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I thank you with all my heart to all County employees who have and are risking their own health to make sure our county still functions

***The 4 times overpriced purchase, using our personal money to buy a decrepit water system to the over 5,000 people and business it serves

***The insane voting to add 97 more homes with no parks, sharing 2 exits with existing 5,000 residents to the same community you stuck with the still unpaid loan of 6 million$

**The insane purchase of the contaminated hospital, the Sears Building, the prefab barn out west

The insane give-away to the owners of Captains Barbeque: allowing them to lease our taxpayer’s land, for less rent per month than a one night hotel stay during NASCAR! for not shutting them down after being in violation with their lease and county health department with 30 seats too many and using my tax money to settle an insane lawsuit filed against the county!

BUT NOTHING HAS MORE UPSET THAN THIS COMMISSION ALLOWING INNOCENT TAXPAYERS AND HOMEOWERS TO BE DAILY VICTIMS OF FLIMSY, NOISY, LEAST SAFE AIRCRAFT, FLYING ON TOP OF THEIR HOMES AND USING AN AIRPORT OWNED BY THE COUNTY ALL OURS OF DAY AND NIGHT, TOUCH AND GOES AND WHO KNOWS WHO THE PILOTS ARE? DOES ANYBODY?

THIS IS THE SAME BUSINESSMAN WHO ALSO OWNS VENTURE/ICI THIS ENTIRE COMMISSION JUST GRANTED PERMISSION TO FURTHER DESTROY THE QUALITY OF LIFE AND OPEN SPACE PLANTATION BAY WAS ORIGINALLY DESIGNED FOR, ALLOWING HIM 13 YEARS OF TIME EXTENSION SINCE 2007, TO BUILD A TINY GUARD HOUSE WHILE HE HAS THE FUNDING TO BUILD HUNDRED OF NEW HOMES, WITH NO OPEN SPACE, NO PARKS IN ADDITION TO THE ONGOING WATER ISSUE.

STOP THE FLIGHT SCHOOLS NOW – CLOSE THE AIRPORT IF YOU HAVE TO – YOU DO NOT HAVE THE RIGHT TO DESTROY INNOCENT PEOPLE’S LIVES FOR ANY AMOUNT OFF MONEY. SHAME ON ALL OF YOU FOR ALLOWING ANYONE TO COME BEFORE ‘WE THE PEOPLE’ SHAME ON YOU ALL.
Luci Dance

From: Marian <msfeder1@aol.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 4, 2020 10:54 AM
To: Public Comments
Subject: Beaches

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My husband and I are social distancing but have been prohibited from walking on the beach. Why not allow beaches and parks to be available for small groups practicing social distancing. It is certainly odd to see and hear of all of the activities going on here at the private clubs in the Hammock in light of the limits to walking on the beach.
Is the lottery an essential business? People are just going out to purchase tickets. I understand that this is revenue for the state. If the Gov. DeSantis delays it he may save a life.
I would like to request that the county commissioners reconsider beach use for exercise as Volusia County has. I live in Sea Colony. My neighbors and I would like to be able to walk, fish and swim at our beach. We respected social distancing even when our beach was open, we understand not meeting in groups and congregating on the beach. Just a walk, a swim....fish....in the fresh air.

Thanks for considering this.

Pamela Voges  
46 Sea Vista Drive

Sent from my iPhone
Flagler County Commissioners,

Please consider modifying Flagler County’s beach access order to allow for exercising, walking on the beach while maintaining safe physical distances. Thank you for your consideration in the matter.

Patrick Vermilya
Armand Beach Estates
I live in the Hammock Area and I would like to see the beaches opened to walkers, surfers. I feel the mental health for those who live here is very important during this time. Walking and riding on sidewalks can be a closer to others than the beach.

Thanks
Donna
To Whom It May Concern,
I understand these are trying times for our community and you are trying to make calls for everyone’s safety, but it would be wonderful if you could relax our beaches access for walking, fishing, etc such as other counties are starting to do. It is so much easier to walk the beach and maintain safe distances than walking the sidewalks.

Please consider our mental health as the ocean has such soothing capabilities to so many at this stressful time in our lives.

Thank you,
Angela Kline

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This is important for MENTAL as well as PHYSICAL health. Our immune systems are strengthened by physical exercise and meditation (which often occurs while beach walking(exercising)). Thankyou for your consideration.
Sally Mills

Sent from Mail for Windows 10
To our Flagler County Commissioners:

In order to bring us a little closer to the stay-at-home measures that Governor DeSantis put into place, please consider following the new Volusia County guidelines by relaxing the provisions to allow essential activities like walking to take place on the beach.

As our community lives on the ocean, our beach is a more open area to walk and/or run and maintain social distancing than it is on the sidewalks or streets.

I have to trust that you will do the right thing to keep on keeping us safe. As we do our due diligence keeping ourselves safe and our neighbors.

Thank you for your great work.

Sherry Heruska
Sea Colony
4 Nantucket Dr
Palm Coast, FL 32137
Luci Dance

From: Susan <slwmailbox@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, April 5, 2020 10:19 AM
To: Public Comments
Subject: Virus testing & self isolation

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When is flagler going to test all these sick people running around?
Numbers released are low ONLY because they’re NOT testing many people. Why aren’t you fighting for more testing in flagler?
I know numerous very sick people begging for tests and they cannot get tested. They have all the signs & symptoms but nobody will test them.
Horrible example of that is Dorothy Strickland-how sad she had to go to another county to get tested and then it was too late. That alone should change things here.
Flagler needs to step it up, this is absolutely ridiculous.
Releasing low number of cases in flagler is false information!
Also self isolation is a huge joke. Most people will NOT self isolate. and allowing all those people from hot spots into fl. and just ask them to self isolate. What a joke! Crazy!
Self isolation does NOT work!
You will see the damage if they ever test here or when people start dying because the virus is here and its being spread rapidly thru groc. stores and some of the so called “essential” businesses that are open.
IF Florida had curtailed bike week, the races, and spring break maybe we would have had a chance, but the almighty dollar 💵 was all that officials cared about and it’s going to come back and bite you in the ...
Officials Should have closed beaches BEFORE allowing all those out of towners to spread the virus & then go back to their state and spread there too. This could have been contained. But the money was all that mattered and for what? the economy is destroyed AND the people.
Where is sensible leadership in Florida?
Too bad nobody cared about the people. Dr. Fauci has been warning everyone months, but people in charge didn't listen. What a mess!
And allowing cruise ships with sick people from other countries into Florida ?? Sure just fill up the hospitals with non residents.
just bring all the sick people here, come on down! Because flagler doesn’t have many cases, right?? COVIDIOTS!
We have a new neighbor in our neighborhood on Cemetery Road in Bunnell that has brought their business with them, it is a landscaping business with many big trucks full of land debris, which we think is illegal. There is lots of dust from the trucks full of debris as the road is a dirt road. The neighborhood used to be peaceful and quiet. We contacted Flagler code enforcement before but with this virus no action has been seen, still lots of big trucks keep dumping on Cemetery Road. We were wondering if the county could check if this new neighbor has a permit to dump landscaping on this road....Thank You

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.
Luci Dance

From: linda schild <lindaschild@msn.com>
Sent: Sunday, April 5, 2020 1:07 PM
To: Public Comments
Subject: Beach closings

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We would like to see the county beaches open to the public for walking, jogging and swimming as long as people keep a distance of at least 6 feet from each other.
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Please revise beach closures similar to Volusia County -allowing residents to exercise on the beach. Beach walks offer so many health (and emotional) benefits for people that I believe allowing this would be a blessing during this difficult time.

Thanks for your consideration.

Sherry Babbitt
10 Spanish Moss Ct.
Palm Coast

Sent from my iPad
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Now that law enforcement has the ability to police social distancing (fine/jail time), isn’t it time we reopened our beaches, trails and green spaces for appropriate exercise and focused on enforcing social distancing?

I see very little group gathering around the county. Write a few $500 tickets to any egregious offenders, publicize them and I think we will be fine.

We all need fresh air and exercise to stave off cabin fever. The county has such lovely open spaces, now is when we really need them. And besides, I have yet to understand the fundamental difference between St Joe’s Walkway and a public sidewalk, other than St Joe’s is wider, more airy and safer.

Please reconsider the closure! We all understand rest rooms are closed and maintenance may be suspended and can live with that. A brisk walk alone on the beach would blow away a lot of cobwebs!

Thank you,
Therese Bennett

67 Christopher Ct, Palm Coast

Sent from my iPad
Please consider opening the beaches for exercise purposes only. This will give people more areas to walk, jog, bike while practicing the social distancing rule. I agree that people should not be congregating at the beaches, but if people keep moving while practicing social distancing, this would give people more areas to use for exercise other than walking the streets. Keep the public parking lots closed so that would limit the temptation for people bring all their stuff and not following the "exercise only" rule.

Sandy Bailey
66 Oak View Cir W
Palm Coast
Good Day All;
I believe a limited opening would be possible and beneficial.
The rules I've seen posted for beaches in FL and GA are quite simple: no towels, no chairs, no umbrellas and no gatherings for sports or parties.
As a frequent walker/runner/ bicyclist I've seen the sidewalks and paths are more crowded than ever with the same (and dog walkers) and a "6ft rule" isn't being followed because people won't step off the sidewalk when passing.
Please open the beaches and relieve some of the pressure on the available public spaces.
Thank you;
Mark Stevens
Palm Coast
We are requesting that you consider opening the beaches for exercise only as other counties have done at the session on Monday, with social distancing of 6’ or more of course. It would be much appreciated. Thank you!

Thank you,
Paul R. Scheerer
15 Smiling Fish Lane
Palm Coast, FL 32137
Flagler county beaches are currently closed to all activity. The Governor’s recent Executive Order permits Essential Activities such as walking, running, hiking, fishing & swimming (collectively, “exercise”). The Governor’s Executive Order states that it supersedes any local action or order that may be in conflict.

Question: Will you please allow us to exercise on Flagler County beaches if only for limited 2-3 hour intervals so we don’t attract tourists to our area? A 10-noon & 4-6 exercise window would work at a minimum.

Thank you,

Julie Buffington

Sent from my iPhone
We live at 30 Sea Vista Drive in Palm Coast. A Semi-Private stretch of beach sits in front of our house and we have begrudgingly been obeying the beach closure. This however seems counter productive. We need to get out and walk to get fresh air and exercise. This is particularly critical to our mental health in this difficult time. We ask that people be allowed to walk, run, and swim and that restrictions only forbid gatherings. We are currently forced to walk the sidewalks of the neighborhood and in fact social distancing in this situation is more difficult when walking on the beach.

We appreciate your consideration and recognize the very difficult job you are doing.

Thank you for your service

Liz and James Wright
Mr. Chairman and Commissioners, I respectfully request that you consider immediately opening the County portion of Flagler Beach for exercise. On Friday, April 3rd, the Volusia County Council directed that all of Volusia County Beaches, Ormond, Daytona, Daytona Beach Shores, Ponce Inlet, New Smyrna, and non-incorporated beaches be re-opened for exercise. (See attached D. B. News Journal article) The State of Hawaii has also continued to allowed citizens and tourists to engage in ocean recreation, surfing, swimming, etc.

I am mindful and acutely aware of the dangers of close proximity socializing in light of the corona virus epidemic. But, our citizens need relief from the stresses arising from this health crisis. Lost jobs, closed businesses, closed schools, restricted travel and no end in sight. The result is boredom, depression, insecurity, fear, substance-abuse, domestic violence and even suicide. Moms and dads are "confined to quarters” with one or more children of all ages. Senior citizens are going to the grocery store and the post office nearly every day. The cure is becoming worse than the disease.

Flagler County is blessed with long, spacious, sparsely peopled beaches. There is no logical or medical reason for Flagler Citizens to be denied the use of their beaches for exercise and reasonable recreation while practicing necessary and appropriate social distancing.

I am a lifetime resident of Flagler and Volusia Counties and have been in public service most of my adult life. I served in the US Army as both enlisted and as an officer. People respect and follow good leaders who have the courage to do what is right in times of crisis. It is easy to do nothing or hide within the herd. People are tired of hearing supposed “leaders” say that they are going to "err on the side of caution,” an over-used cliché for not having the courage to make a sound decision.

I worked as a Daytona Beach and Volusia County lifeguard for 10 very busy summer seasons while going to college. It is not dangerous for a lifeguard to walk up to someone on the beach and tell them to observe the social distancing protocol. If concerned, the guard or police officer could wear a face mask or a bandanna.

I hope that you will immediately open the County portion of our beaches for reasonable safe use, and urge the City of Flagler Beach to do the same.

Thank you for your consideration and leadership.
John and Marsha Tanner
I am in agreement with what another resident has written.
“Public health is very important. We are all making sacrifices. Outdoor physical activity is important to boost immunity & reduce stress & anxiety. It is an essential activity expressly permitted by the Governor’s Executive Order, which supersedes any local orders that are in conflict. We can all exercise responsibly”. I would hope that we can keep our beaches open for local residents. The ocean breeze along with the sunshine uplifts our spirits.

Thank you

Sent from Mail for Windows 10
Thank you for taking my question.
My name is Karen Kirschbaum. I am wondering why there is a ban on walking/exercising on the beach w/wo ones dog. Right now everybody is walking on the streets which is just the pits. What is the reason for not allowing pet owners to go for walks. (Picking up after - goes without saying). Please reconsider to reopen the beach at Jungle Hut. Thank you.

Sent from my Sprint Phone.
Hello,

My wife and I would like to see you investigate reopening the beaches per the Governor's guidelines. We live 1 mile south of Marineland in the Beach Haven community. As long as everyone practices social distancing should be one safest places "besides your home " to be.

Thank you,

Charlie Gabbard
19 Shady Oak Lane
Palm Coast, Florida

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Please consider access to our beaches for walking, running, swimming, etc. like they have in Daytona Beach.

Thanks.

Sent from Mail for Windows 10
Luci Dance

From: keith ray <keithray7115@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 6:33 AM
To: Public Comments
Subject: Beach Closure

What on earth does the county think that closing the beach is helping? You have more of a chance of getting sick by going to Publix or Wal-mart. What does it hurt to take my kids fishing or to look at the water? I didn't see any large gatherings the last day the beaches were open. Open the beaches and then enforce the rules about social distancing. If the county would put as much effort in that as they do the Turtles everyone will be fine with the beach open. So again, Please open the beaches.
Luci Dance

From: Mark Langello <mark@buildmm.com>
Sent: Sunday, April 5, 2020 8:28 PM
To: Public Comments; Julie Murphy, MPIO
Cc: 'Donald O'Brien'; 'Joe Mullins'; Gregory Hansen; cericksen@cfl.rr.com; David Sullivan
Subject: Public Comment April 6, 2020 meeting Consent agenda Item #7b

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Julie,

Please read the following at the April 6, 2020 Commission meeting pertaining to consent agenda item # 7b:

Public Comment by Mark Langello, N. Oceanshore Blvd, Flagler County

“ I would like clarity of the County’s Emergency Order 2020-01 to close the beaches of Flagler County. This order seems not to differentiate between people who come to visit the public beaches, and private property owners like myself who own the land all the way into the tide. The sheriff’s officers have asked everyone, including the landowners to vacate the beach. I questioned them if this order pertained to removing people from their own private property, and they said they don’t have any direction either way, and would ask everyone to vacate.

While I wholly agree with the concept of stopping the social gathering on the public beaches to help slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus, the miles of beaches behind private property has never had many visitors, in normal times, and both the blanket order to remove them and the time and expense of the police to patrol by vehicle and by air is a waste of time and not accomplishing anything positive.

At the same time the police are asked, and are devoting time to enforce this order behind private property, across the street from my house this weekend several out of town roadside vendors are set up in a parking lot selling flowering plants in pots, and tourist trinkets to people who are driving by. There were more than ten of them doing this, plus the many cars who stopped by. This seemed much more of a public safety risk than stopping a landowner from stepping foot in his back yard where there are no people. I called the sheriff’s office and reported this roadside vending around noon on Saturday, but they remained open all weekend with people stopping and getting out to shop.
I respectfully ask that the county Emergency Order 2020-01 on March 22, 2020 closing the parks and beaches be clarified and that the order not prohibit the private property owners who live on the dunes from using the property in their backyard as part of this order. With people asked to stay home to protect the general public, it seems ironic that these taxpayers are told to get out of their own property. The outdoor recreation that we all need during these trying times should also be recognized and should not be an illegal act in your own backyard.”

(398 words)

Julie,

I will probably not be able to watch or participate in this meeting so could you please send me an email with the response to my question after the meeting?

Thank you

Mark Langello

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mark@buildmm.com

Virus-free. www.avg.com
Hi,

My wife and I live in Marineland Acres.

We hereby respectfully request the Commissioners consider modifying Flagler County's Beach Closing Order, specifically to permit exercise such as walking, but not any form of loitering.

My wife and I have taken all possible steps to avoid catching or transmitting this virus. We have abided by the beach closure since it went into effect and will continue to do so, but see the complete closure as senseless. The risk of transmission during a walk on the beach is negligible; certainly no greater than a walk anywhere else.

Thus our recommendation: No beach chairs, no tents or umbrellas, no towels spread on the beach, no loitering, but please allow us the last remaining vestige of a normal life, our daily walk on the beach.

Sincerely,

Uwe & Linda Ross
63 Moody Drive
County Commissioners,

Like Flagler County, Volusia has closed their beaches in a completely logical and understandable abundance of caution. One difference is Volusia is still allowing beaches to be used for exercise purposes, such as running, swimming, and surfing, as long as those utilizing the beach for such purpose do so in a safe manner in accordance with new social protocol and the Gov's EO. I understand the need to keep the beach by the pier closed as well as limiting the amount of parking beachside in an attempt to keep our residents safe and healthy in these uncertain times, but is allowing the use of the beach for recreational activities such as running, swimming, and surfing something you would consider? There are many beachside residents who use it for these exact purposes and feel hindered in our pursuit of a healthy lifestyle. That being said I appreciate your vigilance and continuing effort to keep us safe. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely

Andrew Koswaski
S. Flagler Beach Resident
Mr. Chairman and Commissioners,

Please publish the attached social media posting to be read aloud and filed as public comment during tomorrow's “virtual” County Commission meeting scheduled for 9:00 AM, this Monday, April 6th.

Our organization (Preserve Flagler Beach & Bulow Creek) endorses the County’s ongoing and proposed projects undertaken to restore the beach dunes, thereby protecting the homes, businesses, beach, and Hwy. A1A from future Atlantic Hurricane and Storm damage.

In support of Flagler County’s “SHORE UP THE SHORE CAMPAIGN”, we have published the attached post on our organization’s Facebook Pg. (Preserve Flagler Beach & Bulow Creek) and our Web site. (preserveflaglerbeachbulowcreek.org)

We understand how important it is to obtain signed easements from EVERY property owner between South 6th St. and South 28th St. in Flagler Beach. We have also emailed this posted information directly to our hundreds of members and supporters.

Thank you for your diligence in continuing to conduct County (The People’s) business "In the Sunshine”. You have provided easy access for all citizens to participate in the meeting via the posted County email link.

Your consideration for the concerns of the people in your decision making is encouraging during this time of National crisis brought on by the corona virus.

Please let me know if there is anything that our organization can do to assist the County in promoting the Shore Up The Shore Campaign.

Respectfully yours,

Elizabeth Hathaway, Pres.
Preserve Flagler Beach & Bulow Creek, Inc
4/5/2020
Hurricane season begins on June 1st, less than two months from now.

Recent hurricanes washed away most of the natural dunes that protected your property, the beach and A1A. Unless you protect your property, you'll probably lose more of it this year and every year in the future because more hurricanes will come.

Don’t remain a victim of giant waves, surging tides and 100+ mph winds. DON’T BUY into the negative attitude that you are “helpless.” Hurricanes will come, but YOU can help mitigate the damage, restore your property and our beach when the winds and waves subside.

PLEASE -- TODAY, sign the easement that was mailed to you, and grant the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers permission to begin restoring the sand dunes on your part of the oceanfront.

Flagler County has an agreement with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to replenish the natural dunes from South 6th Street to South 28th Street, in Flagler Beach. The sand needed to build up the dunes will be pumped from an offshore, ocean-bottom site, 10 miles out. Native vegetation will be planted on the restored dunes.

The $7.5 million project will be paid entirely through state and federal grants. The actual value of the project, including the ocean bottom sand exceeds $18 million. The Corps of Engineers will come back for the next 50 years, as needed, and restore the dunes without additional time-consuming delays or permitting. (Your taxes will NOT increase, nor will your dune walkover be damaged or jeopardized.)

PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, YOUR NEIGHBORS' AND OUR BEACH

If you own ocean-front property between South 6th Street and South 28th Street in Flagler Beach, PLEASE, SIGN YOUR EASEMENT NOW. Give your consent for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to restore the dunes along your property.

Once this project is completed, your property and that of your neighbors will be safer and more valuable. All of us will be able to enjoy a wider, more resilient beach.

At last count, 80 percent of your neighbors have signed their easement. They need you to join them in a united front. The ocean does not discriminate. If you let it, the ocean will take EVERYTHING from all of us. Any gap in the dunes will create a weak point that will undermine your neighbors’ dune protection on each side of you. We will be stronger if we are united, facing the storms to come.

If you have any questions, need another copy of the easement or assistance to notarize and witness your documents, call (386) 313-4040.

Flagler County has created an easy-to-access website: www.shoreuptheshore.org/. This site provides detailed information, frequently asked questions, and easy-to-understand explanations.

Thank you,

Preserve Flagler Beach and Bulow Creek, Inc.
Luci Dance

From: Dick Card <DickCard@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 10:08 AM
To: Public Comments
Subject: Please re-open beaches.

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Richard J. Card

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From: mbr <utk4student@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 10:53 AM
To: Public Comments
Subject: Request

Please pass this comment to the appropriate group.

A limited opening of beaches & possibly a park is doable possible and beneficial. The rules posted for many beaches in FL and GA are simple: no sunbathing, no chairs, no umbrellas and no gatherings for sports or parties. Open for exercise (swim, walk, surf, bicycle, etc.) & fishing only. As a daily walker & bicyclist, we’ve seen the sidewalks and paths are much more crowded. As all trails, parks, etc are closed. Please open the beaches and relieve some of the pressure on the available public spaces.

Thank you,
two voters: Jim & Marty
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No I heard the chairman’s comments to the rest of the board, thank you.

I would like to know if the administrator or BOCC looking for specific data or events to occur before opening the beaches at least for exercise or at least for Flagler County residents. I heard they are “monitoring the situation” but what does that mean? Are they playing it by ear or have a real plan?

Your question was addressed when Jonathan Lord and Jerry Cameron made follow up comments. Would you still like me to ask this during the second public comment portion of the meeting?

Flagler County is committed to keeping our community and our economy healthy.
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From: Panlilio, David <David.PANLILIO@jacobs.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 9:48 AM
To: Public Comments <PublicComments@flaglercounty.org>
Subject: RE: BOCC meeting 4.6.20

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Why is BOCC patting itself on the back on the COVID numbers compared to other counties. Don’t they realize they have 20% the population of Volusia County?

From: Public Comments <PublicComments@flaglercounty.org>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 9:14 AM
To: Panlilio, David <David.PANLILIO@jacobs.com>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: BOCC meeting 4.6.20

Thank you, your comment will be represented.

Public Comments

E: PublicComments@flaglercounty.org | V: 386-313-4001 | W: www.flaglercounty.org

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From: Panlilio, David <David.PANLILIO@jacobs.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 9:09 AM
To: Public Comments <PublicComments@flaglercounty.org>
Subject: BOCC meeting 4.6.20

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Can the beach access restriction be relaxed similar to Volusia and Brevard County to allow for exercise (surfing, running, walking, swimming, fishing etc) while maintaining social distancing?

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We wholeheartedly feel that allowing BARRIER ISLAND RESIDENTS ACCESS FOR BEACH WALKS/EXERCISE WITHOUT USE OF A TOWEL, CHAIR OR UMBRELLA. WALKING OR RUNNING ONLY. WITH OR WITHOUT A PET.
Not allowing more people over the bridge to do this. Only allowing island residents the ability to beach walk. With Proof of residency.

People are driving from all over as it is to walk A1A sidewalks in Flagler. Making beach streets more packed with cars n people than normal. Once we are into this lock down/stay at home order, for a few more weeks, we could see even more people accessing fresh air!

I believe Cocoa Beach has done this as well, switched the warnings to exclude beachside residents.

Please consider this.

Thank you
Michele Abel
There are some of us who actually live at and for the beach. The wind and waves are our life force. Maybe some of these people who are against it need to show their ADDRESS. Beachside only.

Most of us who live over here respect the Ocean, it feeds us. Salt does kill most. Cancer does not live in the ocean! It's about the only free and open space left in this country. Little by little they will pick away at the edges until there is no more beach left to stand on that isn't privately or GOVT owned.

The mood and mind shift I get when just getting close to the beach, as I walk closer and closer and further east, positively astounds me! Just as a walk thru the Trees does.

What about the fishermen?? Used to be a lot more of us over here in the hammock! Less and less since the 4 wheeler activity stopped. (Flagler had highest turtle count of any county when they passed that law to protect sea turtle. Which I agree need protecting. But restrict recreational quad riding. Not slow fishermen w poles n tackle boxes attached to their 4 wheeler.)

Please allow island / beachside residents w proof of residency, to cross the sand to swim! Ocean is free.

Allow fishermen to fish in a free Ocean.

Allow residents w proof if residency, access to walk and run on the sand along the Ocean.

Gatherings of less than 4/5 people
Walk, run. Nonstop to talk or sitting to sunbathe. KEEP MOVING!

Fishermen. 1 fisherman at a time.?
Or during certain tides/hours.

Heck, I think we just all want to walk but I tell you, less Publix more eating Fish.

This is tricky but we need to keep walking the sand. We love over here for a reason. Maybe those who live west or over the bridge are more likely to NOT go to the beach 2 x per day, everyday, their whole life. SO ITS A QUALITY OF LIFE ISSUE

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