

Engagement Survey

1. In regard to this item being submitted to the agenda, has County staff engaged with the stakeholders in a way that allowed input/ feedback to be shared?

☒ Yes, *please fill out the remainder of this form*

☐ No, please explain why: _____
(If no, there is no need to continue filling out this form)

2. Please provide the following information for each method of engagement used by County staff.
(Please write N/A for any items that are not applicable)

Engagement Activity	Quantity	Date(s)	Location(s)	Was community input recorded
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Hosted by County				
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Hosted with stakeholders				
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Surveys				
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Interviews				
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Focus Groups				
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Other: MoU Stakeholders include: Alachua Conservation Trust, Camp Blanding Joint Training Center, City of Gainesville, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, National Interagency Prescribed Fire Training Center, National Park Service, St. Johns River Water Management District, The Nature Conservancy, University of Florida, USDA Forest Service, and US Fish and Wildlife Service. This is the second renewal of this agreement. These stakeholders were parties to the previous agreement.

Public notice and information on prescribed fire is given at Alachua County Forever Management Plan public meetings and annual prescribed fire notification letters are sent to neighbors who live near potential burn areas. Additionally, staff participate in public outreach events to educate the public about prescribed fire.

3. Please indicate what communication/ outreach was used to inform the public about your engagement activities. (Select all that apply)

- ☒ Email
- ☐ Letter from Mayor/ Commission
- ☒ Mailers
- ☐ Phone calls
- ☒ Print media (flyers, posters)
- ☒ Social Media

- ☐ **X Website**
- ☐ Other: _____

4. How has stakeholder input/ feedback been incorporated into the recommendations being presented to the County Commission?

The feedback was analyzed for patterns in priorities, questions, and goals mentioned by community members and has been compiled into the report and presentation to be offered to the Commission.