

Events

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Forest Ave., Orlando, \$17 for garden members, \$22 for nonmembers, leugardens.org, 407-246-2620.

Walk: The Mid-Florida Milers Walking Club, a member of the American Volkssport Association, is sponsoring walks in Orlando Downtown South. The walks will go by the historic train station, the Orlando Health complex before ending through residential areas. Two distances available — 10K (6.2 miles) or 5K (3.1 miles). Start between 8:30-9:15 a.m. Jan. 20, Beardall Senior Center, 800 S. Delaney Ave., Orlando, \$4 per person, free for walkers ages 12 or younger who do not want credit, 404-222-8118, email beachfan10478651@aol.com.

GriefShare-Loss of a Spouse/ Partner: Open to anyone who is grieving the loss of a spouse/partner no matter how long ago the loss occurred. Learn how to process your grief and face the future with hope. All faiths welcome. Walk-ins are welcome the day of the event. 2-4 p.m. Jan. 21, St. Luke's United Methodist Church, 4851 S. Apopka-Vineland Road, Orlando. Register online at st.lukes.org/GriefShare-spouse. Email care@st.lukes.org or call 407-876-4991, Ext. 262.

Driver safety program: The AARP Driver Safety Program's Smart Driver Course helps participants refine driving skills and develop safe driving habits. Upon completion of the course, Florida drivers 50 or older may be eligible for vehicle insurance discounts. Reservations required. Attendance is mandatory at both classes to receive a certificate. 9 a.m.-noon Jan. 22-23; 5-8 p.m. Feb. 12-13; 9 a.m.-noon April 22-23; 5-8 p.m. June 17-18, Jessie Brock Community Center, 310 N. Dillard St., Winter Garden, \$20 for AARP members, \$25 for nonmembers, 407-656-4155.

Raised Bed Vegetables and Herbs: Recently retired Leu Gardens' Director, Robert Bowden will explain how to grow vegetables and herbs in raised beds. Advance registration required. 9:30-11:30 a.m. Jan. 25, Harry P. Leu Gardens, 1920 N. Forest Ave., Orlando, \$17 garden members, \$22 nonmembers, leugardens.org, 407-246-2620.

Author reading and discussion: Join Newbery Honor recipient and Coretta Scott King Award-winning children's author Alicia D. Williams

for a reading and discussion of her picture book, "Jump at the Sun — The True Life Tale of Unstoppable Storycatcher Zora Neale Hurston." This event is funded thanks to a matching grant from South Arts, in partnership with the National Endowment for the Arts and the Florida Department of State Division of Arts and Culture. 10:30 a.m. Jan. 26, Eatonville branch of the Orange County Library System, 200 E. Kennedy Blvd., Eatonville, free, 407-835-7323.

gARTening Series — Garden Glam-Creating a Personalized Flower Crown: Presented by Orange County Extension Agent Clarissa Chairez, this hands-on workshop is designed for flower enthusiasts of all levels. Advance registration required. 2-3 p.m. Jan. 26, Orange County University of Florida IFAS Extension, 6021 S. Conway Road, Orlando, \$15, 407-254-9200, ocextension.eventbrite.com.

Succulent Tree Workshop: Learn how to create a beautiful succulent tree that will look beautiful in any room of your house. Learn about the wide variety of succulents that thrive in Florida. Then, have a chance to put together a tree filled with succulents to take home. All supplies will be provided. Wear appropriate garden clothes. Registration includes admission to the gardens after class. Advance registration required. 9:30-11:30 a.m. Jan. 27, Harry P. Leu Gardens, 1920 N. Forest Ave., Orlando, \$40 for members, \$45 for nonmembers, leugardens.org, 407-246-2620.

Windowsill Herbs: Robert Bowden will answer your questions and offer several tips to help make your indoor garden successful. Advance registration required. 9:30-11:30 a.m. Jan. 27, Harry P. Leu Gardens, 1920 N. Forest Ave., Orlando, \$17 for members, \$22 for nonmembers, leugardens.org, 407-246-2620.

The Camellia — Queen of the Winter Garden: Join recently retired Leu Gardens' Director, Robert Bowden, first in the classroom and then on a walking tour of the signature collection of Leu Gardens. Selection, planting, fertilization, pruning and general culture will be discussed. Advance registration required. 1-2:30 p.m. Jan. 27, Harry P. Leu Gardens, 1920 N. Forest Ave., Orlando, \$17 for members, \$22 for nonmembers, leugardens.org, 407-246-2620.

GriefShare: A 13-week non-denominational support group for

anyone who has experienced the death of a family member or friend. Online group begins 6:30 p.m. Feb. 1 and in-person group begins 10 a.m. Jan. 30, St. Luke's United Methodist Church, 4851 S. Apopka-Vineland Road, Orlando, free, email care@st.lukes.org or call 407-876-4991, Ext. 262.

Mayor's Job Fair: Featuring more than 100 employers offering thousands of career openings in various industries and resources on hand to assist your job search. Bring resumes and dress professionally. No children. Noon-4 p.m. Jan. 31, Central Florida Fair Expo Park, 4603 W. Colonial Drive, Orlando, free, CFEC.org/job-fairs, 407-834-4022.

Coin Show: Sponsored by Central Florida Coin Club. More than 30 coin dealers will have high quality coins for the beginner to advanced collectors. A grading company will be accepting submissions. Children ages 12 or younger receive a free coin. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Feb. 4, Venue on the Lake — The Maitland Civic Center, 641 S. Maitland Ave., Maitland, admission is free, 407-657-6440 or email cfcbbourse@hotmail.com.

Amateur Radio and Electronics Show: The Orlando Amateur Radio Club's 77th annual "HamCation" event will feature more than 30 educational forums, 100 commercial vendors, 200 swap tables and outdoor tailgate to demonstrate and sell amateur radios, parts, amateur radio related computer hardware and software. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Feb. 9-10, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Feb. 11, Central Florida Fairgrounds, 4603 W. Colonial Drive, Orlando, \$25 covers admission for all three days, 407-841-0874 hamcation.com.

Central Florida Koi and Goldfish Show: The annual judged koi show will feature entries from across the country, vendors of koi, goldfish, pond supplies, aquatic plants and garden art. There will also be a goldfish show with certified judging. Sponsored by Orlando Area Koi & Pond Club, ZNA Southern Koi Association and the koi clubs of Florida East Coast, Rainbow River and Gainesville. 1-5 p.m. March 8, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. March 9, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. March 10, Avanti Palms Resort, 6515 International Drive, Orlando, admission is free, cfs.org.

Bahia Shrine Apopka Annual 5K Camel Walk/Run: There will be multiple events for walkers and runners. One Mile; 5K (3.1 miles); Challenge (One Mile + 5K); 0.05K (164 feet); Virtual 5K (for those out of town that cannot attend).

Proceeds will benefit the Bahia Shrine Center Apopka. 7:30 a.m. April 6, Northwest Recreation Complex, 3710 Jason Dwell Parkway. Apopka, \$10-\$45, email BahiaShriners5K@gmail.com, 407-414-8927.

Liberty Karate Club: Minimum age 15 years old. 7:30-9 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, Friends Community Church, 53 S. Dean Road, Orlando, \$40 per month, libertykarateclub.com, 407-484-5124.

Duplicate Bridge: Sanctioned Duplicate Bridge games offered by the Orlando Bridge Club. Noon Monday-Saturday, St. Richard's Episcopal Church 5151 Lake Howell Road, Winter Park, free, 407-619-5333, orlandobridgeclub.org.

Central Florida Stamp Club: Meetings include auctions and informative lectures. 6 p.m. the first and third Thursdays of the month, Marks Street Senior Recreation Complex, 99 E. Marks St., Orlando, free, 407-312-5706.

Driver safety program: The AARP Driver Safety Program's Smart Driver Course helps refine driving skills and develop safe driving habits. Upon completion, Florida drivers 50 or older may be eligible for vehicle insurance discounts. Reservations required. 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. the third Tuesday every month through May, Marks Street Senior Recreation Complex, 99 E. Marks St., Orlando, \$20 for AARP members, \$25 for nonmembers, 407-961-1473.

Driver safety program: The AARP Driver Safety Program's Smart Driver Course helps refine driving skills and develop safe driving habits. Upon completion of the course, Florida drivers 50 or older may be eligible for vehicle insurance discounts. Arrive at 8:45 a.m. for registration. 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. the fourth Thursday of the every month through May, Renaissance Senior Center, 3800 S. Econlockhatchee Trail, Orlando, \$20 for AARP members, \$25 for nonmembers, 407-254-9070.

TOPS Club Inc. (Taking Off Pounds Sensibly): 9-10 a.m. Saturdays, Eastland Baptist Church, 9000 Lake Underhill Road, Orlando, first visit free, then \$5 monthly dues, 985-513-2866.

Tai chi and qigong classes: Learn how to improve wellness, range of motion, breathing capacity and many other benefits. 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Thursdays, The University Club of Winter Park, 841 N. Park Ave., Winter Park, \$12 per class, info@mindandbodyexercises.com, 407-

234-0119.

Antique Automobile Club of America, Florida Region: Share your enthusiasm for old cars. AACA shows, tours, cruises and more. Ownership of an antique car is not required. For membership information call. 7 p.m. the second Monday of each month, All Saints Episcopal Church, 338 E. Lyman Ave., Winter Park, 863-604-3148.

Ukulele Meetup and Jam: Ukulele players of all levels are invited to play. Meetups consist of playing popular songs and sharing playing tips. 10 a.m.-noon the second Saturday of the month, Winter Park Public Library, 1052 W. Morse Blvd., Winter Park, free, 407-721-4289.

Orlando Amateur Radio Club: Guests are welcome. License testing at 5:30 p.m., meetings 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month, Beardall Senior Center, 800 S. Delaney Ave., Orlando, 407-841-0874, oarc.org.

Craft fair: Featuring knit and crochet items, baby quilts, floral arrangements, jewelry and wooden crafts. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. fourth Tuesday of the month, Marks Street Senior Recreation Complex, 99 E. Marks St., Orlando, free, 407-247-7814.

Orlando Camera Club: Monthly meetings held on Zoom and in-person. 6:30 p.m. the second and fourth Monday of each month, Marks Street Senior Recreation Complex, 99 E. Marks St., Orlando, free, orlandocameraclub.com.

Greater Orlando Orchid Society: 6:30-9:30 p.m. the third Tuesday of the month, Beardall Senior Center, 800 S. Delaney Ave., Orlando, guests welcome, greaterorlandoorchidsociety.com.

TOPS Club Inc. (Taking Off Pounds Sensibly): Weigh-in 9-9:30 a.m. Meeting 9:30-10:15 a.m. Thursdays, Asbury Methodist Church, 220 Horatio Ave., Maitland, first visit free, then \$5 monthly dues, 407-376-7512.

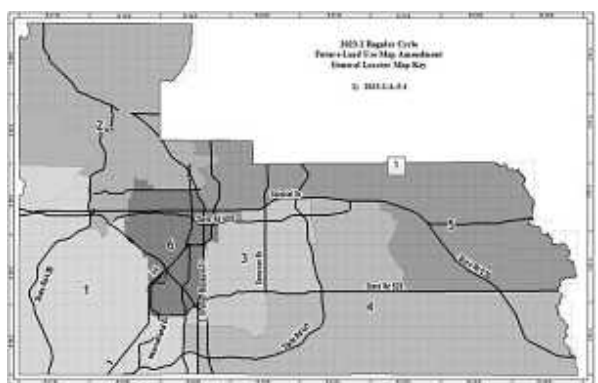
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Joseph Rassel of the Sentinel staff compiled this report. To submit an item, email communityevents@orlandosentinel.com.

NOTICE OF CHANGE TO THE ORANGE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN — PUBLIC HEARINGS

On Tuesday, January 23, 2024, beginning at 2:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, the Orange County Board of County Commissioners (BOC) shall conduct public hearings in the Orange County Administration Center at 201 S. Rosalind Ave., 1st Floor, in downtown Orlando, FL, regarding the transmittal of the 2023-2 Regular Cycle Amendments to the Orange County Comprehensive Plan ("CP"), as it has been amended, as authorized by Chapter 163, Florida Statutes, for the following matters:

A. Privately Initiated Future Land Use Element Map Amendment to Change the Designation of Lands within Areas Identified on Map Set Forth Below



1. 2023-2-A-5-1: R to LP - Parcel ID#: 05-22-32-0000-00-001/002/006/007/011/012/013/014; 06-22-32-0000-00-002; 07-22-32-0000-00-001; and 08-22-32-0000-00-018; Generally located north of Lake Pickett Rd., south of the Orange/Seminole County line, east of Econlockhatchee River, and west of Chulouta Rd. — 1,317.61 gross ac.

B. Staff Initiated Comprehensive Plan Text Amendment

2023-2-B-FLUE-1 - Text amendment to Future Land Use Element Policy FLU8.1.4 establishing the maximum densities and intensities for proposed Planned Developments within Orange County, associated with Amendment 2023-2-A-5-1

ABBREVIATIONS INDEX: IND-Industrial; C-Commercial; O-Office; LDR-Low Density Residential; LMDR-Low-Medium Density Residential; MDR-Medium Density Residential; MHDR-Medium-High Density Residential; HDR-High Density Residential; PD-Planned Development; EDU-Educational; CONS-Wetland/Conservation; PR/OS-Parks/Recreation/Open Space; OS-Open Space; CONS-Conservation; PRES-Preservation; R-Rural/Agricultural; RS-Rural Settlement; RS 1/1-Rural Settlement 1/1; RS 1/2-Rural Settlement 1/2; RSLD 2/1-Rural Settlement Low Density; INST-Institutional; ACMU-Activity Center Mixed Use; ACR-Activity Center Residential; GC-Growth Center; PD-Planned Development; LP-Lake Pickett; USA-Urban Service Area; WB-Water Body; CP-Comprehensive Plan; FLUM-Future Land Use Map; FLUE-Future Land Use Element; TRAN-Transportation Element; GOPS-Goals, Objectives, and Policies; OBJ-Objective; SR-State Road; AC-Acres

Any interested party may appear at any of the public hearings and be heard regarding the consideration of the above described Comprehensive Plan Amendments, and submit written comments to the address below prior to the public hearing.

Any of the public hearings may be continued on the date of the public hearing to a future date or dates. Any interested party is hereby advised that the date, time, and place of any continuation of a public hearing shall be announced during the public hearing and that no further notices regarding these matters will be published.

To obtain more detailed information, or to inspect the proposed amendment package, or any part thereof, any interested party may appear between 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, at the Orange County Planning Division, 201 S. Rosalind Ave., 2nd Floor, Orlando, FL, 32801, or telephone during those same hours at 407-836-5600, or send an email to planning@ocfl.net.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if any person with a disability as defined by the ADA needs special accommodation to participate in this proceeding, then not later than two (2) business days prior to the proceeding, that person should contact the Orange County Communications Division, 3rd Floor, Orange County Administration Center, 201 S. Rosalind Ave., Orlando, FL, or telephone that department at (407) 836-6568.

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