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Indiantown to Discuss Future Growth in Special Workshop Session

First draft of Land Development Regulations to be presented on Thursday, July 30

Indiantown, FL – The future of land use and development in the Village of Indiantown will be discussed Thursday, July 30, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. during a virtual public workshop presenting the first draft of the new Land Development Regulations (LDR). A link for the virtual workshop is provided on the Village calendar at www.indiantownfl.gov.

The Village's LDR's will set development guidelines, building codes and design standards for future growth within Village boundaries. The plan was formulated jointly between Village staff and consultant Calvin, Giordano and Associates. Since incorporation, the Village has been operating under the 2017 Martin County land development code.

"This is a culmination of all the work we put in at the community input sessions," said Village of Indiantown Community and Economic Development Director Althea Jefferson, AICP. "The staff listened to the community and their ideas were incorporated into the LDR."

Jefferson said the residents want a simple to understand, clear LDR that aligns with the goals of the Village Comprehensive Plan and manages sensible growth along desired design guidelines.

Comments from the workshop will be incorporated into the plan before final draft is presented to the Village Council for adoption later this year.

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Indiantown is a rural community in Florida's Treasure Coast. First established in the early 1900s, then incorporated on December 31, 2017, Florida's youngest municipality hosts a diverse population of roughly 6,000 residents. While it may be small, its resident engagement is exemplary and its potential for community building and new business opportunity is large. The Village mission seeks to enable economic prosperity and business while building pride and cohesion through hands-on self-governance.

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