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MayorRoss: In the meantime I want to say welcome to everyone. I
appreciate you. Meeting on candidly short notice. It is important we
are.
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MayorRoss: At least I am excited about what's going on with the Ila
right now. We're in the midst of having it passed by
00:00:30.840 --> 00:00:35.420
MayorRoss: a majority of the commissions, and we are
00:00:37.130 --> 00:00:42.660
MayorRoss: faced with a and actually 5 different issues, if you will.
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MayorRoss: That was brought up by the county at their County
commission meeting, where they unanimously passed the Ila. They had 5
different modifications, and Mr. Chair, would you like to roll call
before we get into
00:00:57.980 --> 00:01:00.360
MayorRoss: sure substance
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Mary Lou Tighe: chair, Ross?
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00:01:03.640 --> 00:01:04.750
MayorRoss: I am here.
00:01:05.230 --> 00:01:06.410
Mary Lou Tighe: but sure for
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MayorRoss: you're muted. But I assume you're here.
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Mary Lou Tighe: Vice Mayor Welch.
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Sandra Welch: Yeah.
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00:01:21.310 --> 00:01:22.680
Mary Lou Tighe: Mr. Glassman.
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00:01:22.840 --> 00:01:24.190
Commissioner Steven Glassman: Good morning. Here.
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00:01:25.110 --> 00:01:26.480
Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner Good
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00:01:29.170 --> 00:01:30.360
Mary Lou Tighe: Mayor Harden.
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00:01:31.980 --> 00:01:33.260
Mary Lou Tighe: Mayor Ryan
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00:01:33.590 --> 00:01:34.390
Michael Ryan: present
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00:01:34.920 --> 00:01:36.370
Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner Morrison.
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00:01:37.040 --> 00:01:38.060
Bob Mayersohn: I'm here.
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00:01:38.650 --> 00:01:39.970
Mary Lou Tighe: Mayor Gomez.
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00:01:40.110 --> 00:01:40.850
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: Morning.
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00:01:41.170 --> 00:01:42.820
Mary Lou Tighe: Mr. Chair, you have a quorum.
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MayorRoss: Terrific. As as I was saying, I welcome you on on the short
notice. We have a limited agenda, 5 different issues.
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MayorRoss: and before I begin getting into the sum and substance of
it, i'll turn it over to being fur for welcoming. As well.
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00:01:59.840 --> 00:02:07.560
Beam Furr: Thanks, Mayor, and I share your excitement as well. It was
nice to see the county pass it. Greg and I have had a chance to go to
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00:02:07.620 --> 00:02:13.650
Beam Furr: a couple of city commissions. and it's it's nice to see
that it's it's being welcomed.
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00:02:13.920 --> 00:02:18.180
Beam Furr: I know that I know the county put in a couple of wrinkles
here at the last minute.
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Beam Furr: Most of them, I think, were actually good additions.
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00:02:22.810 --> 00:02:27.150
Beam Furr: you know. I think they were not just for the county's
benefit. These were actually
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00:02:27.320 --> 00:02:29.090
Beam Furr: for the authorities benefit
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00:02:29.270 --> 00:02:33.000
Beam Furr: in in in terms of providing clarity on a few things
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00:02:33.110 --> 00:02:42.190
Beam Furr: so and I and I imagine we'll see that from said it some
cities, too. that they'll probably add some clarity where it might be
needed.
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Beam Furr: This is a long contract, so we want to get it right on the
front end.
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Beam Furr: We do have an issue today that you know. Hopefully we can
come to terms with. But other than that, i'm excited. It's nice to get
it passed at least on on the county's end.
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Beam Furr: and look forward to to, as Greg says, all 31 cities being a
part of this.
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00:03:03.790 --> 00:03:04.900
MayorRoss: I Thank you
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00:03:05.010 --> 00:03:12.680
MayorRoss: all right, if we can. I'd like to get started in Mayor
Loop. Can you grow up on the screen? The first
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00:03:12.820 --> 00:03:15.650
MayorRoss: modification that the county has requested.
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00:03:21.360 --> 00:03:22.980
Mary Lou Tighe: I think Sally is going to put that up.
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00:03:25.870 --> 00:03:28.790
Mary Lou Tighe: We're also gonna drop it into the chat.
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00:03:29.270 \longrightarrow 00:03:30.710
MayorRoss: Thank you very much.
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00:03:33.990 --> 00:03:38.570
MayorRoss: Okay. so is that Mr. Chair.
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00:03:38.810 --> 00:03:47.990
Beam Furr: Mayor Mayor, would you think it would be good for Drew
Myers? I was going to say any of the attorneys you you you there!
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Drew: I am here, everyone. 00:03:51.220 --> 00:04:00.850 MayorRoss: I I appreciate your attendance, and the first modification is a 3.1. If you would give a little history behind it in the defect 00:04:00.890 --> 00:04:18.510 Drew: of deleting it, sure; and if if you don't mind I'm. I'm confident on the first revision, this is accurate, but on the others Matt Nathaniel Jamie, and Mike. You know we've gone through several versions of this, so I just want to make sure I know it's not the current version of Number 4, 48 00:04:18.510 --> 00:04:32.590 Drew: but I also want to make sure that it is the current version of the other one. So again, on the first one, not a problem. This is just a a lapsed statutory reference. It should not have been in there, and actually, unlike a lot of references, could 00:04:32.680 --> 00:04:40.070 Drew: could create a wrong perception. So we think it should be deleted. I don't think Mike or Jamie disagree at all. 50 00:04:40.900 --> 00:04:43.780 MayorRoss: and if they do, let them chime in right now. 51 00:04:43.800 --> 00:04:58.490 MayorRoss: not hearing anything from there. This is Jamie. I I do agree that that should be removed. I don't think that, by the way, if that was the only change I would feel it's a non substantive change 52 00:04:58.500 --> 00:05:12.010 Jamie Cole: that most of the cities have approved the agreement have a provision that says that that the manager and the attorneys can make non substantial changes, so that would be one. I don't think it's substantial, and I do think it should be deleted. 53 00:05:12.290 --> 00:05:14.870 MayorRoss: Then i'm going to do it. 54

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MayorRoss: I Mike, you agree.
00:05:19.230 --> 00:05:21.180
MayorRoss: I'm sorry. Was that Mike Cerilla?
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00:05:21.810 --> 00:05:37.310
MayorRoss: I'm sorry. Yes, it was. I was trying to mute real fast and
not talk over you. But yes, I agree with Jamie. Okay, I thank you very
much. Then I'm going to do it the formal way, and ask for a motion to
approve the deletion of Chapter 189.4 one. Yes.
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00:05:37.610 --> 00:05:41.690
MayorRoss: Commissioner Meerson has his hand raised. I thank you very
much. Commissioner
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Bob Mayersohn: Yeah. I was gonna do the same thing that you were just,
you know, asked for a motion to approve, so i'll make that motion.
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00:05:48.280 --> 00:05:50.710
MayorRoss: I thank you very much. Do I have a second
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00:05:52.600 --> 00:05:53.540
Beam Furr: a second.
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00:05:53.560 --> 00:05:58.260
MayorRoss: Thank you very much. Any further discussion. hearing none
Call for a vote.
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00:06:03.910 --> 00:06:05.800
MayorRoss: Chair Ross. Yes.
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00:06:07.400 --> 00:06:11.250
Mary Lou Tighe: Nice chair for Vice Mayor Welch.
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00:06:11.630 --> 00:06:12.480
Sandra Welch: Yes.
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Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner Glassman.
00:06:15.130 --> 00:06:16.090
Commissioner Steven Glassman: Yes.
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Mary Lou Tighe: Mayor Ryan.
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00:06:20.540 --> 00:06:24.360
Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner Mayerson. Mayor Gomez.
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00:06:24.500 --> 00:06:25.230
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: Yes.
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MayorRoss: the motion passes unanimously.
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Drew: sure. Well, why don't? I just give you a little bit of the
history because it did bounce back and forth a little bit. But can I
excuse me? Can I first please have confirmation from my colleagues?
This is the current draft.
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Matthew Haber: It appears to be
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Drew: okay, very good. So what what led to this was? It was a comment
by one of the County Commissioners that this is a very long term
agreement, and it's possible that the Legislature would pop in and
change some laws
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00:07:08.850 --> 00:07:27.890
Drew: that would put us between a rock and a hard place, in terms of
being both compliant with the agreement and compliant with the change
law. So what we first drafted was a provision that said, and i'll give
you a a good example that might impact the county. Not that it would
ever happen, but it it might illustrate the point.
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Drew: you know. Presumably this group. The authority is going to come up with a robust recycling program with a lot of specifics.

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Drew: and then the Legislature pops in 10 years later and says that each county must

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Drew: mandate compliance with the following recycling provisions.

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Drew: So now the county is in a difficult position when we drafted it. What we said was, If the law changes.

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Drew: Maybe there's some obligation to challenge it, but if we challenge it, then you know nobody's in in breach we have to comply with the applicable law. But then Jamie and Mike made a what I thought was a very good point

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Drew: that we want to try to preserve whatever sort of legislative impairment claim. We think we may be able to develop at the time. And who knows what this state of the law will be at that time. So, instead of saying it's not a breach. It's written in terms of nobody's liable for the damages

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Drew: if they end up challenging it, and it lays out a couple of different provisions for challenge.

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Drew: We don't think this is gonna come up, but if it does, it sort of makes the parties actually challenge things that could undermine the authority of the authority. Sorry for using the same word, and and also, you know, relieves them from liability. If things happen beyond their control

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Drew: that put them into a basically. A difficult position.

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Drew: So that's where we are with it.

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MayorRoss: I I appreciate that Drew. Are there any questions by any of the members on 19.14,

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MayorRoss: lays out the process clearly

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Jamie Cole: hearing no questions. Do I have a motion, Mayor? This is Jamie. If I can just comment on this first. Yeah, we we did go over this land. We did not like the the first draft of this the way it's drafted. Now we don't. At least i'll speak for myself, and I think I can speak for Michael too. We don't really have a problem with it.

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Jamie Cole: We don't necessarily think it's important or necessary. I I think it would have been fine without it. I don't think it really does anything.

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Jamie Cole: I don't see anything negative about it. So if the county really wants it, I don't see any reason why we wouldn't do it, because I don't see it hurting any party. I do think this is a substantial change that would

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Jamie Cole: mean that cities that have already approved. It will need to reapprove it. With this change. It appears there will be other changes as well that are substantial. But this is not something that

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Jamie Cole: that I would feel comfortable telling a city manager that it's a non-substantial change, that that the manager can just approve with the attorney's acquiescence. So this will mean that whatever has been approved already by cities will have to be approved

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00:10:10.820 --> 00:10:12.520 Jamie Cole: in a revised way.

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MayorRoss: I appreciate that, Mike any anything additional.
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00:10:16.210 --> 00:10:20.660
Michael Cirullo: Now again, Jamie and I have been in touch, and I
agree with with that as well.
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00:10:21.430 --> 00:10:28.240
Mary Lou Tighe: I appreciate it, and Mayor Ryan and Vice Chair for
have their hands raised. Thank you, Mayor Ryan.
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00:10:28.690 --> 00:10:30.120
Michael Ryan: Thank you. I I
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Michael Ryan: What's going to ask Jamie what impact this has on
municipalities that have already approved this. I I I want to make the
point here. Obviously I've expressed my frustration that we're getting
substantive changes. I believe this is a substance change, and you
know we can't be cavalier about that. I don't want any
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00:10:48.540 --> 00:10:56.440
Michael Ryan: concerns and challenges later. How many municipalities
now will have to go back and reapprove this. Do we know.
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00:10:57.830 --> 00:11:00.670
MayorRoss: I believe, that there may be about 5
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MayorRoss: that have a 5, if not 6, have approved it.
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Mary Lou Tighe: I I I believe that number is 4,
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Mary Lou Tighe: as one of the cities that approved, approved all 5
amendments.
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Michael Ryan: I'm sorry i'm not sure. I understood that we have cities that have approved the amendments already? Do we have cities or municipalities that have not approved these amendments that have to go back. Now, I believe that number is for

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Michael Ryan: right. So we have 4 that have not yet who approved the previous Ila that this working group

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00:11:39.360 --> 00:11:44.410

Michael Ryan: unanimously passed, and now they have to go back and look how many have passed it with

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Mary Lou Tighe: these amendments? One.

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Michael Ryan: Okay.

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Michael Ryan: with respect to the 4 that have to assuming this this pass today and all of these past today. What is the plan from the from council or League to make sure that happens expeditiously

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MayorRoss: as as soon as this hearing this meeting is over, and determining what a transpires. Then we will be notifying the 4 city managers and city attorneys

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MayorRoss: that things have changed, that they need to go back and let them handle it on an expeditious manner.

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Michael Ryan: Okay. And then, finally, as we go through this, Jamie, I think it's helpful to cleave that which is substantive, and that which is not

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Michael Ryan: so that we're clear on which of those matters it's obviously helpful to have

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Michael Ryan: it approved by
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Michael Ryan: in its entirety by each of the municipal commissions or
councils.
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Michael Ryan: But I think it's important in terms of going forward to
be able to have this dialogue with the city managers, so that we don't
run into a situation where the county suggests some new changes that
they believe is non-subsitive, and we end up in
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Michael Ryan: you know, a a pickle between substance and non substance
going forward. So, Jamie, thank you and Michael thank you for that
work as we go through the rest of these amendments today. I hope we
will also delineate that. Thank you. Thank you, Mr. Chair. Not a
problem I have, Commissioner, fur I was just going to do a motion to
approve when you're ready. That's all.
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00:13:25.670 --> 00:13:28.020
MayorRoss: Thank you. Any further discussion.
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MayorRoss: hearing none bean
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Beam Furr: motion to approve.
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00:13:33.550 --> 00:13:34.970
MayorRoss: Do I have a second?
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00:13:36.190 --> 00:13:38.510
Bob Mayersohn: I have a question. I have a question
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00:13:38.600 --> 00:13:45.340
MayorRoss: I i'm sorry, David, I appreciate your question, but that's
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not the a parting party right now do I have a second

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: second.
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00:13:49.210 --> 00:13:55.210
MayorRoss: Thank you very much. Any further discussion on it. hearing
none call the boat merely
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Mary Lou Tighe: chair. Ross.
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00:13:58.070 --> 00:14:00.180
MayorRoss: Yes.
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00:14:00.190 --> 00:14:00.900
Beam Furr: yes.
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Mary Lou Tighe: Vice Mayor Welch.
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00:14:02.650 --> 00:14:03.580
Sandra Welch: Yes.
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00:14:04.050 --> 00:14:06.510
Commissioner Steven Glassman: Commissioner Glassman, Yes,
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00:14:06.640 --> 00:14:10.310
Mary Lou Tighe: Mayor Ryan. Commissioner Meerson.
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00:14:10.380 --> 00:14:11.220
Bob Mayersohn: Yes.
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00:14:11.380 --> 00:14:13.360
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: Mayor Gomez. Yes.
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00:14:13.380 --> 00:14:14.750
Mary Lou Tighe: motion passes.
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MayorRoss: Thank you very much, and Drew, I'll ask you to handle 19.15

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00:14:32.620 --> 00:14:34.470 Jamie Cole: through your muted.

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Drew: But what you said was brilliant, drew all of you I sound. I sound best that way. Thank you for all. Letting me go for a while. Let me try and replicate the the non magic that came out of my mouth a second ago.

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Drew: So you know, this one, I think, is very important for for all of us. Basically it's going to take a little bit 18 months, maybe as much as 2 years for the authority to to be fully formed, have all of its powers to be able to take these substantive actions. We know that in the interim

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Drew: the county has to do certain things in terms of solid waste disposal capacity to make sure that we're ready for the period immediately after July second, or so of 2,028,

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Drew: when our current agreement will have expired. But the whatever facilities may end up being developed pursuing to this agreement might not be online yet. So whatever we do on that front, and whatever we may want to try to develop on the

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Drew: recycling front, those would be things that are offered to the authority or to the municipalities. We can't compel anyone to take it. but we have to have the capacity available, at least on the the pure disposal side to make sure we meet our statutory responsibilities. So this just basically recognizes, and I think it builds on existing language in the agreement. But it recognizes that

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Drew: during this period of time the county can take these interim actions, and it it does reference the authority, and I apologize the the Prince Small, even with my my glasses on. But it's mindful of the

authorities rightful role, and the fact that we can't compel

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Drew: municipalities to accept all of this, All we can do is make sure we have something to offer.

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Drew: and it would be done with full collaboration. I think it says that in there, somewhere also, somebody with better eyes can

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Drew: can let me know.

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Drew: It says opportunities, I believe, for collaboration. But in any event that that's what it's designed to. It's just interim powers pending the formation conditions being completely met.

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MayorRoss: I appreciate that. Do I have any questions? Discussions on this item.

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MayorRoss: I'm. Just going to say, Mr. Chair, for the purposes of this back and forth if we could.

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MayorRoss: after Drew makes his presentation, Ask Jamie or Michael to make there, so that we have the assistance of council. Thank you.

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MayorRoss: Jamie.

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Jamie Cole: Sure this is this is Jamie. We this language we did go through with with through and the toe county folks, and we had some issues with it, but it was

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Jamie Cole: the way it's drafted. Now it does have provisions that

that does require some collaboration with the authority. It also the most important thing is, there's a provision that says that the authority will not be bound by any agreement without its consent. So if the county does do something.

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Jamie Cole: it's not binding on the authority.

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Jamie Cole: This is a provision that doesn't

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Jamie Cole: we, you know. Michael and I both felt wasn't really necessary, because

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Jamie Cole: basically all i'm saying is, there's nothing in this agreement that stops the county from doing certain things before the formation conditions are done. There's nothing in the agreement that stops them from doing it. So this just says there's nothing in the agreement that stops them from doing it, which is correct. There's nothing in the agreement that stops from doing it. So

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00:17:56.440 --> 00:17:58.140 Jamie Cole: this is one that was

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Jamie Cole: border line between, whether it's a substantial change or not, because it doesn't really do anything, since the other amendment has already been passed, and the cities will be forced to re, you know, re approve, anyway, with the changes it doesn't really make much of a difference.

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Jamie Cole: But this is one that that possibly could have been done without a going back to the cities. But bottom line is there's really nothing in here that is overly concerning it doesn't really do anything, but it does make a statement that the county wants. So I don't see any reason why we wouldn't be willing to do that

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Mary Lou Tighe: Mr. Chair. I see Mayor Gomez's hand, vice chair, first

hand, and Mr. Meyer's hand.

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MayorRoss: Okay, fair enough. I appreciate that. There with me for a moment. Let me go from Jamie to Mike. Anything additional.

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Michael Cirullo: Thank you, Mayor. No. Again Jamie and I had been talking about these things, and we're on the same page as the meeting and import of this and and again, but for the fact that another item was substance. If this was the only change, I think we could have been comfortable, having it be non-subsitive, but since it has to go back anyway

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Michael Cirullo: to those 4 cities, it might as well to send everything back to those 4 cities.

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MayorRoss: Okay.

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MayorRoss: Having said that, i'll go back to Drew, followed by Mayor Gomez, followed by Commissioner for

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Drew: Thank you, Mayor Ross Teras: yeah. The only other thing I wanted to point out. That's a little bit different from the way we've all described it is, and maybe someone mentioned it, and I. I just just ignored it. But there's a provision at the very end. That also says that, you know, recognizes. It's possible that some municipalities

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Drew: won't be joining on to the authority. And so what that does is it gives the county the authority to make sure that solid waste disposal capacity is available to those municipalities that would not be limited limited to just before the formation conditions are met.

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Drew: and chances are very high that the county would just say. But here's your opportunity for capacity. You go ahead and contract with the authority

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00:20:02.650 --> 00:20:10.960

Drew: independently. So that's how we would likely meet it. But we do need to maintain that authority going forward just in case some municipalities Don't. Join on.

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00:20:11.350 --> 00:20:13.710

MayorRoss: Thank you. Mayor Gomez.

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00:20:14.570 --> 00:20:16.490

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: Thank you very much.

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00:20:17.830 --> 00:20:27.860

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: Is there a way to write in the agreement, potentially saying something that in if the county should make an agreement with another. it's d that they are

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00:20:28.470 --> 00:20:35.120

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: on notice that it does not automatically transfer to the authority, because it's one thing to have the

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00:20:35.460 --> 00:20:49.070

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: being in our agreement. But this way, when the accounting is making an agreement with others, we can't make the assumption that they are aware of us for the authority that's going to be place. And this way They know that if they there's a potential option

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00:20:49.360 --> 00:20:52.960

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: for transfer and approval by the authority. But it is not a given.

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00:20:53.080 --> 00:20:57.980

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: and this way there's no stoppel argument by that third party vendor who might come to say to us.

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00:20:58.530 --> 00:21:04.280

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: Well, I didn't know which, you know wouldn't be very good argument, but we just cut it off at the

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00:21:04.370 --> 00:21:05.140
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: means
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00:21:06.480 --> 00:21:07.410
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: to support.
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00:21:08.880 --> 00:21:23.250
MayorRoss: I will defer to the attorneys on that Mike Jamie, Mr.
Chair. Nathaniel has his hand raised to. Okay, i'll. I'll come to
nutan you in a moment, Mike or Jamie anything regarding what Mayor Gom
has indicated.
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00:21:23.660 --> 00:21:31.990
Jamie Cole: But there is a provision here that does require that if
the county enters into that agreement that the terms of that agreement
has a provision
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00:21:32.030 --> 00:21:40.040
Jamie Cole: permitting them to assign it to us. So there is something
that that will kind of put them on notice of the existence of the
authority.
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00:21:41.090 --> 00:21:47.020
Jamie Cole: So i'm not sure how that would play out. It's an
interesting idea. I'm not
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00:21:48.740 --> 00:21:52.030
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: well. It gives them
permission to assign to us. But in the same
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00:21:52.130 --> 00:22:02.590
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: kind of language does it say
it is not necessarily going to be given? You know the contract. It
says that it's already be given enough to, you know, subjectively with
help.
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00:22:02.840 --> 00:22:15.380
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: You know it. It doesn't. We
don't want to make it seem like it's an automatic. They want to make
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it seem like they have a done deal, or put any pressure on the

authority to say, oh, well, they've been doing it all along, and now we have no choice.

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00:22:16.050 --> 00:22:17.910

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: That's that's kind of where I was from.

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00:22:19.970 --> 00:22:24.970

Jamie Cole: Well, I don't want to speak for the county, because it, you know this is their language. They you know

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00:22:25.340 --> 00:22:30.620

Jamie Cole: that they're proposing. So if they're willing to add something like that, I mean I I certainly see no downside in it.

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00:22:30.690 --> 00:22:37.760

MayorRoss: I I appreciate it. Let me and beam. I'm not sliding you. But let me first go to yeah, good. We'll take care of that first. I appreciate that

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00:22:38.080 --> 00:22:48.090

Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: I. I was going to make the same comment that Jamie made, because the language there that you know the terms of the agreement permitting County to assign the agreement.

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00:22:48.140 --> 00:22:54.710

Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: I mean I we can certainly try to figure out a a voluntary language to to add to that, I think it's

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: minor that we can put something in there that would address Mayor Go message concern.

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00:23:01.590 --> 00:23:02.930

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: I'd appreciate that.

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00:23:03.010 --> 00:23:07.840

Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: I don't know if I again like Jamie, so I don't know if it's needed. But i'm sure we can figure something out relatively quickly.

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00:23:08.250 --> 00:23:16.230
Beam Furr: I appreciate that now, Commissioner for
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00:23:16.410 --> 00:23:22.290
Beam Furr: was even even though we're signing the global agreement
with wind waste and waste management
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00:23:22.490 --> 00:23:29.220
Beam Furr: for June 2,023 coming up with a lot of the cities There's a
lot of things that have to be.
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00:23:29.350 --> 00:23:34.850
Beam Furr: We have to be preparing for for the 2,028 global agreement.
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00:23:34.940 --> 00:23:38.250
Beam Furr: and and that we can't
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00:23:38.480 --> 00:23:46.460
Beam Furr: not be working on that at the same time. So I think that's
part of it. You know whether it's
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00:23:46.800 --> 00:23:52.700
Beam Furr: doing getting ours together, for you know Wts and all that
kind of stuff
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00:23:52.870 --> 00:23:55.530
Beam Furr: that work is needs to continue
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00:23:55.840 --> 00:23:58.910
Beam Furr: so. That's that's why it it makes sense to me.
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00:23:59.760 --> 00:24:05.280
MayorRoss: I appreciate that.
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00:24:05.730 --> 00:24:22.080
Drew: Thank you, Everyone I mean. Maybe this is just as simple as I,
if you want to PIN it down right now, I do, because we don't have any
other time through. Oh, well, I mean you can. You can trust the
lawyers as an easy one. But maybe if Jamie and Mike and Nathaniel and
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Matt, if it works

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00:24:22.080 --> 00:24:29.540

Drew: in the in the line that says, provided that we continue before the call, and we say, provided that in terms of such agreements with the parentheses there

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00:24:29.610 --> 00:24:38.620

Drew: call in, and then a is contained a provision permitting county to assign the agreements to the authority after the formation. Conditions of it met semicolon and B.

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00:24:38.680 --> 00:24:45.110

Drew: Specify, or expressly stay. that the authority is not bound by such agreements without its consent.

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00:24:45.650 --> 00:24:49.980

Drew: Maybe maybe that addresses it in a way that's efficient for May or governments.

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00:24:50.520 --> 00:25:00.670

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: I actually was looking for it to be in the agreement that the counting is going to be doing with him ever it's doing it's agreement in 20 in June.

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00:25:00.750 --> 00:25:06.520

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: So basically we put an item in here saying that the counties agreement will refer to.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: It has the option of being assigned.

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00:25:09.580 --> 00:25:13.760

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: but said, option is not quaranteed some kind of language in your agreement

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00:25:13.980 --> 00:25:15.880

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: that make I said more than

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00:25:16.670 --> 00:25:17.560

Drew: sure but

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00:25:17.640 --> 00:25:34.870

Drew: that and and that's Mayor a chair. That's what this is, I think so it's it's contracting for solid waste, disposal capacity with reasonable opportunities for coordination, etc., and such terms as Conditions County determines will benefit the public, provided that. And now it's referencing the terms of that agreement.

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00:25:35.390 --> 00:25:45.160

Drew: So the terms of that agreement would have to contain 2 things: the way that I talked about modifying it. Number one is a provision permitting us to assign it.

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00:25:45.190 --> 00:25:58.180

Drew: and number 2 a clear language. You know an express statement that the authority is not bound by such agreement without its consent. And if you want to say which may be withheld in its whole discretion, that's fine also.

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00:25:59.630 --> 00:26:02.050

Michael Cirullo: So you're basically moving the a.

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00:26:02.350 --> 00:26:09.710

Drew: Yes, Yes, my moving those few words at the beginning of a before the call in just so that qualifies both a and B.

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00:26:10.810 --> 00:26:13.270

Michael Cirullo: Right. So move it to after the word contain.

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00:26:15.310 --> 00:26:19.780

Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: I wasn't so much worried about semantics on our agreement.

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00:26:21.120 --> 00:26:35.800

Drew: No, no; but this is this is what saying has to be in the other agreement in order for the county to do this. Yeah, that it would say, provided that the terms of any such agreement contain a the first provision and B. The authority is not bound by such agreement without its consent.

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00:26:36.580 --> 00:26:38.660
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: I think I think that
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00:26:39.790 --> 00:26:42.070
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: that that would work
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00:26:43.140 --> 00:26:46.120
MayorRoss: all right. I appreciate that any other comments.
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00:26:47.930 --> 00:26:50.270
MayorRoss: hearing none, then do I have a motion.
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00:26:50.410 --> 00:26:55.020
MayorRoss: The the amended version
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00:26:55.780 --> 00:26:57.920
Beam Furr: motion to approve the amended version.
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00:26:59.120 --> 00:27:05.320
MayorRoss: Thank you. I have a a motion, and a second any further
discussion from anyone
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00:27:06.020 --> 00:27:08.270
MayorRoss: Hearing none. Mary Luke, please call the vote
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00:27:13.650 --> 00:27:17.750
Mary Lou Tighe: I share for Vice Mayor Welch.
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00:27:19.590 --> 00:27:20.430
Sandra Welch: Yes.
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00:27:21.540 \longrightarrow 00:27:22.940
Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner Glassman.
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00:27:23.070 --> 00:27:24.130
Commissioner Steven Glassman: Yes.
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Mary Lou Tighe: Mayor Ryan.
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00:27:28.100 --> 00:27:29.510
Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner Mayerson.
00:27:29.560 --> 00:27:30.450
Bob Mayersohn: Yes.
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00:27:30.470 --> 00:27:31.710
Mary Lou Tighe: Mayor Gomez.
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00:27:32.840 --> 00:27:33.610
Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: that's
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00:27:34.010 --> 00:27:35.320
Mary Lou Tighe: motion passes.
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00:27:35.660 --> 00:27:45.720
MayorRoss: Thank you very much. Before we go on to item 828. I'd like
to handle the the fifth item next through. Can you
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00:27:46.470 --> 00:27:47.550
MayorRoss: handle that?
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00:27:47.850 --> 00:28:07.370
Drew: Good, good idea, man. Thank you. Although we have other
language that we just sent back to to Jamie and to Mike that we
discussed on the phone that hopefully gets us where we need to be on
Number 4 also. But it is going to take a little bit of of extra time.
Yeah. So all this.
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00:28:08.250 --> 00:28:23.570
Drew: And so that's number. That's number 4, right? So number 5 at the
end. Okay, and and and Matt. I thought there was another clause
that went. No, maybe it doesn't. Okay. So all this does is in the
interim is, as everyone knows, the intention is for
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Drew: the maximum financial exposure of the parties to be 6 million

dollars. Let's say over a 3 year period

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Drew: prior to the time that the special assessments or user fees, or whatever else can be established.

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Drew: But there are some things the authority could theoretically do in the interim, even before the formation conditions are met that could cost the party some money. So this just makes clear that prior to the formation conditions being met.

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Drew: the authority is not going to take action that obligates the parties, or any resident to expend money other than that 6 million dollars that's provided for it. Section 5.4.

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00:29:01.410 --> 00:29:02.340

MayorRoss: Thank you.

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00:29:02.380 --> 00:29:04.790 MayorRoss: Jamie and or Mike.

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Jamie Cole: This is another one that we don't really think does anything we don't think it's necessary. We don't think the authority really has the ability to obligate any party or a resident

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00:29:17.200 --> 00:29:21.310

Jamie Cole: to spend money other than is in 5, 4 part of the formation conditions.

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Jamie Cole: But again, it it doesn't do anything. So it doesn't really matter if this is one that we thought would probably be a non substantial change. But since we are where we are, it doesn't really make any difference if the county feels this is beneficial. For some reason

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00:29:36.780 --> 00:29:39.550

Jamie Cole: we don't really see any reason not to do it.

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00:29:39.990 --> 00:29:41.210
MayorRoss: Thank you, Mike
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00:29:41.460 --> 00:29:46.060
Michael Cirullo: again. Jamie and I have been talking on these
provisions, and we're on the same page.
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00:29:46.500 --> 00:29:48.120
MayorRoss: Appreciate that. Yeah.
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00:29:52.180 --> 00:29:56.870
Beam Furr: yeah, I think this just provides clarity and mayor. You and
I have have heard
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00:29:56.940 --> 00:29:59.700
Beam Furr: other city commissions ask.
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00:29:59.730 --> 00:30:04.530
Beam Furr: Is this all the money we're going to have to spend, or is
there any any
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00:30:04.580 --> 00:30:07.800
Beam Furr: any other ties to this. So this provides clarity.
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00:30:07.920 --> 00:30:10.240
Beam Furr: and I think a reassurance to
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00:30:10.420 --> 00:30:17.420
Beam Furr: all the parties involved, that there are no other other
obligations other than this, until the formation.
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00:30:18.160 --> 00:30:22.410
MayorRoss: I appreciate that. Thank you. Any further discussion on
this item.
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00:30:23.390 --> 00:30:27.420
MayorRoss: Motion to approve a motion by Commissioner.
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00:30:27.740 --> 00:30:30.420
MayorRoss: second, second by commission to fur
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00:30:30.910 --> 00:30:34.270
MayorRoss: any further discussion, Hearing none, Mary Luke, please
call the vote
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00:30:38.930 --> 00:30:41.980
Mary Lou Tighe: by Sheriff Mayor Welch.
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00:30:42.480 --> 00:30:43.300
Sandra Welch: Yes.
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00:30:43.620 --> 00:30:45.060
Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner Glassman.
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00:30:45.120 --> 00:30:46.350
Commissioner Steven Glassman: Yes.
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00:30:46.580 --> 00:30:48.400
Mary Lou Tighe: Hey, Ryan.
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00:30:48.810 --> 00:30:52.840
Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner Morrison.
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00:30:52.850 --> 00:30:54.220
Mary Lou Tighe: Motion passes.
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00:30:54.630 --> 00:31:00.280
MayorRoss: Thank you very much. And now this fifth and final, if you
would, Drew.
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00:31:00.690 --> 00:31:05.000
Drew: Yes, and and I don't this provision that you have
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00:31:05.150 --> 00:31:20.580
Drew: has already been rejected, I think, and and we've actually had
subsequent revisions from both the municipal side and the county side
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among just the lawyers that were rejected over the weekend.

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Drew: So this morning we develop yet another version, and Jamie and
Mike had a couple of comments on it. They they thought that it was I.
And if i'm miss speaking, gentlemen, please just say so, but
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00:31:33.270 --> 00:31:41.680
Drew: I think they thought it was generally workable. Push back on a
couple of things that we didn't like, but to push back on a few other
things that we think are are valid.
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00:31:41.720 --> 00:31:44.390
Drew: So when this call was starting
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00:31:44.580 --> 00:32:03.920
Drew: I was just typing out of that version. I just tracked the
changes. Mike and Jamie, from what I sent this morning, or Nathaniel
said this morning earlier, just to make it very easy for you to see
them. I'm not sure if if you're agreeable, or if the best thing we
should do is maybe to just put this off on the screen somehow.
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00:32:03.920 --> 00:32:07.800
Drew: with track changes or just clean whatever everyone's
preferences.
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00:32:08.180 --> 00:32:10.940
MayorRoss: I think if you can put up a clean version.
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00:32:12.710 --> 00:32:13.380
Drew: sure.
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00:32:13.570 --> 00:32:18.610
Drew: So, Jamie, and before we get there
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00:32:18.790 --> 00:32:23.040
Michael Ryan: I want to understand the genesis of this after
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00:32:23.430 --> 00:32:28.030
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Michael Ryan: years of going over this. What? What is the ill?

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Michael Ryan: The disease it's trying to be cured By this

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Drew: I mean, it is Mayor Ross. If I yeah, I mean I I I think the the issue is that

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Drew: there are certain decisions that counsel can make you what we what you saw in May Orion. Initially. The proposal was that a council could not be at a firm where anybody serves as as a city council or County Council, not an issue for the county, because

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Drew: currently that position is in-house. But

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Michael Ryan: but you're talking 40 years you don't know not. They may come to the realization. They never get as lucky again to have someone as you and your team.

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Drew: That that's that's very kind, or or that they can get very lucky very quickly, and and hire. I are some other folks. But listen. I I mentioned it when I described it to the board, I said, you know, and and it got a laugh. But the guy sitting next to me on the day I said, Well, maybe we'll privatize your position now. So

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Drew: so yeah, anything could happen but long story short, there were certain things where there may be some friction

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Drew: where the you know the the examples might be that and i'll use the county because it came from a county person, but this could easily impact the city as well that some sort of amendment to the master plan is either a significant amendment or Isn't that would either require the consent of the Counties

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Drew: Executive board, member, or you know, whatever it is, or just some some sort of majority or super majority. That's just one example of it. And the contemplation that the Council may wind up, being from one of these fine firms that also

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Drew: serves as a municipal council.

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Drew: So it's trying to come up with a procedure, you know. Initially it was. It would block those folks from serving as Authority Council. We heard very loudly and very clearly that your side of the table would not like that. So now what we're coming up with is sort of a bifurcated process where for the

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Drew: 98% of questions or 99% of questions there shouldn't be any conflict, positional conflict, or anything so Authority Council can more or less come from anywhere. We have a a couple of qualifications here. But, for example.

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Drew: if you wanted somebody from Why, serota, or you wanted somebody from a gorge. you know. I'm i'm not saying you should, or you shouldn't, but they could serve. I wouldn't block them from doing it. But

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Drew: yeah. they are seen by the county

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Drew: as somewhat being aligned with municipalities because of other client representation, that they have, it creates a process for independent special counsel to be brought on board. If someone wants to challenge a a decision, we call it a sensitive decision basically of of the General Council.

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Drew: and May or Ryan. It's almost like you're throwing the challenge flag on the sideline.

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Drew: And so there would be an independent review by this this council, who again would be independent; and if that council determined that, or disagreed with it, with the decision of Authority Council, that I think the the presumption is that the decision of that independent Council would control?

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Drew: We we have to deal with a lot of different things, and and we had proposed specifics. Jamie and Mike didn't love this specific. So our latest version

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Drew: kicks a couple of these things down the road. But one of the things that we think would be valuable, for example, is, let's say, the county throws the challenge flag.

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Drew: and it turns out that Independent Council agrees with Authority council, which probably they would in almost every instance the county would have to pay in my my proposal. The county would have to pay the cost of special counsel under that circumstance.

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Drew: So it's almost like a prevailing party.

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Drew: you know a a cost shift. If if we were throwing the flag, we prevail. the authority would we pay the cost. If we lost, we'd have to pay the cost, and that would hopefully keep these challenges, which would result in some delay

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Drew: all right. While this review was occurring. Keep them to a minimum.

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MayorRoss: Me, Ryan. Does that answer your question?

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Michael Ryan: Kinda Well, first of all, let me take the the view, maybe, from Jamie and Michael is to the genesis of this issue.

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Jamie Cole: Sure I i'd be happy to address it. I mean the Genesis obviously came from the county. My thoughts on this initially were that issues of conflicts are addressed in the rules of professional responsibility. Florida Bar. So

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Jamie Cole: I didn't really see this as as an issue. The second thought I had was, I just remember, back in the Rv. Days

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Jamie Cole: when they originally the county attorney's office was the attorney for the Rb.

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Jamie Cole: And then it was determined that they should not. There should be an end to it, not from the character's office.

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Jamie Cole: and it was not easy to find someone, and they ended up picking someone who's actually who's also a city attorney in a city who ended up being the attorney for a while.

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Jamie Cole: It's not gonna be easy to find Council in Broward County who's

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Jamie Cole: got substantial experience in this? So you know, I I thought that you were unduly limited by the other proposal. But in discussing this with with Drew Myers and Nathaniel and etc.,

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Jamie Cole: and we got down to the point of what is really the issue, that of concern which is the sensitive issues where

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Jamie Cole: there could be a disagreement between among parties. You know whether something is a significant amendment that needs a certain type of approval, etc., in those very, very limited scenarios.

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Jamie Cole: To have a process for a independent council is probably fine. I mean, I will tell you in in any of our cities.

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Jamie Cole: and you know it that they're represented by Michael's firm or or my firm.

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Jamie Cole: Occasionally things come up where where one of our other clients. Or there's 2 cities that have a dispute, and we represent both cities, or there's a private thing, and we bring in outside. So it's happened in the last 25 years. I think I've had this happen twice.

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Jamie Cole: so it doesn't happen often but it does occasionally happen. So what we do is, we do have independent counsel. Come in in that scenario.

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00:38:58.080 --> 00:39:10.270

Jamie Cole: I don't think it's a necessarily a bad thing to have a procedure set up in advance for that. This is our constitution, though, and to get into all the details of the procedure.

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Jamie Cole: I didn't really think needed to be in the in the Constitution in the in the Ila. So my proposal was to just kind of

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Jamie Cole: discuss the issue in the Ila.

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Jamie Cole: and then have the procedure be approved by the executive count, Counsel, or the governing board, or something like that late sometime down the line, and that's kind of what this does.

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Jamie Cole: So we do have language, and you know we could put this up on the board. I you know it seems reasonable to me what we've come up with. I

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Jamie Cole: I think you need to balance the concerns that they're being raised with the need to have quality counsel. And

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Jamie Cole: you know, I think this does a pretty good job of of addressing that specific issue without going overboard and saying, You know, no only represents a city or any of their partners, can never represent the authority which you know, basically means you're not going to find anyone qualified in for our county.

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00:40:06.710 --> 00:40:13.500

Jamie Cole: So I I do think this does that. So you know, I don't know how we want to get this up on the board, but I I think you probably would, because it

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MayorRoss: here does someone have a clean version of this before we before we put it up on the board. I I see Commissioner first hand up, and I want to defer, before I ask commission to to speak to Mike, if you have anything additional.

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00:40:28.310 --> 00:40:29.330

Michael Ryan: No, sir.

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MayorRoss: Thanks. Chair wrong, Mike, but thank you very much. There, Mike. Super. Hello!

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Jamie Cole: You're muted. You're muted Mike.

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Michael Cirullo: No, I again, I have not seen. I have not seen the most.

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00:40:47.280 --> 00:40:55.960

Michael Cirullo: It's current version I did, I I I was candid with my concern about putting this into the agreement as well with that specificity

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Michael Cirullo: that qualifications generally are Florida Bar. I
agree with with Jamie. I think that change makes sense; that what we
got done
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00:41:04.360 --> 00:41:11.240
Michael Cirullo: but developing the process is something I have to see
what they've proposed. I haven't seen the most recent language.
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00:41:11.690 --> 00:41:15.380
MayorRoss: I appreciate that then before it's put up again,
Commissioner fur
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00:41:15.510 --> 00:41:32.940
Beam Furr: Thanks, and and this wasn't something that I was
particularly worried about, and and actually didn't support it. But 5
of my colleagues did so. I I will. I will respect that. But I did
after we after the vote later that day I did. I did think about it,
and I and I did wonder
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00:41:33.090 --> 00:41:36.720
Beam Furr: i'll I'll use like Southwest ranches as an example.
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00:41:37.810 --> 00:41:44.140
Beam Furr: The and and all of all the cities are going to have to be.
or at some point we might be affected
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00:41:44.250 --> 00:41:46.960
Beam Furr: by where things might be located.
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00:41:47.200 --> 00:41:52.870
Beam Furr: Whether it's a transfer station, it's a lot of waste energy
plant a mirror whatever.
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00:41:53.040 --> 00:42:00.440
Beam Furr: and I was, I was thinking to myself, Well, let's and keep
Poly cough. Is the city of turning out there? What if Keith
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00:42:01.320 --> 00:42:08.830
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Beam Furr: firm also became Council. What happens when you know we're we are trying to cite something

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Beam Furr: trying to put something somewhere, and then that then the attorney

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Beam Furr: that is representing that city is also the attorney for the authority.

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Beam Furr: So that's that kind of situation that did make me think a little bit about it, and I, and maybe the attorneys here can

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Beam Furr: make it clear how that would be dealt with. Because I don't because you're gonna have let's. Say I'm, i'm just saying, i'm, i'm this isn't

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00:42:36.350 --> 00:42:39.760

Beam Furr: the case right now. But let's say South West ranches did one

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Beam Furr: to have something cited there. but the authority did.

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Beam Furr: and I think this is the kind of thing that to be honest, this is where Palm Beach had

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Beam Furr: some problems

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Beam Furr: many, many years ago, which, when they had all the cities, and they and they had a problem on this.

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Beam Furr: and which is why they ended up changing to what they are

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now.
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Beam Furr: So it's good to. I mean it's a kind of a pain to be dealing
with it, but it's probably good to be dealing with it now.
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00:43:07.380 --> 00:43:11.360
Beam Furr: and and at least having a
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00:43:11.480 --> 00:43:14.610
Beam Furr: a methodology of how to go about it.
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00:43:15.520 --> 00:43:19.210
MayorRoss: Appreciate that, Mike. Excuse me, Mayor Ryan.
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00:43:20.330 --> 00:43:36.730
Michael Ryan: Yeah, it's pretty straightforward forward. The Florida
bar rules, or 1.7 deals with conflicts of interest. It's dealt with
all the time we work with our neighboring municipalities. There are
times when we have something even internal, that we consider ourselves
in in the need for
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00:43:37.030 --> 00:43:38.970
Michael Ryan: external council. And
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00:43:39.020 --> 00:43:44.920
Michael Ryan: you know we don't have any procedure to find for how we
go about hiring that Council, but we do it
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00:43:45.070 --> 00:43:49.380
Michael Ryan: in setting it out here, and then, as i'll use Jamie's
terms, constitution.
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00:43:49.510 --> 00:43:53.060
Michael Ryan: at least to and I don't want to speak for all lawyers.
But to me.
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00:43:53.300 --> 00:43:57.370
Michael Ryan: as a lawyer deals with conflict of interest. We have to
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check on conflicts of interest all the time.

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00:43:58.250 --> 00:44:12.400
Michael Ryan: This is utterly routine and non-momentous, and I I I
think this was much to do about nothing, and was not necessary. But
i'll be happy to look at any of the language, and I, and I mean no
disrespect to the non-orders on the
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00:44:12.520 --> 00:44:21.840
Michael Ryan: a, a on the dais and the county or otherwise. But this
this is not novel. and so I I would trust
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00:44:22.140 --> 00:44:27.770
Michael Ryan: not only professional counsel who has an obligation to
the bar, but that there'd be enough
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00:44:28.570 --> 00:44:35.560
Michael Ryan: potentially lawyers sitting around the table, who would
say, hey, Isn't! There? A potential conflict of interest, and don't
you have to deal with this issue right? So
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00:44:35.990 --> 00:44:39.530
Michael Ryan: I I i'll look at the language. But th this is just.
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00:44:40.580 --> 00:44:44.760
Michael Ryan: I I think it's much to do about nothing. Thank you, Mr.
Chair.
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00:44:44.860 --> 00:44:51.020
MayorRoss: I thank you. Do I have any other hands up, Commissioner, or
do you have your hand up, or is it from the last time
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00:44:52.500 --> 00:44:55.120
Mary Lou Tighe: I think Mr. Myers has his hand raise?
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00:44:55.130 --> 00:45:00.600
MayorRoss: I'm sorry. May I, Mary Lou? Who is that?
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00:45:00.820 --> 00:45:20.820
Drew: Thank you, Mayor Luther. Thank you. Chair, just we inserted, and
this is to me, Orion as well. We get started just the short provision
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that basically is along the lines of what Jamie said his firm, does it Doesn't get into any detail here at all? But this was added at the end, based upon the concern that Commissioner for and raise.

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Drew: and you'll see the language in a second. But all it says is the procedure shall also provide for the Authority Council

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Drew: to refer a matter to Independent Council, where there's an actual or potential conflict, I think that's what the law you know, requires anyway, and certainly the rules regulating lawyers. But we just added it there under the theory that it's for clarity. There's no harm resulting from it, and it's not taking up a lot of room in a document.

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00:45:48.180 --> 00:45:52.660

MayorRoss: I appreciate it. Then let's go ahead and look at the document.

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Drew: Matt. Can you, Matt, can you do that? I I mean I I only sent it to Jamie, Mike Matt, and Nathaniel.

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Drew: I can't do it.

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Drew: I I just don't have the skills to put it on this here

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Drew: and and let me just ask Nathaniel and I won't bug, Matt. But was there another? There was a clause like a a line that I didn't really care about that much, and I thought, modify the expense clause. I think that we had added

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00:46:33.810 --> 00:46:35.430 Drew: right to address this

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Matthew Haber: i'm not familiar with. No, in Article 19, we have that.

That is what we referencing.

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Drew: Okay, all right, so that we'll get there. So let's let's do this one first.

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Drew: and the the language, you know. That's a red line. There was just from this morning we I was doing that right at 110'clock after we spoke with Jamie and Mike at at maybe 1050, and and just to repeat, we exchanged a draft on Friday. We exchange stuff over the weekend. We were trying to come to you with

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Drew: something that at least the lawyers had consensus on, and it sounds like at least the lawyers are comfortable with this language, and it does kick the can down the road a little bit, in a way that should be resolvable in a day or 2, but we didn't want to put all sorts of detail into this quote Unquote constitution for the authority.

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MayorRoss: So ha, Mayor Ross, how would you like to proceed with this, I believe. Give everyone a moment to actually review the red line. Change on there, and then we'll go ahead and discuss

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Drew: and and mayor just to be clear. The red line was from a draft that nobody else, except for I believe Commissioner Fur may have seen, and he he got it. It

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00:47:52.820 --> 00:47:58.750

Drew: attend something today also. So the red line is just the council's back and forth from this morning.

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Drew: Everything I just to confirm everything you've seen. There is the first time this board the working group is seeing this item.

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Michael Cirullo: Every the entire document is.

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Michael Ryan: Yeah, I it's true. I want to point out we're seeing a red line that a this is a red line of red lines of red lines back and forth. I take it that's number one, and and before we even go to pass on this?

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00:48:23.840 --> 00:48:26.590

Michael Ryan: How do we know those who

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Michael Ryan: felt this was so outstandingly important, despite 4, 1.7 that is consistently complied with, and needs no further clarification

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Michael Ryan: amongst lawyers. How do we know the county is even gonna pass whatever is here, and we're gonna be back again doing this.

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Drew: We we are

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Drew: there we we, we have a reasonable comfort level with it, and also

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Drew: well, I I mean we've done as much as we can. That's permissible

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Drew: on it. But th this originated with someone who felt very strongly about it, and we we've had significant discussions with that individual. You'll see where this goes

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Drew: at the end of it, and I I. My understanding, is the individual will entrust me to play the role that's that's that's described in the second paragraph, so I I think we'll be okay with it.

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MayorRoss: Let's go ahead and just take a moment and review it.

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00:49:30.260 \longrightarrow 00:49:33.760
MayorRoss: Mayor. Will you let me know when to scroll down. Thank you
very much.
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00:50:20.670 --> 00:50:23.320
MayorRoss: Then you scroll. please.
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00:51:15.510 --> 00:51:17.570
MayorRoss: and if you can scroll a little more.
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00:52:00.110 --> 00:52:01.030
MayorRoss: All right, thank you.
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00:52:03.940 --> 00:52:06.660
MayorRoss: Let's have some discussion on this.
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00:52:09.270 --> 00:52:12.270
MayorRoss: and I see Mayor Ryan has his hand up.
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00:52:13.070 --> 00:52:18.500
MayorRoss: Thank you, Mr. Chair. First of all, it's hard because I
don't have the document in front of me to be able to
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00:52:18.550 --> 00:52:28.290
Michael Ryan: go through. And and, as you know, mayor as a lawyer,
statutory interpretation of sub parts can be very challenging.
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00:52:28.590 \longrightarrow 00:52:34.590
Michael Ryan: And so i'm gonna try to provide some comments here
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00:52:36.220 --> 00:52:41.750
Michael Ryan: without being able to manipulate the document. But let
me just start where i'm. I
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00:52:41.960 --> 00:52:49.870
Michael Ryan: First of all, I don't know that I can think through
every potential time that this could come up if we could scroll up
just a little bit.
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00:52:54.080 \longrightarrow 00:52:55.870
MayorRoss: Matt. Thank you.
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00:52:57.670 --> 00:52:59.290
Michael Ryan: All right. So
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00:53:00.360 --> 00:53:05.290
Michael Ryan: first Paragraph: I Don't Jamie, do you have any issues
with the first paragraph?
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00:53:08.140 --> 00:53:18.030
Jamie Cole: No, I I I think it's fine. I mean you. You don't want to
overly limit who this can be? Because if you do, it'd be difficult to
find anyone. So I I think it's.
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00:53:18.050 --> 00:53:19.290
Jamie Cole: I think it's fine
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00:53:19.490 --> 00:53:21.750
Michael Ryan: all right now as we slide down
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00:53:24.650 --> 00:53:25.660
Michael Ryan: so
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00:53:26.660 --> 00:53:45.320
Michael Ryan: sensitive issues, and i'm not so sure that that is a
good term or not a good term, but it says, including, but not limited
to. So now we're no longer limited to these general categories, a.
Through E, some of which i'm not sure how to define. But then, as we
go through
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00:53:45.880 --> 00:53:49.840
Michael Ryan: it says, when a part of your parties believe their
elected body.
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00:53:51.440 --> 00:53:54.590
Michael Ryan: so I guess the party. Is it potentially a municipality?
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Michael Ryan: Or is it. The authority in the county

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Michael Ryan: or governing Board members vote So Governing Board is a term of art. I assume that means the authorities governing Board because it's in caps

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Michael Ryan: is required for authority to take specific action. So a a simple dispute over whether a board needs to take action. Now. triggers a delay, and I i'm not saying this would happen with anybody involved in this process right now, either from the municipal or county side. But 20 years from now

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Michael Ryan: you could see a lot of red flags being thrown, and the financial consequences are not big enough to to necessarily be a sufficient guard rail.

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00:54:41.080 --> 00:54:52.910

Michael Ryan: Whether a proposed action by the governing board or executive bars amendment. I don't I don't know what the conflict is. I don't know why that all of a sudden would be a a red flag thrown out into the field.

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Michael Ryan: Whether something is a significant amendment.

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Michael Ryan: whether a proposed action very broad by the Government or executive committee should be treated as an amendment

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Michael Ryan: again, that covers probably just about anything.

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Michael Ryan: and whether proposed action by the Government boarding it to be, must be made through an amendment again pretty broad, and the next sentence is prior to authority. Council being retained.

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Michael Ryan: Well, I thought the authority would have already had council. 440 00:55:24.490 --> 00:55:28.030 Michael Ryan: Is this saying something being triggered to. 441 00:55:28.910 --> 00:55:36.660 Michael Ryan: but retain new Council because it was Authority Council. It's whoever it is, it's Betty Smith, who's been brought on to represent the authority 442 00:55:36.810 --> 00:55:41.300 Michael Ryan: she's already been retained. She's on the the council representing municipal parties. 443 00:55:42.410 --> 00:55:46.000 Michael Ryan: which is the Gargra. They lem it a county member 444 00:55:46.100 --> 00:55:56.880 Michael Ryan: with the county. It turns out to develop a procedure for appointment of an Independent. But the authority Council has already been retained, so i'm not. I. Maybe i'm just completely missing it, and it's because of my first read through. 445 00:55:57.430 --> 00:56:01.880 Michael Ryan: But a through E. Are so substantially broad 446 00:56:02.860 --> 00:56:07.670 Michael Ryan: that the only quard rail on this is whether anybody cares about paying some legal fees 447 00:56:07.890 --> 00:56:11.220 Michael Ryan: and for accounting with a 1 billiondollars general fund. 448 00:56:11.580 --> 00:56:18.670 Michael Ryan: And you know, some municipalities may be concerned about

449 00:56:18.750 --> 00:56:20.790

Michael Ryan: and you can I see your hands raised?

that. But i'm not sure who else gets to throw the flag.

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00:56:20.800 --> 00:56:35.890
Michael Ryan: I just I don't. I don't understand again. What is the
Ill trying to be cured here. I don't. I don't know what the disease is
that isn't covered by the Florida Bar rules, and if anything, it seems
to me that we could be inviting
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00:56:37.080 --> 00:56:49.250
Michael Rvan: completely inconceivable consequences for what we
amongst our very collaborative body, that we have now, with the body
that later on is a little more contentious. And all of a sudden
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00:56:50.090 --> 00:57:03.680
Michael Ryan: every little decision is being tied up by Independent
Council. That's that. That's my general. And then to I don't know how
easy it's going to be to go through the process of of getting
Independent Council. I see there's a procedure for it.
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00:57:03.720 --> 00:57:06.950
Michael Ryan: It says, Provide for the Authority Council to refer
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00:57:07.090 --> 00:57:13.380
Michael Ryan: to avoid potential conflicts, which would be fine. Now,
if you need anything, you don't need a through E on that. And
00:57:14.340 --> 00:57:23.230
Michael Ryan: so I I I guess i'm trying to. I I appreciate that you
said this would be pretty narrow, and I was looking forward to that.
I'm just not seeing it as narrow or
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00:57:23.340 --> 00:57:27.890
Michael Ryan: no. Nor do I really see that being really attacking
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00:57:28.190 --> 00:57:33.270
MayorRoss: anything that substant a substantial concern. Thank you,
Mr. Chair. Thank you. I've got Nathaniel
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00:57:34.760 --> 00:57:44.010
MayorRoss: i'll i'll defer to Drew if he wants to speak first on this,
and probably will address the same comments I was going to, and
that'll be fine, but I didn't see Drew's hand so drew
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Michael Ryan: that Mr. Chair. Could I ask Jamie to just first, because if Jamie has no problems with this, and I look at this differently.

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Michael Ryan: Jamie. I've had not had this opportunity to talk about it. If i'm completely wrong, then I can hear that, and then Drew can save some time.

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00:57:57.590 --> 00:58:01.980 MayorRoss: Fair enough, Jamie.

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Jamie Cole: as you can see, is red. That was not in the version that I had drafted. So the by, I, you know, I think, by adding, but not limited to it, opens this up to absolutely anything which does concern me

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Jamie Cole: as far as the a. Through E. The idea here is that it's got to be a situation where there is a conflicting interest as in let's just say, there's

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Jamie Cole: someone wants to change the master plan.

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Jamie Cole: and if it's a significant amendment to the master plan, as you may recall, the county has certain additional veto powers, so to speak; whereas, if it's not a significant amendment. They don't have the veto power.

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Jamie Cole: So let's just say you know the cities want to change it and build some type of instead of doing a waste energy plant, they wanted to just build a landfill, and they want to amend the master plan to make that change.

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Jamie Cole: And then the attorney, who just happens to be a city

attorney, also says, oh, that's not a significant amendment. So all the cities vote. Yes, the county votes. No, and they don't have their veto power. I think that's what they're worried about. So the issues a through. E are supposed to be scenarios where the attorney is making a

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Jamie Cole: procedural decision that something is a significant amendment, or needs an amendment as opposed to not needing an amendment that would require a lower vote.

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Jamie Cole: and that they're doing that because they represent a city, and the cities are all press pressuring them somehow.

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Jamie Cole: That was the concept. I mean it's supposed to be very limited. That's why I don't like the but not limited to it's supposed to be just these scenarios.

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00:59:44.210 --> 00:59:53.460

Jamie Cole: as far as the prior to authority Council being retained. That language is talking about prior to the initial Authority Council being retained, which

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00:59:53.620 --> 00:59:55.450 Jamie Cole: won't happen until

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Jamie Cole: you know it's approved by everyone. The governing Board meets executive to me, and they choose an attorney. The idea here is this is supposed to happen now, and this is supposed to happen in the you know, even before this is fully approved, that because that's why we have the

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Jamie Cole: designated by a majority vote of the solid waste working group, as you see it used to say of the Executive Committee.

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Jamie Cole: That was my change to solid waste working group. Because if we have this always working group that means this group now could decide to have, Say, Michael and me meet with

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01:00:28.050 --> 01:00:36.960
Jamie Cole: Drew from the counterparts office and come up with this
process. And then, once the authority is actually created, the
authority can go ahead. The governing Board
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01:00:37.010 --> 01:00:39.550
Jamie Cole: would approve it by a unanimous vote.
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01:00:39.680 --> 01:00:52.850
Jamie Cole: So that that was. It's not the concept wasn't that this
would happen more than once. I mean, this is only supposed to happen
one time we're supposed to come up with this procedure, so that that's
what the idea of was was for that. So
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01:00:53.060 --> 01:01:00.580
Jamie Cole: you know I I don't like to, but not limited to. I think
it. It opens this up to absolutely any type of issue which I think
would be concerning.
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01:01:00.760 --> 01:01:09.480
Jamie Cole: But you know, the idea of the a. 3 is to limit it to
specific things where there actually could be this type of conflict.
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01:01:09.660 --> 01:01:16.980
Michael Ryan: Okay, so let me just ask this, Jamie, because when when
parties have conflicting interests, right, that's how that line is,
and then
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01:01:17.190 \longrightarrow 01:01:22.320
Michael Ryan: in the parenthetical, it's sensitive issue. Right
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01:01:23.700 --> 01:01:24.900
Michael Ryan: it is. It
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01:01:24.970 --> 01:01:29.030
Michael Ryan: am I supposed, to interpret. Everything from from a
through E
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01:01:30.210 --> 01:01:33.700
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Michael Ryan: potentially presents, is conflicting interest.
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01:01:34.240 --> 01:01:36.610
Michael Ryan: That's number one and number 2.
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01:01:37.340 --> 01:01:40.170
Michael Ryan: What if a single municipality
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01:01:40.670 --> 01:01:53.770
Michael Ryan: wants to throw the flag and wants an independent
council? That is the county, and maybe most of the cities are in
agreement, but some independent, some reason, some municipality wants,
or are they also able to trigger this
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01:01:54.040 --> 01:01:57.290
Michael Ryan: sensitive issue conflicting interests, independent
Council.
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01:01:57.640 --> 01:02:00.300
Jamie Cole: Well, it's supposed to be a scenario where there's
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01:02:00.550 --> 01:02:24.930
Jamie Cole: actually a conflicting interest, so that that city, if
that city is, you know, feels that this is a significant amendment,
whereas you know the Authority Council thinks it's not that's what it
is in this language. I the way I had it drafted. I don't think I even
had the word, including I. I I said, these are the sense of issues,
and I had them listed, it was added, including, and then, but not
limited to, so that is, has broadened it.
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01:02:24.930 --> 01:02:32.320
Jamie Cole: But the idea is, it's supposed to be a sensitive issue,
which is one of the listed things, and there's supposed to be some
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01:02:32.360 \longrightarrow 01:02:46.410
Jamie Cole: problem where the attorney, you know, is representing
cities, and there there's some type of reason that the attorney for
one of the parties feels that that attorney has some type of bias.
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01:02:46.540 --> 01:02:49.370
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Michael Ryan: but but but wouldn't then

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01:02:49.740 --> 01:02:58.750
Michael Ryan: shouldn't there be first a trigger that there is
actually a conflict of interest before we even get to a through E.
That there has to be some tolerable claim of that.
01:02:59.540 --> 01:03:14.780
Michael Ryan: It seems like 8, 3, to 5, and any time. There's a party.
Anybody believes elected body or government's Board governing Board
Members vote is required for the authority to a specific act. It
doesn't mean it's a conflict. It may be just a principal decision,
they say. No, I think
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01:03:15.100 --> 01:03:18.590
Michael Ryan: I think you need to have a a different type of vote.
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01:03:18.600 --> 01:03:27.730
Michael Ryan: There's no color we'll claim with conflict of interest.
Maybe the county most in this valleys are in the same view. No one
could say. Betty Smith's firm
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01:03:28.080 --> 01:03:32.360
Michael Ryan: is is, is benefiting from this. I just it for
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01:03:32.500 --> 01:03:33.280
Michael Ryan: for me.
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01:03:33.570 --> 01:03:36.630
Michael Ryan: you know. 1 7 doesn't even get triggered
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01:03:36.820 --> 01:03:39.970
Michael Ryan: in any of this, although it has conflicting interest
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01:03:40.440 \longrightarrow 01:03:45.510
Michael Ryan: and anything that qualifies as a through e is
potentially an independent council problem.
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01:03:47.470 --> 01:03:52.060
MayorRoss: Let me let me go on to Nathaniel, followed by Matt Haber.
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01:03:52.200 --> 01:04:01.830

Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: I think Drew is trying to get your attention as well. I'm sorry I didn't see that i'll defer to through for the moment.

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Drew: so you know we I put in, but not limited to including, was in there. I I put in, but not limited to, just to be clarifying, I normally view, including as inclusive.

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01:04:12.350 --> 01:04:28.910

Drew: so not limited to is implied. But we don't want to get into arguments with anyone. We're trying to be as clear as possible in the document. I think it is probably limited to the procedural type issues that Jamie mentioned, whether something fits in one category or or another

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01:04:28.910 --> 01:04:36.680

Drew: may determine whether a super majority is required, or the county has the ability to either approve or not approve something.

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01:04:36.730 --> 01:04:52.480

Drew: Mayor Ryan there. We could limit this, in my opinion, dramatically. Within the next couple of days we had proposed some very precise language that was far more limiting. Some of it was in the county's initial proposal, and some of it was discussed with

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Drew: with Mike and Jamie over the last couple of days, for example.

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Drew: and of concern, that this would be a trigger to freely. We wanted to make sure that the trigger it council for the party. So if I I look at the county.

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01:05:06.740 --> 01:05:10.560

Drew: I would never, just because I I value my reputation.

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Drew: I I would never, you know, submit something that I didn't think was caller of all that I didn't think was presented a real issue.

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Drew: They need to be decided, and where I didn't even feel there was an optic of of conflict.

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01:05:23.580 --> 01:05:31.950

Drew: And I know you don't draft things for the incumbent you draft things for who may be in the position over 40 years. But when you're

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Drew: basically penalizing a party by requiring them to to have council right what their position is to to throw the challenge flag. It's not just. I challenge. You have to submit something, and credibility is on the line, and then you would tag somebody for attorney's piece, if if they their position weren't sustained.

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Drew: I I don't think this will come up very often, I think, during your or phone call Jamie. You thought this would basically never come up. and I I think that the details that will draft in the next couple of days

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Drew: will will resolve most of the concerns now, if we make it to limiting and make it conditional as to whether the county can throw the flag.

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Drew: then I would have to revisit my earlier comment as to whether I thought you know we were in in good shape on this. I i'll say.

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Drew: you know, in terms of the of the genesis of it.

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01:06:24.600 --> 01:06:34.470

Drew: So with that, said Nathaniel, did you want to fix whatever I messed up and add your own thoughts? Please nothing to fix, but just to May or I into your point, when

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01:06:34.580 --> 01:06:54.100

Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: when you're reading a through E,

they are, and again, not getting into the included, but not limited to language, but a through E. Specifically, are very limited circumstances, and I believe the Commissioner for made a comment earlier on that's important to note here, which is, if the Executive Committee or the Governing Board were to let's say say that they wanted to site

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: a a transfer station

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: in sunrise as compared to the suggested sites that were in the master plan.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: I I think that we could all recognize that the sighting of a facility is something that has a disproportionate impact on that party

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: under the agreement. As it sits right now, there are only maybe a half a dozen, maybe less than 10 times where either a party's elected body or the party's governing board Member has to vote in the affirmative on some and obviously a disproportionate impact on that party is one of those.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: so that those are the kinds of scenarios that a 3 really cover.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: you know. As as Drew mentioned earlier, there's scenarios when it's a significant amendment which not only requires the counties governing Board member to approve that action. It requires a super majority of the cities, so the difference between whether something is a

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: a simple amendment to the master plan versus a significant amendment also has a an impact

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: that you know whoever whichever city or city where, if the county is throwing that challenge flag, if we're going to continue that analogy

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: a again, it's a very limited set of circumstances.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: There's maybe 10 times in the agreement that this could come up other than the scenario where, you know, let's say, a majority of the Executive Board is deciding, or executive committee is deciding that something should go to an outside

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01:08:18.800 --> 01:08:22.920

Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: attorney which they'll have the right to be able to refer it.

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01:08:23.290 --> 01:08:27.810

Nathaniel Klitsberg, Broward County: So I hope that that addressed a little bit of the the concerns regarding the breath that you were writing before.

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Michael Ryan: So if I can to to respond to Nathaniel and Drew, I I appreciate the effort to funnel this down.

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Michael Ryan: I i'm not. I'd have to think through more. You've obviously given this a lot more thought. But I don't equate disproportionate impact with conflict of interest.

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Michael Ryan: And that's my concern. That is, any municipality that says, Wait a second time out. I don't. I think this is a significant amendment. I think this should be an amendment to the master plan.

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Michael Ryan: I think there's a different type of vote that's required. They throw the flag, and this all gets tied up with independent council.

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Michael Ryan: who, by the way, after the first time, there's a bad
opinion from the Independent Council. Then, all of a sudden. Nobody
wants to do it.
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01:09:08.250 --> 01:09:14.770
Michael Ryan: And so there's not really clear to me who triggers this,
if it's just the county, or it has to be by a majority of
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01:09:15.569 --> 01:09:30.350
Michael Ryan: the Governing Board Exactly Committee Municipal Board,
Whoever it's anybody can trigger it. And disproportionate impact is
not, does not equate with conflict of interest, which is where this
started, and I guess fundamentally, i'm trying to understand. Why is
this in the Constitution?
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01:09:31.410 --> 01:09:37.399
Michael Ryan: Why, why is this part of the Ila when we can't even come
to an agreement
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01:09:38.069 --> 01:09:40.069
Michael Ryan: beyond the
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01:09:40.740 --> 01:09:44.750
Michael Ryan: the motivation to focus this on narrow issues
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01:09:44.830 --> 01:09:48.710
Michael Ryan: To how do we get there that it doesn't get abused
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01:09:48.970 --> 01:10:00.150
Michael Ryan: 20 years from now by somebody who just doesn't agree
with a recycling decision, with a solar decision, with a amendment
decision, with a whatever. And and
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01:10:00.360 --> 01:10:15.730
Michael Ryan: you know, I know, disproportionate, not in here, but to
the extent that that was used as an example. I guess I would I would
enjoy that. That was an opportunity for me representing sunrise to
throw the flag and tie this up for 6 months or a year, and then
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litigate over it potentially.

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01:10:16.010 --> 01:10:24.070
Michael Ryan: So I I I guess i'm. I'm. Trying to understand if if the
issue which began with hey, we don't want municipal lawyers
representing
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01:10:26.240 --> 01:10:34.210
Michael Ryan: the authority, and then making recommendations at this
seems to go so far into potential mischief that
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01:10:34.410 --> 01:10:44.350
Michael Ryan: I I don't know that any of us can get our head around
where this ends up. So thank you for the clarification it doesn't
offer as much solitude as I would like. Thank you.
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01:10:44.540 --> 01:10:49.020
MayorRoss: thank you. I've got Matt Haber, followed by Jamie Cole,
followed by Bob Marrison.
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01:10:49.550 --> 01:10:59.540
Matthew Haber: So just to respond to Mayor Ryan. This proportionate
impact is in here. It's in section 730, so that that's
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01:11:01.230 --> 01:11:12.080
Matthew Haber: yeah it that that doesn't give me that doesn't give me.
You said it was in in here. I I understand the broader policy point
you're making. I'm: I'm. We've done to clarify what's being cited to.
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01:11:12.360 --> 01:11:14.610
Matthew Haber: And in this language
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01:11:14.620 --> 01:11:17.340
Michael Ryan: that may very well be. But this portion it
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01:11:17.360 --> 01:11:31.800
Michael Ryan: it impact disproportionate impact is not equate with a
bar problem. That's a conflict of interest that the Council's opinion
can't be accepted, and it allows any municipality at that point to
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throw the flag on any issue if they have
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01:11:31.930 --> 01:11:37.910
Michael Ryan: even a colorable claim of disproportionate impact.
That's my concern. Thank you, sir. Thank you, Jamie Cole.
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01:11:38.360 --> 01:11:40.860
Jamie Cole: Okay, I just wanted to
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01:11:41.900 --> 01:11:52.750
Jamie Cole: mentioned a couple of things. I mean the the original
draft that I've done here. The Count. Yeah, this is going back and
forth. But I went back to what I the portion of it drafted where it
says, including, but not limited to.
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01:11:53.050 --> 01:11:54.910
Jamie Cole: I have the word, namely.
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01:11:55.800 --> 01:12:00.660
Jamie Cole: so it said, namely, so it was only these a. Through e
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Jamie Cole: as opposed to now, it's including, but not limited to.
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01:12:04.550 --> 01:12:11.000
Jamie Cole: And then there was another portion that has been deleted
that I had originally proposed.
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01:12:11.030 --> 01:12:11.870
Jamie Cole: which
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01:12:11.900 --> 01:12:20.610
Jamie Cole: basically, said that the in order to trigger this the
general counsel, so the city of turned under the county attorney from
the party
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01:12:20.680 --> 01:12:32.090
Jamie Cole: would have to do a written opinion disagreeing with
authority council, explaining why they thought their authority
Council's opinion was wrong. and also setting forth
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Jamie Cole: a a potential bias, so they had to say why they thought the Authority Council was biased.

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Jamie Cole: And then there was a list of things that would constitute potential bias things like having a relative of an elected or appointed official, participating in political campaigns.

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Jamie Cole: having representing, being the city partners, or being a city attorney in in other cities, or representing private entities for land use or approvals. And there's a whole list of of things that would be the potential bi. So this has gotten. You know, this is certainly a lot broader than what I had originally

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01:13:12.410 --> 01:13:13.950 Jamie Cole: had in my mind

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Jamie Cole: Now, the other the other way to do this is, we just. We don't deal with it right now. We just in the Constitution. Just say that the Authorities Council shall be a

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01:13:25.590 --> 01:13:32.510

Jamie Cole: You know we deal with the top part, you know. Keep the the top part, and then say that you know

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Jamie Cole: the authorities Governing Board will come up with a procedure for dealing with potential conflicts of this of interest, and just leave it at that. and not deal with the substance of the specifics now. But I know that the county really wants to address it. So that's why we've been working so hard trying to come up with something.

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Jamie Cole: you know, when I come up with this was more limited than this, you know, so I guess we can go back and forth and try to figure out how to how to get there.

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MayorRoss: Thank you, Bob Morrison.
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Bob Mayersohn: Yeah.
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Bob Mayersohn: I mean, I might need to borrow some information from
Nathaniel as as well as from Jamie. But
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01:14:14.650 --> 01:14:25.790
Bob Mayersohn: is there a problem? If we bifurcate? I mean, Jamie kind
of alluded that maybe we just take the appointment of the Legal
Council and put it in one area, of which is 8.2, 8,
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01:14:26.150 --> 01:14:30.900
Bob Mayersohn: and then discuss these sensitive issues later
somewhere, whether it's in
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01:14:30.920 --> 01:14:37.650
Bob Mayersohn: this document or another document, I think because
again I think we're dealing with 2 separate things, of
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01:14:38.360 --> 01:14:42.720
Bob Mayersohn: hiring the legal counsel. And then what happens if
there is a sensitive issue?
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Bob Mayersohn: So I would be interested to see how we can
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01:14:47.570 --> 01:14:49.840
Bob Mayersohn: or see that way without
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01:14:50.130 --> 01:14:53.680
Bob Mayersohn: kind of diluting what the county was possibly looking
for.
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01:14:55.440 --> 01:14:59.020
MayorRoss: I appreciate that anyone else.
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01:14:59.690 --> 01:15:02.690
MayorRoss: I don't see any hands up.
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MayorRoss: Can you see this.
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01:15:04.210 --> 01:15:16.140
MayorRoss: Oh, i'm sorry. I thought it wasn't put down before Jamie.
Okay, you know, I I I think what was just said is would be a good way
to do this, but I am concerned that the county is not.
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01:15:16.450 --> 01:15:20.740
Jamie Cole: you know. Go along with that. I mean, basically with the
county proposed
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Jamie Cole: was just, you know.
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01:15:23.290 --> 01:15:34.590
Jamie Cole: Banning, any any attorney who has anything to do with any
cities, from being Council, which which would really disqualify almost
everyone. And for our attorney who is qualified in our county from
doing this.
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01:15:34.750 --> 01:15:42.760
Jamie Cole: So, in response to that, you know, to try to solve the
problem, we've come up with this sensitive issue concept
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01:15:43.020 --> 01:15:53.200
Jamie Cole: and this Independent Council. So I I i'm just. I quess we
could hear from the county folks as to whether or not they think
there's any way that we could do it
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01:15:54.150 --> 01:15:55.370
Jamie Cole: through
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01:15:55.520 --> 01:16:06.670
Jamie Cole: a procedure adopted, you know, after the formation as
opposed to now. But if the only way that they're going to agree to the
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Ila is if we address it now, then I then we may have no choice.

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MayorRoss: I'll first go to Mike Ryan, and then i'll t you up through for that response.

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Michael Ryan: I I I agree that's the primary issue I I endorse what President Marrison, said I. That's a great idea. But will the county allow that to happen? And if they won't, then maybe we just vote this down. I let the county vote the entire Ila down again. I I Honestly, this is

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Michael Ryan: so far beyond what we should be doing right now that it it it just represents a

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Michael Ryan: a a complete frustration.

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01:16:39.150 --> 01:16:40.960 MayorRoss: Thank you, drew myers.

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Drew: Yes, thank you. First of all, the the including, but not limited to language, is really in there, because we're doing this very quickly, and we like to be able to make sure we've identified everything, so we probably could go back through.

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Drew: which was intended as part of the subsequent process. That's laid out a little bit lower in the provision to go back through to identify every potential provision where this is impacted. It's probably just these

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Drew: and it's, and I believe it's just a a procedural, except for maybe that 1 point about it a disparate impact.

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Drew: Secondly.

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Drew: you know Jamie mentioned language he had proposed. We had proposed a lot of language, you know. He he didn't want ours in there because it was too long, and then fill the space with his language. We didn't want just his language in there and not ours.

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Drew: This is something that we've worked out where what you're basically doing if you sign it. And I personally won't be offended if you don't. but you are entrusting

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Drew: you are, i'm, presuming your 2 municipal attorneys who are on this call and the 3 members of the county attorney's office to sit down, starting today or tomorrow, and hopefully by Friday, working out something that has enough bells and whistles in there that this thing should not be abused at all.

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Drew: But the other point is, I don't think anyone's contemplating that decisions of of independent Council would take months or not on these sorts of, you know, there may be a briefing or something that goes on that we could work out an expedited process.

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Drew: But in deciding these sorts of of of decisions, you know, which are procedural. I would think that we could get a turnaround time within.

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Drew: you know, 7 to 10 days. The only other thing I wanted to mention, and that you may not like it. But i'll put it out there because it may address that issue with $\frac{1}{2}$

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Drew: with an independent, with one municipality raising it. you know. Maybe it. It can only be raised if the the position that that party adopts. So let's say the county thinks it should have gone to a certain type of vote

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Drew: that the county's no vote would have changed the outcome.

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01:18:49.750 --> 01:19:05.460

Drew: So if something passes, and it requires either, and I and Matt and Nathaniel and and Jamie. It's and you guys know the details more than I do, but some things require a county vote also, and other things may require a super majority versus just a regular majority.

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01:19:05.490 --> 01:19:22.680

Drew: So if you have one city that's taking a position, or the county, taking a position that this should have required a super majority. But the county or that city you were the only entity not objected, you know the only entity objecting to it. Then it's really not material, and there shouldn't be a challenge because it couldn't change the outcome.

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Drew: Maybe those are some things we can build into the procedures. But if we just kick this whole issue down the road, and you want to have a authority council being appointed, but not have anything provided for or having that condition. Upon developing this Independent Council structure, I suspect that it's going to be an obstacle for the county.

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MayorRoss: Thank you. I've got Mayor Gomez, followed by Commissioner Welch, followed by Mayor Ryan.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: Thank you. I like Mayor Ryan. I'm. Having some trouble with this. I also have trouble hearing the words, we're doing this quickly.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: I hear on one bread that we want it to include, but not limited to the next. We don't want to improve the not limited to, because we want to make it specific. I think sometimes when you try to put too much into it.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: you cause more issues than you're trying to solve. And I worried that

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: this is going to cause more issues. And we're trying to solve.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: I I have trouble with just putting this, agreeing into it in this form, or adding all of this.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: the provisions that have worked in the past the beginning of the contract. I think this work with something that I said.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: I think it's your main. I understand some of the concerns. When you have somebody who might be on a commission that all of a sudden works on it

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: the county. There might be some conflicts.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: you know, but I don't know if this is where that's coming from.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: I think that we do have some very special attorneys that are excellent at their jobs between the county and in the cities.

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: and I think we need to be careful to, not

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: accidentally. but too much restriction, and she doesn't know what

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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: in the future and in the
hands of the future.
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Michelle J. Gomez, Mayor of Tamarac, FL: So I I do have trouble just
approving this. No. as is I'm having trouble.
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01:21:16.650 --> 01:21:18.280
MayorRoss: Thank you, vice Mayor Welch.
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01:21:22.920 --> 01:21:31.480
Sandra Welch: Thank you very much. I totally agree with the proposal
that while Mayerson came up with to
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01:21:31.590 --> 01:21:39.290
Sandra Welch: completely separate the 2 issues and continue ahead with
the Council, as is with our
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01:21:39.700 --> 01:21:41.270
Sandra Welch: with our Ila
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01:21:41.900 --> 01:21:55.420
Sandra Welch: and Mayor Gomez had an excellent point as well in
expanding all the possibilities of certain types of issues. We're
actually limiting ourselves. So why would we want to do that?
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01:21:55.590 --> 01:22:01.210
Sandra Welch: Let's keep them separate and leave it in the county's
hands.
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01:22:01.960 --> 01:22:03.880
MayorRoss: Thank you.
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01:22:05.560 --> 01:22:08.000
MayorRoss: I thank you, Mayor Lou. Anyone else
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01:22:09.450 --> 01:22:12.060
Mary Lou Tighe: More hands, Mr. Chair.
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MayorRoss: Thank you. Then let me just cause I I've I've held my my tongue almost the entire meeting, and on this particular issue

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MayorRoss: I don't believe the county is willing to die on the hill for it. And nor should the cities. It is something that.

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MayorRoss: going back to what Mayor Gomer said, you know sometimes

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MayorRoss: less is better. And what I said in the very beginning.

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MayorRoss: when when we were to originally heard about this modification was, we're all governed by the Florida Bar rules

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MayorRoss: this document having said that would be sufficient.

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MayorRoss: i'm not opposed, and I want it clear i'm not opposed to what's in the document, or even how it's written. I I think it's apropos.

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MayorRoss: but not to be in our charter or our constitution.

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MayorRoss: More importantly, when I

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MayorRoss: analogize this position to the director, the the chief executive officer's position, which I think is way more important than merely an attorney. And I say that being an attorney, so don't anyone take offense to that.

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MayorRoss: I believe that that position

652 01:23:34.980 --> 01:23:40.900 MayorRoss: is so much more important, and yet we deemed it appropriate not to limit 653 01:23:40.980 --> 01:23:44.300 MayorRoss: who can be the chief executive officer. 654 01:23:44.980 --> 01:23:51.180 MayorRoss: and so that tells me we shouldn't be limiting on the attorney's end as well. 655 01:23:51.820 --> 01:24:02.220 MayorRoss: Having said that, i'm i'm open to what you all want to do, and I think I, you know, candidly going back because I I like to always keep an open mind. 656 01:24:02.240 --> 01:24:15.040 MayorRoss: and and I think the solution, if you will, came from President Morrison. The bifurcation, I think, is is a pretty decent idea if you want to move forward in that direction. 657 01:24:15.340 --> 01:24:16.190 MayorRoss: So. 658 01:24:16.780 --> 01:24:18.280 Mary Lou Tighe: Mr. Chair, you have 659 $01:24:18.600 \longrightarrow 01:24:24.330$ MayorRoss: No, no, no, I I I have Mike Ryan and Bob. 660 01:24:24.540 --> 01:24:32.120 MayorRoss: Yeah, okay, I I having said all that, I I want everyone to recognize that we have 30 min left. 661 01:24:32.130 --> 01:24:37.710 MayorRoss: and i'll go with Bob Marrison, Krishna Morrison first, and

then Mayor Ryan.

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Bob Mayersohn: No, I mean I would feel comfortable in making that motion. Whether or not we

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Bob Mayersohn: let the attorneys go back and try to figure out the second part.

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Bob Mayersohn: That's the question I have with my My only concern is is that there are cities that

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Bob Mayersohn: have this on the agenda

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Bob Mayersohn: to postpone it or to table it, or to pull it from an agenda for another couple of weeks.

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Bob Mayersohn: I'm: okay, with that. But I just want, you know, those cities to to know that we Haven't really completed.

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Bob Mayersohn: Looking at all these amendments or the cities could vote on the amendments, and then leave the.

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Bob Mayersohn: you know, coming back and vote for another. I, personally would rather have a clean document and vote on the whole thing all at once. you know, from a city. So when the time comes to make the motion I' to make.

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01:25:33.600 --> 01:25:36.830

MayorRoss: I I thank you. And now I have Mayor Ryan.

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MayorRoss: You muted My! If you could scroll up on the document. Whoever's in control of that.

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01:25:46.480 --> 01:25:48.530
Michael Ryan: so I can see the first paragraph again.
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01:25:52.110 --> 01:25:53.810
Michael Ryan: Right? I i'm i'm
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01:25:54.510 --> 01:25:58.550
Michael Ryan: supportive of 8.2 point 8.
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01:25:58.850 --> 01:26:08.060
Michael Ryan: I think everything else is unnecessary at this point,
and I can't think through it. We're gonna create delay again. We were
trying to get this done
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01:26:08.570 --> 01:26:09.660
Michael Ryan: before
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01:26:10.060 --> 01:26:18.440
Michael Ryan: really the counties that one it takes so long as summer
breaks. But but you know some cities will be out of commission
starting after, you know, middle of July.
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01:26:18.500 --> 01:26:30.120
Michael Ryan: and we're pushing into the fall. We're gonna tie it up
because it some claim a potential conflict in the future. And then
that's fine. That's the county's decision. But I think 8.2 point 8 is
fine.
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01:26:30.220 --> 01:26:41.530
Michael Ryan: If the direction from the county is that will not fly in
and of itself. Then we're going to have to. It's President Meerson
said. We're gonna have to. But everything on hold now for all the
cities, and just tell them to hold off.
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Michael Ryan: And then, lastly, what i'd say is.
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Michael Ryan: if there is a true conflict of interest.
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Michael Ryan: if it, if that's what this was about
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01:26:53.100 --> 01:26:56.760
Michael Ryan: that can be triggered without any provision in paragraph
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01:26:56.830 --> 01:26:58.650
Michael Ryan: completely irrelevant
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Michael Ryan: any conflict of interest under the Florida bar rules,
and each city attorney will know how to say, hey, we think there's a
conflict of interest. We represent sunrise, and we are telling
Authority Council. You have a conflict of interest
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01:27:13.480 --> 01:27:18.920
Michael Ryan: that comes with some very significant risks to Authority
council to disregard that.
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01:27:20.160 --> 01:27:32.130
Michael Ryan: And so I don't. I don't think these provisions are are
presently necessary, I don't think, mainly helps us, and I also can't
think through all of these different provisions, that it can't be used
for less than sincere
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01:27:32.280 --> 01:27:34.520
Michael Ryan: motivations. So
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01:27:35.990 \longrightarrow 01:27:39.390
Beam Furr: I think I think Drew.
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01:27:39.980 --> 01:27:44.270
MayorRoss: Okay, I I again. I I didn't see through his hand, so I
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01:27:44.480 --> 01:27:47.300
Drew: sorry I I
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01:27:47.590 --> 01:28:00.110
Drew: think something needs to be in here to address this. I'm not
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saying that as somebody with any portfolio before this working group, I don't have any portfolio, and you take your guidance on that from whatever you think is passed.

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Drew: I do interact with the County Commissioners. I believe that the only reason we're

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Drew: sort of quarreling over a specific language right now is because

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Drew: we didn't have enough time to take to basically spend maybe another 72 h

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Drew: with Mike and with Jamie I think we could reach a a total agreement. On this I believe

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Drew: I I I think the concern that was raised, and it did have some traction, and frankly, I was surprised a little bit by the traction, but

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Drew: the concern was that if you know, we have a couple of really great law firms who happen to have members who represent cities as as Lead council.

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Drew: and the concern was that they would be the ones who are representing this authority. And and you know, maybe it's not a full conflict, but and again not to Jamie, not to Mike. But maybe it's a soft conflict, and the tie goes to the municipalities

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Drew: as opposed to the Council, so the goal was to knock out all city of charities.

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01:29:03.530 --> 01:29:04.920 Drew: This doesn't do that

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Drew: this. This one does not prohibit anyone from Licerota, or or Mike Seerillo's firm from serving as attorney. But it's recognizing, and I think we could narrow it dramatically if we had another 48 or 72 h.

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Drew: It's recognizing it that there are certain procedural things that may come up, or this issue with disparate impact. Those are probably the only ones where people want to challenge it.

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Drew: Now you know to me that I believe would get the deal done if we If we delay, we propose something, and we try and get it worked out this week.

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Drew: If you want to go back and you want to approve this, which is a clause 8.2 point 8, the first paragraph, and not the others. Sure. It'll move things a little bit more quickly. But I don't know that it's in again us in the finish line with the county.

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Drew: So my view is, I would encourage this group

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Drew: to. If you have concerns with a specific language which I understand why every lawyer would, and everyone else would. Since this is just sent to you during this call.

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Drew: let us try to button this down, to limit what has to get into this this organic document and try and put other things if we can, in some sort of secondary document, see if we can reach consensus that we could all kind of hold our noses with a little bit and embrace, and if you don't want to do that, then we'll do our best to get this worked out, but

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you know I can see a definite roadblock, and that would leave for more delays.

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MayorRoss: I appreciate your your thoughts on that, drew.
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01:30:33.770 --> 01:30:51.270
Michael Ryan: I make this suggestion, then it doesn't seem May and I
only speaking for myself, i'm not prepared to vote, even on a a a
motion to just adopt paragraph one. If it's not going to clear the
cap. If if they want more time, then I think we have to do
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01:30:51.350 --> 01:30:53.790
Michael Ryan: probably 3 things: one we have to
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01:30:53.960 --> 01:31:00.890
Michael Ryan: allow our Council to continue to work to. We need to
notify all the cities that have it on
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01:31:01.080 --> 01:31:06.880
Michael Ryan: the agenda that frankly, they should should pull it
until we get get this passed.
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01:31:06.890 --> 01:31:14.590
Michael Ryan: and then 3. We have to schedule a a rapid meeting. If if
Drew's feeling ambitious, and he thinks by Friday.
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01:31:14.620 --> 01:31:21.740
Michael Ryan: you know we all. We all like to think things move that
quickly may not, but we're going to have to schedule a meeting next
week.
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01:31:21.770 --> 01:31:28.440
Michael Ryan: so that we can try to get commissions and councils to
put this back on, at least in June. Thank you, Mr. Chair.
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01:31:28.740 --> 01:31:31.160
MayorRoss: Thank you. And then I have Commissioner Fur.
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01:31:31.540 --> 01:31:37.360
Beam Furr: Thanks. My reading of my colleagues is that this where this
is going.
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Beam Furr: which is sufficient?
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Beam Furr: Yeah, I like, I think, Mayor Ross. There it was. It was a
soft vote
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Beam Furr: to be honest.
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01:31:45.430 --> 01:31:56.380
Beam Furr: The hands kind of slowly went up this. This would deal with
that. I would rather go, and that, and like tonight we're supposed to
go to a lot of the Lakes
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Beam Furr: and Wednesday.
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01:31:58.320 --> 01:32:02.740
Beam Furr: Danie. I think i'm i'm up. I'm up for still going there
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01:32:02.970 --> 01:32:13.090
Beam Furr: and passing it even with and say, there's one more part of
this. It may be coming back. or there, or there may be one more
amendment to it just to keep things moving.
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01:32:13.340 --> 01:32:16.210
Beam Furr: I I I can go either way on. But
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01:32:16.240 --> 01:32:18.770
Beam Furr: as i'd rather see the momentum continue.
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01:32:19.170 --> 01:32:22.920
Beam Furr: and then give Drew and Jamie and Mike
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01:32:23.090 --> 01:32:26.760
Beam Furr: a couple of days to to nail this down
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Beam Furr: and just give I I I see this as being able to be done. I I
don't, you know
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Beam Furr: there seems to be a willingness on all parts. I'd i'd
rather see them
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01:32:38.580 --> 01:32:43.460
Beam Furr: and give it. Give an opportunity to do that. Let him knock
it out, and then we keep keep going forward.
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01:32:45.390 --> 01:32:50.180
MayorRoss: Okay, I appreciate that, Commissioner, for I have Jamie
Cole, followed by Mike Cerillo.
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01:32:51.530 --> 01:33:07.990
Jamie Cole: You know one of the things that you know, I said
initially, and I think it's been said several times, as this does seem
to be a very a thing that should not be our constitution that this is
really something that should be outside of the Constitution. So what
if we approved that first paragraph?
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Jamie Cole: And then we add one more sentence which says: the party
directs that there are certain types of sensitive issues that could
arise for parties have conflicting interests.
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01:33:18.060 --> 01:33:19.290
Jamie Cole: comma
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01:33:19.410 --> 01:33:26.720
Jamie Cole: or period. The the governing board shall approve by
unanimous vote
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01:33:26.750 --> 01:33:30.750
Jamie Cole: within 90 days of the formation, a procedure
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01:33:31.210 --> 01:33:45.790
Jamie Cole: or independent council to handle, to to handle those
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matters, including defining what those matters are, and the process for it will be handled, and that's what goes in the Constitution which we could work out that language. Now

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Jamie Cole: and then, you know we'll deal with that much later on that by making it a unanimous vote.

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Jamie Cole: or you can make a majority vote of the plus the county vote. I know the county wants to be able to vote on it. The accounting wants to effectively have.

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Jamie Cole: Be sure that they like the procedure, but you know that should be doable and not

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Jamie Cole: yeah, not necessarily. You have to address it now, but we could also, over the next 2 weeks come up with something that we'll propose to with the kind of attorney and and Mike and I,

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Jamie Cole: and you know. So if one will know what it is, but it doesn't really seem like it has to be in the Ila, because that's the Constitution

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Beam Furr: I mentioned here what drew as soon. But that's an interesting idea.

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MayorRoss: and and i'll let him speak in 1 min. First I have Mike Cerillo then Drew and

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MayorRoss: go ahead.

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Michael Cirullo: I'm just first of all, I I kind of I agree with with Jamie on it. But I also think you know, if the if the work group wants

us to work on language, we can, the the issue as far as moving forward with other cities. I think that at least the city should be advised that there are substance of changes, and that if they move forward with it, they they might have

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Michael Cirullo: to bring it back, because I don't think you'll have a document

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Michael Cirullo: this week, even with the other changes that is in a notable form.

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Michael Cirullo: and these 4 cities have to go back and in in on it as well. I just just the point of order on on those cities. If you're if there's a meeting tonight, for example, at least they should know that. Hey, there's there's some substitute changes that are coming, and whether how they want to handle that, whether they're prepared to do it today and bring it up tonight or something. But

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Michael Cirullo: as far as moving forward. I mean.

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Michael Cirullo: I agree with Jamie's view on this, you know, I think

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Michael Cirullo: 8.2 point 8, is it? It's fine, and I think we could, if the working group wanted us to work with with the county attorney's office. We could continue to do that, but

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Michael Cirullo: more is probably or less is probably better in the

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Michael Cirullo: Protocol constitution. On this item

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MayorRoss: I appreciate that. I don't.

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MayorRoss: Oh, okay, I I appreciate it. I don't see where you're seeing it, and i'm blind. But I it's it's you're You're not blind, Mayor Ross. It's my lack of technological proficiency and just raising my hand. Thank you. I I apologize. Yeah, I

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Drew: he, before before we got on this call. I think the attorneys were extremely close

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Drew: on the final language. I think that what

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Drew: the the only thing that I've heard Jamie really mention. I think it. Well, the main thing is that, including but not limited, to which i'm pretty confident we could resolve that issue, and a a few hours of of for the review of the document

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Drew: on

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Drew: I just you know again, you you guys are going to do what you think is best. But I just see this having a much clearer path.

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Drew: If we address this, the second big piece here, and not just leave it as the first paragraph before this gets back to the County Commission. I think it's going to save us time

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Drew: to do that we may not, even theoretically depending on what the language looks like. Have to go back to the County Commission. Maybe this is going to be covered by our non substantive powers that we got as part of the of the motion.

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Drew: But you know, having that second piece, the conflict piece

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Drew: resolved later after councils already been retained. I think the language we would have to build into the document. To address our concerns would be just as complicated and take every bit as much room.

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Drew: So you know. Again. My view is that you? You seem pretty comfortable with the other 4. We all like the first paragraph and 8.2 8.

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Drew: I I would be stunned if we couldn't reach agreement on the difference on the balance of it by the end of this week. It may not be beautiful, but but I have news for you. Read this document.

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Drew: You know it's not a red branch not ready to be framed and hung on the wall, but it it's it's a solid document that's very practical, and this is a practical issue that I strongly encourage you to

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Drew: address now, and and give us a little bit of time to get a workout.

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MayorRoss: Thank you. Thank you, Mr. Myers. Bob Morrison.

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Bob Mayersohn: Yeah. Well, I mean, i'm gonna i'm gonna make a motion

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Bob Mayersohn: to adopt the first paragraph in in 8.2 8, with the caveat that the county attorneys and municipal attorneys work together to develop

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Bob Mayersohn: language that addresses the and i'll call it conflict of interest.

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Bob Mayersohn: and that's my motion.

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MayorRoss: Do I have it? I have a second by vice, Mayor Welch.
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MayorRoss: any further discussion on that
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01:38:39.390 --> 01:38:47.220
Beam Furr: I I I want to hear from Drew on this for one.
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01:38:47.300 --> 01:38:55.360
Michael Ryan: Does that suggest that we're on that we're not coming
back or deferring this to the attorneys to work it out because I
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01:38:55.830 --> 01:39:05.630
Michael Ryan: I have a suspicion that, as optimistic as Drew is, it
may not be that simple, and we still have an obligation to look at
that.
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01:39:05.660 --> 01:39:09.060
Michael Ryan: So is this just simply a placeholder until we meet
again?
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01:39:12.400 --> 01:39:23.840
Bob Mayersohn: I I would I would leave it, and again, I like to hear I
mean, Obviously, Beam wants to hear from Jamie from Drew. I'd like to
hear from Jamie or Mike, whether that can be accomplished where we
would.
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01:39:24.110 --> 01:39:28.710
Bob Mayersohn: it would be substantive enough where we would need to
come back, or it's something that
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01:39:29.130 --> 01:39:32.600
Bob Mayersohn: we would not, I mean. Obviously we all would want to
see it.
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01:39:32.850 --> 01:39:38.550
Bob Mayersohn: But whether or not Jamie or Mike think that they can
work it out where it's not substantive.
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Bob Mayersohn: I'd be willing to hear what they have to say.

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MayorRoss: Thank you, Commissioner Glassman.

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01:39:44.930 --> 01:39:45.970 Commissioner Steven Glassman: Yes.

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Commissioner Steven Glassman: thank you, Mayor. I I'm inclined not to want to support just taking this paragraph by paragraph. This is all gonna have to come back to us. Anyway. I don't really know

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Commissioner Steven Glassman: what we accomplished by that. It seems like it's just going to be delaying the inevitable one way or the other. So I I I don't. I think if we're going to do this we should do it holistically and really redo the entire section. I'm not actually in favor of this, and I would be voting against this as presented to us right now.

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Commissioner Steven Glassman: I think it needs work. I know that our City commission was going to have our discussion to ratify the Ila on the sixteenth, which is our next meeting a week from tomorrow. We're gonna pull that now and wait to see how this goes. It seems that whatever timetable we're given, and I know that we were told we had to wrap this up by June one.

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Commissioner Steven Glassman: The county does what it wants to do, anyway. So, regardless of what kind of timetables we try to stick to, and what if we put on our agendas, so I would rather really just figure out what we're doing here. I don't think any of this really needs to be in this governing document again. I'm opposed, but i'm definitely opposed to doing it piecemeal. Thanks.

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01:40:50.300 --> 01:40:52.200 MayorRoss: Thank you, Mike.

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Michael Cirullo: Just to speak on the question. I would be headed then to have this moved on just with the consent of Jamie and I, without the Solways working group signing off on the final product given the discussion today, and and that being said, if we wanted to look at a meeting, I think

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Michael Cirullo: if we don't have this wrapped up by next we we may. We're probably not able to wrap this up as lawyers.

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Michael Cirullo: That would be my opinion. And so, if you want to look at a meeting for next week.

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Michael Cirullo: I think that that would be a point of time. We either have some language that as lawyers, we could go to consensus around, or we're just not able to get there, and we have to bring it back to you for final decision on at least the second part, regardless of how you vote on the motion.

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MayorRoss: I appreciate that. I I think you all know how well I like to delay things, and for those who don't know me, I don't like to delay. Friday is my cut off date, because this is not what I call a difficult issue.

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MayorRoss: nor is it difficult verbiage, and if the attorneys can't get it together by Friday. Candidly, I can do it by Friday.

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MayorRoss: and and that's a challenge. So I know I know the attorneys and the caliber of the attorneys, and I have no qualms in telling you. By Friday you can do this. I have the utmost faith in you.

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Beam Furr: You want to meet on Friday.

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MayorRoss: I would like to have the attorneys have it completed literally by Thursday night, so that we can see it digest it, have the night to review it, and then we can start

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MayorRoss: discussing it on Friday.

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Beam Furr: I'm. Free.

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MayorRoss: I'm glad this chair. I just not that i'm important to the process. But

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Michael Ryan: Friday until late in the day would be very difficult for me.

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MayorRoss: and and that's fine. I have no difficulty candidly in doing it in the afternoon. It needs to be.

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MayorRoss: you know, give gives everyone a little more time to review what the attorneys have done. I do have another hand up, Mayor Brown, followed by Commissioner Morrison.

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Mayor Peggy Brown: Mayor Ross. Thank you so much. First and foremost, I I just want to acknowledge everybody's put in a great deal of effort towards this project.

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Mayor Peggy Brown: I myself, under my previous 6. Mayor Dan Sturmer has worked a great deal on this.

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Mayor Peggy Brown: I guess my question is, I mean, we're one of the first cities that jumped on board past resolution. So some of the questions I'm going to be faced with is, I know my city manager is on

this as well as my city attorney.

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Mayor Peggy Brown: but we've gone through several reiterations. And now we're going to go back to and and we're probably one of those grips that really municipalities really on board. Well, we've had several reiterations on this. I've heard what Mayor Ryan I've heard what all the other parties have said.

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Mayor Peggy Brown: but how many we day re iterations. Are we going to go through? We talked about substantive changes. So even if we greet upon these, or when we back, we go back to our commission.

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Mayor Peggy Brown: Can we be promised? And I know there are no promises that there's not going to be additional substantive changes. Now, some of those questions I asked, are rhetorical. But I do have to ask this

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Mayor Peggy Brown: if we go back, and in whatever format we agree today or we move forward. Is there going to be additional substantive changes when the county has had this in their hands all along.

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01:44:35.120 --> 01:44:39.970 MayorRoss: Thank you, Mayor Ross.

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Beam Furr: Bob, you mute, you're muted.

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Bob Mayersohn: I had I had something very.

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Bob Mayersohn: but hearing the comments that I'm hearing and and the I guess the willingness of the attorneys to

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Bob Mayersohn: work collaboratively together. I I would withdraw

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Bob Mayersohn: my motion and defer
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Bob Mayersohn: this item until Friday, or whatever date we set for
another new meeting.
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01:45:15.670 --> 01:45:18.270
Bob Mayersohn: only because I think that
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Bob Mayersohn: you know as as a Commissioner Glassman has said, and I
think some others have reiterated.
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01:45:24.810 --> 01:45:35.700
Bob Mayersohn: Let's take this 8.2, and put it all together as opposed
to piecemeal it. I think would be the best interest in all of us, as
much as I'd like to vote on something to move something forward.
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Bob Mayersohn: We already did 4 amendments, I guess the fifth one can
kind of wait until we get
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Bob Mayersohn: it all put together and tied up in a ribbon in a boat.
So those are My.
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Bob Mayersohn: that's I, and I guess Commissioner, Wealth or vice
mayor else would have to.
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Bob Mayersohn: Would you all her second as well.
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01:45:54.320 --> 01:45:56.800
MayorRoss: and i'll ask commission, Welch, if you do so.
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Sandra Welch: Yes, thank you. I will withdraw the second, and I I do
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want to make a couple of comments. I like Mayor Ryan wouldn't be available until the afternoon. I have Water Advisory Board meeting that morning. 834 01:46:13.200 --> 01:46:23.630 Sandra Welch: and we have it on our agenda for Thursday. May 11. I'm gonna ask that. It be pulled. because I think to Mayor rails, Boy. 835 01:46:23.660 --> 01:46:26.630 Sandra Welch: if we keep going back with changes. 836 01:46:26.830 --> 01:46:32.430 Sandra Welch: We're losing our credibility with our residents in each one of our cities, so 837 01:46:33.580 --> 01:46:37.480 MayorRoss: I appreciate that, and I have Commissioner fur 838 01:46:37.920 --> 01:46:38.720 thank you. 839 01:46:38.730 --> 01:46:41.030 Beam Furr: and to to respond to Peggy 840 01:46:41.140 --> 01:46:46.830 Beam Furr: or I do think that this I I don't want us to lose sight of how far we've gotten. 841 $01:46:46.980 \longrightarrow 01:46:54.730$ Beam Furr: and the fact the county has already passed this it's. We are like on the one inch line. Here I don't see any other changes. 842 01:46:55.010 --> 01:46:58.130 Beam Furr: I I this this was 843

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Beam Furr: thoroughly vetted through all that

Beam Furr: I think every I could be, you know

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Beam Furr: I never say never. But I think Drew would probably say the same thing on this

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Drew: I would, Commissioner. I don't expect other changes either, but never say never. But we don't

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Beam Furr: right. That's that's my feeling.

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MayorRoss: I appreciate that I thank you then what i'm proposing because we now have no motion pending it's coming up on the 10'clock hour. I would. Mr. Chair, you do have Commissioner Welsh Vice Mayor. What's his hand is still up. I'm. Sorry for a new question. Okay, Thank you. Commission, Welch.

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Sandra Welch: I just wanted to point at clarification if I could. So are we

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Sandra Welch: eliminating the substantive change in relation to the the conflict of interest

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Sandra Welch: when we're asking the Council to get together going forward.

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Sandra Welch: Are we eliminating? It being in this document? I don't know that I ever heard consensus from everyone about that

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MayorRoss: I I haven't heard anything about anything being eliminated. I have heard that the attorneys are going to meet

01:48:13.400 --> 01:48:15.150 MayorRoss: at collaboratively

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MayorRoss: and reduce to writing by Thursday evening something that we can all look forward to discussing hopefully. Friday at 20'clock. If that is good for everyone.

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Michael Ryan: Mister, that's gonna be really hard. I'm gonna I. I'll try to appear by phone, but I i'm not confident that i'll be in a position to. But I understand this needs to move forward. I would note to Commissioner for Yes, the county passed, and all I and Ila

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Michael Ryan: just not the one that we approved.

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MayorRoss: Mike would, an hour later be better for you. Yes, sir. Yeah, thank you, Mr. Chair. I apologize for the accommodation.

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MayorRoss: and I just want to know if everyone is is good with that. Is there any strong objection to that?

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MayorRoss: I don't see any hands being raised? So I appreciate you all really taking the time coming up to the weekend to do this. And more importantly, I want to say thank you to the attorneys, not only for the effort that you've made, but for the effort that you were going to make on our behalf.

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MayorRoss: Having said that, i'll open it up to public meeting. Is there anyone who wishes to speak?

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Mary Lou Tighe: I don't see any hands.

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MayorRoss: Thank you very much. Council. Member

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Mary Lou Tighe: your your muted council member
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01:49:54.110 --> 01:49:55.730
Beam Furr: still still muted there
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MayorRoss: Council member, but we don't hear you.
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01:50:10.460 --> 01:50:12.820
MayorRoss: In the meantime, anyone else from the public.
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01:50:14.650 --> 01:50:16.200
Beam Furr: David. Maybe you could type it.
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01:50:17.730 --> 01:50:19.440
MayorRoss: You want to put it in the chat.
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01:50:22.420 --> 01:50:24.440
Mary Lou Tighe: Sally. Is there any way you can unmute him?
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01:50:26.730 --> 01:50:29.440
Sely Cochrane: I can. I just can offer him to unmute?
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01:50:29.710 --> 01:50:30.750
Mary Lou Tighe: Okay, Thank you.
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MayorRoss: I see no one else wishing to speak on behalf of the public.
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MayorRoss: giving every opportunity.
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MayorRoss: But I can't afford
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MayorRoss: more time.

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David Ravanesi: Yes, sir. Okay, I'm very new to this. I'm awfully sorry. I I've been listening to all of you. I attended the other meeting in person, maybe a month ago. I'm i'm. I'm a commission. I've only 2 months, and I've been i'm on the i'm the layers on I guess for Hillsborough Beach.

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David Ravanesi: and as I understand these amendments that you to making changes on, we have to do this by June one. Am I correct?

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MayorRoss: It? It is preferable by that date. I I've extended it essentially a week, so we can do it by June seventh.

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David Ravanesi: Okay, by Jo. Okay. So so after your Friday meeting, if all the changes have been made will be notified, and then we'll have to have the documents sent to us and signed by the commission on the town manager

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David Ravanesi: to approve these changes. The Commission has to approve it. Okay, so. And then we'll be notified by email and because i'm new to this. I don't want to sound dumb, but I just want to be. I want to be sure that i'm on track to do this right.

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MayorRoss: not a problem, and if there's additional time that's needed

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MayorRoss: more than June 7, believe me, i'm i'm flexible, Knowing that this is moving forward.

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David Ravanesi: Okay, I I I just want to inform my town manager, who's not here? Who's Who's well informed on the subject that more changes are coming relative to these items that have been, you know, in fact,

looked at and have to be amended, so

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David Ravanesi: we'll expect to hear from from the Commission again, so we can vote on this properly right.

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MayorRoss: You'll hear from the committee, but we're going to have another date, which is this coming Friday. At 30'clock we'll have another meeting. Notice what we sent out Council Member. We'll communicate with you as well as your town manager and all the cities on on where we are in this issue.

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David Ravanesi: Okay, Thank you. I just want to be on board, and

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MayorRoss: on the right.

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Mary Lou Tighe: I don't see any hands, Mr. Chair. Nobody is waving at me. I don't see anything in the chat.

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MayorRoss: so I think we're good to go.

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MayorRoss: You have a great day.