## Learn About Manatees at Pack & Paddle Club Meeting

Rachel Shanker, the conservation and education manager at Manatee Lagoon, will be the guest

Beach Pack & Paddle Club's meeting at 2 p.m. Saturday, Apr. 13 at the Okeeheelee Nature Censpeaker at the Palm ter, part of Okeeheelee

Park, 7715 Forest Hill Boulevard, West Palm Beach.

Attendees are encouraged to arrive early for

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socializing starting at 1:30 p.m.

As the official Florida state marine mammal, manatees are arguably one of the most charismatic species found throughout the state's waterways. In her talk, Rachel will tell attendees about manatees' anatomy and behavior, threats to these gentle creatures and conservation efforts.

Manatee Lagoon, a Florida Power & Light Co. Eco-Discovery Center on North Flagler Drive in West Palm Beach, features interactive and entertaining exhibits that inspire curiosity about the environment and the world of manatees. These gentle giants migrate to the waterways surrounding Manatee Lagoon during the cooler months to seek warmth in the clean, warm water outflows of FPL's adjacent Riviera Beach Next Generation Clean Energy Center.

In her hybrid role, Rachel Shanker manages the educational and outreach initiatives of the center and lends her marine expertise to the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission in response to the alarming challenges Florida manatees are facing.

Born and raised in South Florida, Rachel earned a master of science in teaching degree from Florida Atlantic University. With a love of the study of marine ecology, she looks for new ways to engage the public in science and conservation to address environmental challenges.

For questions about the meeting, call or text 561-312-2765.

Legal Notice No. 49461

## **NOTICE OF COMPREHENSIVE** PLAN AMENDMENT -**TEXT CHANGE**

The Town of Lantana proposes to adopt the following Ordinance:

On Monday, April 8, 2024 at 6:00 PM, or as soon thereafter as possible and which may be continued from time to time and place to place as necessary, in the Town Council Chambers, located at 500 Greynolds Circle, Lantana, Florida, the Town Council will hold quasi-judicial public hearings to consider and make a final determination on the following applications:

## **ORDINANCE NO. 0-02-2024**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LANTANA, FLORIDA, ADOPTING AN AMENDMENT TO ITS COMPREHENSIVE PLAN IN **ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANDATES SET FORTH** IN SECTION 163.3184. ET SEQ., FLORIDA STAT-UTES, PROVIDING FOR A TEXT AMENDMENT TO THE FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT AT POLICY LU 1.1.8; PROVIDING FOR TRANSMITTAL TO THE STATE LAND PLANNING AGENCY; PROVIDING A CONFLICTS CLAUSE, A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, AND AUTHORITY TO CODIFY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE: AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

The Town Council of the Town of Lantana will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, April 8, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. at Town Hall of the Town of Lantana, Florida, 500 Greynolds Circle, Lantana, Florida, or as soon thereafter as possible which may be continued from time to time and place to place as necessary in order to consider the proposed Ordinance.

All interested parties are invited to appear at the meeting as may be continued from time to time and to be heard with respect to the proposed ordinance. A copy of Ordinance O-03-2024 can be inspected and copied at the office of the Development Services Department during normal business hours of 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. All interested persons are encouraged to come to the public hearing and be heard.

If a person decides to appeal any decision of the Town Council with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

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