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CERTIFICATION OF POSTING OF NOTICE

Re: CPA 20-02 Martinez Cove Road; Land Use Change and Rezoning 1500 SE Cove Road, Stuart, Florida

This letter is to certify that the above referenced sign was installed pursuant to Martin County Land Development Regulations on April 21, 2020. The sign was posted in accordance with, and in compliance of, the notice posting requirements in Article 10, Section 10.6.B., Martin County Land Development Regulations. A photograph of the sign posted on the above referenced property is included and attached herewith.

By: <u>Efrain Warens</u> on behalf of Sign Store and More Company

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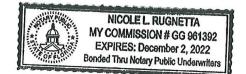
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARTIN

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of [] physical presence or [] online notarization this <u>9</u> day of <u>September</u>, 2020, by <u>______</u>, who is personally known to me or who has produced <u>______</u> as identification.

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RE: Notice of public hearing regarding Application # CPA 20-02 (Martinez Cove Rd.): an application submitted by Nicholas Martinez, Jr., and Steven M. Martinez to change the Future Land Use and Zoning of a parcel of land.

Dear Property Owner:

As the owner of property within 1,000 feet of the property shown on the attached location map, please be advised that the property is the subject of an application to change the Future Land Use designation:

FROM: Rural Density Residential (up to 1 unit per 2 acres)

TO: Residential Estate Density (up to 2 units per acre)

And to change the zoning designation:

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The date, time and place of the scheduled hearing is:

MEETING:	Martin County Board of County Commissioners
DATE:	October 27, 2020
TIME:	9:00 a.m. or as soon thereafter as the item may be heard
PLACE:	John F. and Rita M. Armstrong Wing of the Blake Library
	2351 SE Monterey Road
	Stuart, Florida 34996

All interested persons are invited to attend the above-described hearing and will have an opportunity to speak.

Accessibility arrangements. Persons with disabilities who need an accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding are entitled, at no cost, to the provision of certain assistance. This does not include transportation to and from the meeting. Please contact the Office of the ADA

Coordinator at (772) 320-3131 or the Office of the County Administrator at (772) 288-5400, or in writing to 2401 S.E. Monterey Road, Stuart, FL 34996, no later than three days before the meeting date. Persons using a TTY device, please call 711 Florida Relay Services.

Record for appeals. If any person decides to appeal any decisions made with respect to any matter considered at the meetings or hearings of any board, committee, commission, agency, council, or advisory group, that person will need a record of the proceedings and, for such purpose, may need to insure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record should include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Comprehensive Planning Facts. The Future Land Use Map is adopted as part of the County's Comprehensive Growth Management Plan and is one of the primary tools for managing land development. The Future Land Use designation of a parcel of land determines the general type of use allowed, as well as the maximum level of density or intensity allowed (such as the number of residential units per acre). The zoning regulations provide one or more zoning districts for implementing each Future Land Use designation. The zoning designation of a parcel of land determines, in more detail than the Future Land Use designation, what type and level of development may occur. A small-scale change to the Future Land Use Map requires two public hearings as follows:

- 1. Local Planning Agency (which makes a recommendation to the Board of County Commissioners).
- 2. Board of County Commissioners (to determine whether the proposed amendment should be adopted).

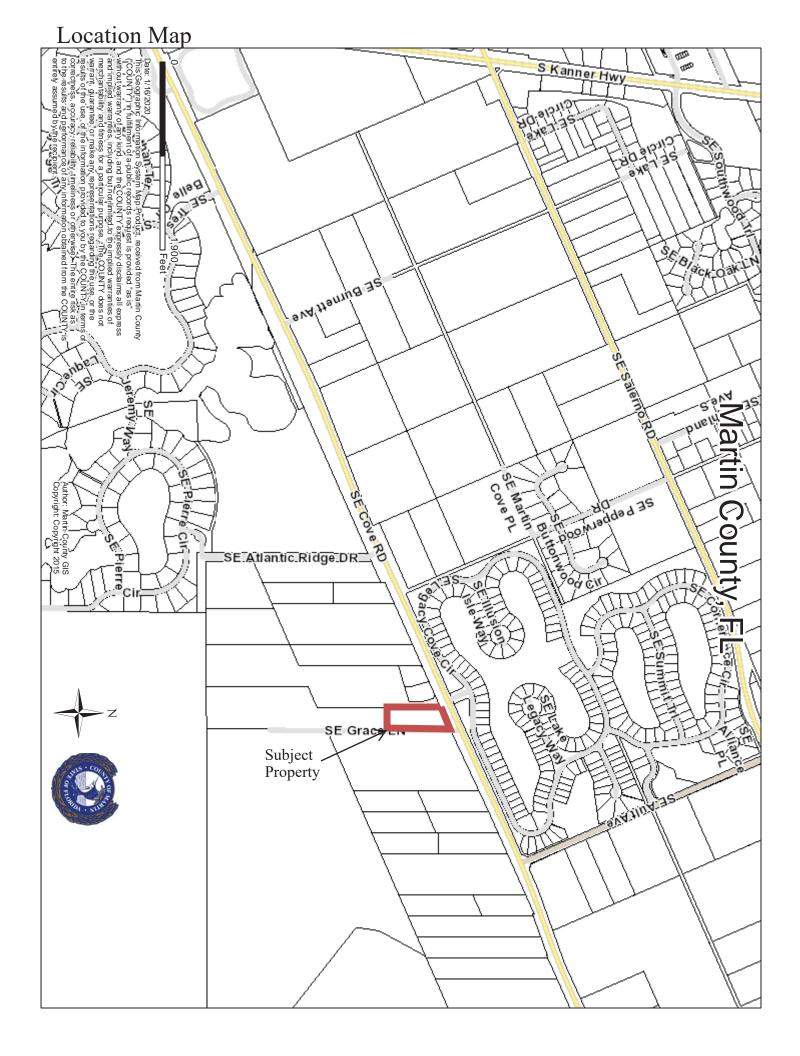
Public involvement opportunities: All interested persons are invited to attend any or all of the above-described hearings and will have an opportunity to speak. Written comments will be included as part of the public record of the application.

Submit written comments to:	Paul Schilling, Director
	Growth Management Department
	2401 S.E. Monterey Road
	Stuart, Florida 34996

To view the staff reports, please visit the County's website at: https://www.martin.fl.us/CompPlanningStaffReports

For more information, contact Maria Jose, M.S., Planner, Growth Management Department at (772) 288-5495 or via e-mail: mjose@martin.fl.us.

Attachment: Location Map



FDA warns Ohio research institute about sanitizing

Max Filby The Columbus Dispatch

USA TODAY NETWORK

COLUMBUS, Ohio – The Food and Drug Administration criticized a Columbus, Ohio-based research institute this week for failing to track issues with its mask decontamination units.

Battelle received a letter from the FDA on Wednesday warning that it did not have proper protocols in place to report adverse events that occur when people use masks cleaned by the non-profit research institute's Critical Care Decontamination System units.

Battelle's decontamination technology, which the company says can sanitize 80,000 N95 masks per day per unit, was approved for use as a shortage of the masks hit the U.S. when the CO-VID-19 pandemic began in March.

Adverse events questioned by the FDA include, but are not limited to, allergic reactions, shrunken or misshapen respirators, a poor fit or seal of N95 masks, shredding, peeling, or discoloration of the respirator, mask straps breaking, odor issues, infection in wearers of decontaminated masks and skin irritation, the letter says.

"When there is an inadequate adverse event reporting process, the ability to detect problems and address them in order to assure the safety and performance of decontaminated respirators is compromised," Dr. Binita Ashar, director of the FDA's Office of Surgical and Infection Control Devices in the Center for Devices and Radiological Health, said in a news release. "We will hold companies accountable if they fail to fulfill their regulatory obligations."

Battelle is required to respond within the next 15 days, according to the FDA.

"We appreciate the clarity that the FDA's letter has provided, and we will be submitting our response in the coming days to continue to meet their requirements," Battelle spokesman T.R. Massey told The Columbus Dispatch.

"We are appreciative of the FDA's work early in the pandemic to get this capability fielded, including Dr. Binita Ashar's personal involvement in mak-



Workers at Battelle's West Jefferson facility build one of its Critical Care Decontamination Systems. COURTESY OF BATTELLE

ing this technology available to nurses, doctors and other health care professionals."

Massey said the nonprofit research institute has been in touch with the FDA as "reporting obligations have evolved during the pandemic."

The FDA wrote to Battelle in August requesting information about the institute's processes for reporting adverse events to the FDA after the agency became aware that there may be deficiencies in the sanitization process.

Battelle's mask-cleaning technology was used at some Columbus-area hospitals, including Ohio State University's Wexner Medical Center and OhioHealth facilities.

While the reused masks were sometimes damaged, OhioHealth spokesman Colin Yoder said Battelle's cleaning system ensured every person who entered the room of a COVID-19 patient at OhioHealth's hospitals was wearing an N95 mask.

"We did not experience widespread mask degradation, but did occasionally have a mask that changed shape enough to not fit well and, in those situations, we'd simply discard the mask and grab another mask," Yoder said. "This was a temporary solution for OhioHealth, and we continue to source new, disposable N95 masks as our ideal and primary solution."

Shutdowns spark Jewish community protests

Ryan W. Miller USA TODAY

NEW YORK – Protesters gathered for a second night in New York on Wednesday in defiance of new shutdown orders in some of the city's neighborhoods that have seen concerning spikes in new COVID-19 cases in recent weeks.

Orthodox Jewish protesters gathered en masse in Brooklyn, some with masks and others without, decrying new restrictions from Gov. Andrew Cuomo that would close nonessential businesses and schools and limit the size of religious gatherings.

The new lockdown orders were issued for parts of Queens, Brooklyn and the city's suburbs that have disproportionately contributed to new virus cases in recent weeks, and some of those areas are home to large populations of the Orthodox Jewish community.

The new measures also come amid the Jewish holiday of Sukkot, contributing to the anger from some of those in the Orthodox community.

Photos and videos of the Wednesday night protest showed crowds dancing in the street and waving campaign flags for President Donald Trump.

However, a reporter, Jacob Kornbluh of Jewish Insider, said he was "brutally assaulted" after being targeted in the protest by a critic of the lockdown.

Kornbluh said he was "hit in the head, and kicked at by an angry crowd of hundreds of community members." Kornbluh, who is Jewish, said he was also called "Nazi" and "Hitler."

New York Police Department said in an email to USA TODAY that no arrests were made or summonses issued for violations of COVID-19 restrictions.

Crowds also gathered Tuesday to protest the new restrictions. Fires were lit to burn masks and at least two people were injured, according to local news outlet Gothamist.

Addressing concerns that the lockdown restrictions were singling out the Orthodox community, Cuomo said earlier Wednesday that the cluster boundaries were driven entirely by data.



Members of the Orthodox community speak with NYPD officers Wednesday in the Borough Park neighborhood of Brooklyn. JOHN MINCHILLO/AP

However, he acknowledged that some were critical of his decision.

Mayor Bill de Blasio, who had proposed new shutdowns to the state on Sunday based on ZIP codes, defended the governor's plan to limit gatherings in houses of worship.

"We know that we've got to get out of this and we've got to get out of it quickly. No one wants to see a full resurgence, a second wave in New York City. If we get a second wave, then a lot more will be shut down for a lot longer," de Blasio told reporters Wednesday.

Nine ZIP codes have seen test positivity levels rise above 3% on a sevenday average, de Blasio said. The city is also watching a dozen other ZIP codes that are nearing that number, too. The mayor proposed shutdowns based on those ZIP codes, but Cuomo instead issued the orders on a tiered cluster system. The closer to the center of the cluster, the tougher the restrictions.

In "red" zones, the areas with the highest levels of the virus, houses of worship will be limited to 25% capacity or 10 people maximum; mass gatherings prohibited; no nonessential businesses; dining can be takeout only; schools would be online only.

Those new restrictions will apply to five COVID-19 clusters across the state.

Contributing: Joseph Spector and Jon Campbell, New York State Team

The Martin County Board of County Commissioners will conduct public hearings on October 27, 2020, beginning at **9:00 A.M.**, or as soon thereafter as the items may be heard, to review the following items:

1. AN ORDINANCE OF MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA, REGARDING COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT 19-28, GOLDEN GATE, AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE MARTIN COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE GROWTH MANAGEMENT PLAN; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTING PROVISIONS, SEVERABILITY, AND APPLICABILITY; PROVIDING FOR



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- 2. AN ORDINANCE OF MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA, CREATING DIVISION 7, GOLDEN GATE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT CODE OF ARTICLE 12, REDEVELOPMENT CODE, LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS, MARTIN COUNTY CODE; REPEALING SECTION 3.267, GOLDEN GATE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AREA, LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS, MARTIN COUNTY CODE; AMENDING THE ZONING ATLAS TO ASSIGN THE GOLDEN GATE REDEVELOPMENT ZONING DISTRICT AND MAKE OTHER CHANGES FOR CONSISTENCY WITH THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP; PROVIDING FOR APPLICABILITY, CONFLICTING PROVISIONS, SEVERABILITY, FILING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE, CODIFICATION, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
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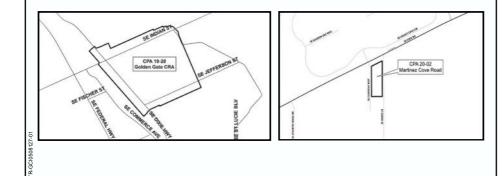
In conjunction with:

4. A RESOLUTION OF MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA, REGARDING AN APPLICATION TO CHANGE THE ZONING DISTRICT FROM A-1, SMALL FARMS DISTRICT TO RE-1/2 A, RESIDENTIAL ESTATE DISTRICT OR THE MOST APPROPRIATE ZONING DISTRICT ON 2.38 ACRES AT 1500 S.E. COVE ROAD, WEST OF S.E. GRACE LANE.

All interested persons are invited to attend and be heard. The meeting will be held in the John F. and Rita M. Armstrong Wing of the Blake Library, 2351 SE Monterey Road, Stuart, Florida 34996. Written comments may be mailed to: Paul Schilling, Director, Martin County Growth Management Department, 2401 S.E. Monterey Road, Stuart, Florida 34996. Copies of the items will be available from the Growth Management Department. For more information, contact the Growth Management Department at (772) 288-5495.

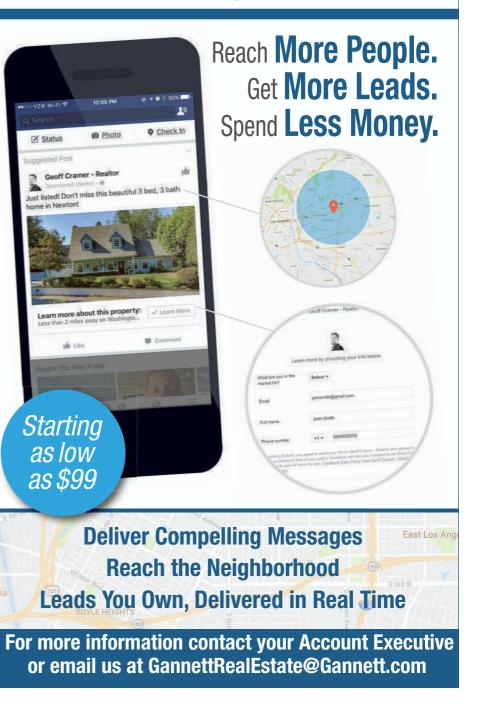
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