

## Planning and Development Services

## City Commission Legistar Item No. 140471 PB-14-120 LUC May 21, 2015

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| Board of County Commissioners |

## Petition Request

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Rezone property from RMF-6 (8-15 units/acre multiple-family residential district) to Conservation

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- Subject property is part of Paynes Prairie Sweetwater Preserve, owned by Alachua County
- Bulk of 113.5 acre preserve is in unincorporated area, with Alachua County Preservation land use \& zoning. The 4.4 acre portion within city limits has Residential Medium-Density (8-30 units/acre) land use \& RMF-6 zoning
- Proposed Conservation land use is most compatible with Alachua County Preservation land use \& zoning categories
- No further development anticipated on the property. Property is managed as part of Paynes Prairie Sweetwater Preserve
- Conservation land use will protect and preserve unique natural \& cultural resources found on property and provide passive recreational opportunities
- CON land use is compatible with surrounding uses including vacant land \& lift station to the west; Evergreen Cemetery to the east; vacant strip of land to north adjacent to multi-family; and the nature preserve to the south
- Site within TMPA Zone A; not expected to create significant traffic impacts because property is part of managed natural area with nature-based recreation component
- Proposed Conservation land use is consistent with Comprehensive Plan


# GAINEville STAFF RECOMMENDATIOTON: 

## - Approve Petition PB-14-120 LUC

## - Adopt Ordinance 140471

- Plan Board approved petition 5-0 on October 23, 2014.

