMENDED; PROVIDING FOR A CHANGE IN LAND USE CLASSIFICATION FROM RESIDENTIAL (LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 1 DWELLING UNIT PER ACRE) TO COMMERCIAL; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

The public hearing may be continued to one or more future dates. Any interested party shall be advised that the date, time and place of any continuation of the public hearing shall be announced during the public hearing and that no further notice concerning the matter will be published, unless said continuation exceeds six calendar weeks from the date of the above referenced public hearing.

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At the aforementioned public hearing, all interested persons may appear and be heard with respect to the amendment and the ordinance adopting the amendment on the date, time and place as stated above.

Copies of the amendment and the ordinance adopting the amendment are available for public inspection at the Office of the City Manager, City Hall, 16870 Southwest 134th Avenue, Archer, Florida, during regular business hours.

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Persons with disabilities requesting reasonable accommodations to participate in this proceeding should contact the City Manager, 352.495.2880 or via Florida Relay Service 800.955.8771, at least 48 hours prior to the proceedings.

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