#### Lee County Board Of County Commissioners Agenda Item Summary

Blue Sheet No. 20040355

#### 1. REQUESTED MOTION:

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ACTION REQUESTED: Approve Purchase Agreement for acquisition of Parcel 135, Veronica S. Shoemaker Blvd. Extension Project No. 4073, in the amount of \$39,300; authorize payment of costs to close and the Division of County Lands to handle all documentation necessary to complete transaction.

WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY: The Board must accept all real estate conveyances to Lee County.

WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES: The Board avoids Eminent Domain.

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Negotiated for: Lee County DOT and the City of Fort Myers Interest to Acquire: Fee interest in 22,602 square feet of land improved with a chain-link fence									
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Owner: National Organization of the New Apostolic Church of North America, an Illinois Religious Corporation									
Address: 2425 Highland Avenue, Fort Myers									
STRAP No.: 19-44-25-P2-01006.0000									
Purchase Details:									
Purchase Price \$39,300									
Costs to Close \$1,000									
Appraisal Information:									
Company: Hanson Real Estate Advisors, Inc.									
Appraised Value: \$37,300 as of November 24, 2003  Staff Recommendation: Staff is of the opinion that the purchase price increase of \$2,000 above the appraised value can be									
justified considering the costs associated with condemnation proceedings, estimated between \$3,000 - \$5,000 excluding land									
value increased and attorney fees. Staff recommends the Board approve the requested motion.									
Account: City of Fort Myers Acct. #310-4315-546-6100									
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This document prepared by Lee County Division of County Lands Project: Palmetto Extension Project

Parcel: 135

STRAP No.: 19-44-25-P2-01006.0000

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(CORPORATE SEAL)	BUYER:				
CHARLIE GREEN, CLERK	LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS				
BY: DEPUTY CLERK (DATE)	BY:CHAIRMAN OR VICE CHAIRMAN  APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM  AND SUFFICIENCY				
	COUNTY ATTORNEY (DATE)				



January 15, 2003

#### DESCRIPTION

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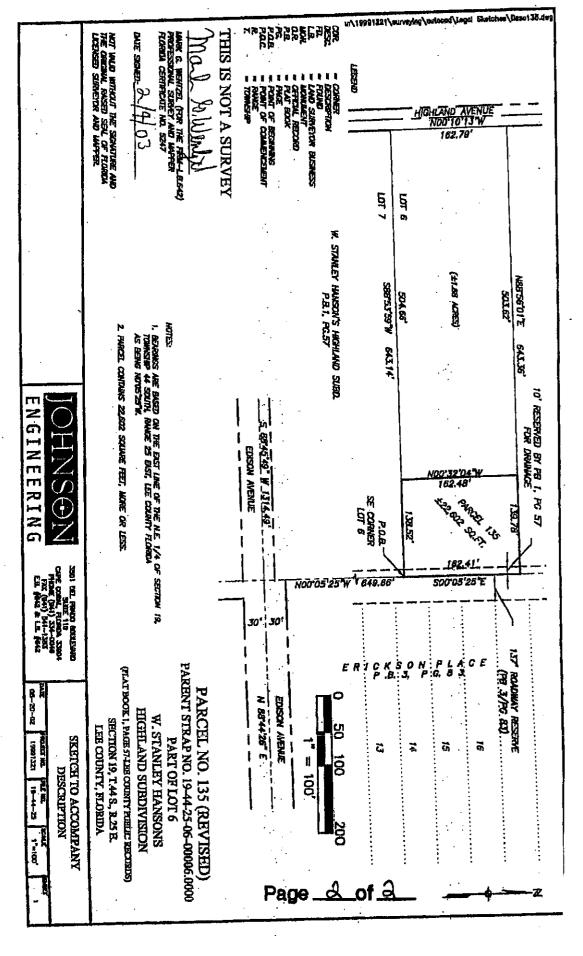
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Mark G. Wentzel (For The Firm

Professional Land Surveyor Florida Certificate No. 5247

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EXNIDIT "A"

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### **Division of County Lands**

**Updated In House Title Search** 

Search No. 19-44-25-P2-01006.0000

Date: February 16, 2004

Parcel: 135

Project: Veronica S. Shoemaker Blvd.

Ext. #4073

To:

Michele S. McNeill, SR/WA

From:

Shelia A. Bedwell, C

**Property Acquisition Agent** 

**Property Acquisition Assistant** 

STRAP:

19-44-25-P2-01006.0000

An update has been requested of In House Title Search No. 21884/C which covers the period beginning January 1, 1940, at 8:00 a.m. and is now complete through January 26, 2004, at 5:00 p.m.

Subject Property: See attached Schedule "X"

Title to the subject property is vested in the following:

National Organization of the New Apostolic Church of North America, Inc., an Illinois religious organization.

by that certain instrument dated January 26, 1990, recorded February 1, 1990, in Official Record Book 2125, Page 2046, Public Records of Lee County, Florida.

#### Subject to:

- Plat book and page recited in legal descriptions on Certificate of Title recorded in Official 1. Record Book 2000, Page 2512 and Warranty Deed recorded in Official Record Book 2125, Page 2046, Public Records of Lee County, Florida are incorrect. This must be addressed and resolved by the title company or attorney that handles the transfer to the County.
- Drainage easement granted to Lee County recorded in Official Records Book 2199, Page 2. 2708, Public Records of Lee County, Florida.
- Notice of Development Order, recorded in Official Record Book 2321, Page 694, Public 3. Records of Lee County, Florida.

The Plat of W. Stanley Hanson's High Land Subdivision recorded in Plat Book 1, Page NOTE(1): 57, Public Records of Lee County, Florida has language describing a 10 foot drainage ditch with a fall of 9 ft. per mile. The language also states that the ditch is used for subsoil irrigation. The drainage ditch appears to abut the East line of subject property.

### **Division of County Lands**

**Updated In House Title Search** 

Search No. 19-44-25-P2-01006.0000

Date: February 16, 2004

Parcel: 135

Project: Veronica S. Shoemaker Blvd.

Ext. #4073

Tax Status: 2003 taxes have been paid in full.

(The end user of this report is responsible for verifying tax and/or assessment information.)

The Division of County Lands has made a diligent search of the Public Record. However, this report contains no guarantees nor warranty as to its accuracy.

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#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

PROJECT NAME: Veronica S. Shoemaker Blvd.

PARCEL NUMBER: 135

(Formerly Palmetto Avenue Extension)

OWNER OF RECORD: National Organization of the New Apostolic Church of North

America.

LOCATION: East side of Highland Avenue and north of Edison Avenue in the Fort Myers

market area, Lee County, Florida.

LAND AREA: 104,586 square feet or 2.401 acres.

**IMPROVEMENTS:** Church building and site improvements.

ZONING/LAND USE: AG-2 (Agriculture)/Intensive Development and a small percentage is

Central Urban.

HIGHEST AND BEST USE: "As vacant" is for future commercial/light industrial development and "as improved" is for continued utilization as a church with the potential for

future expansion of the facility onto the excess land.

ESTIMATE OF VALUE – COST APPROACH: N/A

ESTIMATE OF PARENT TRACT VALUE - MARKET APPROACH: \$172,600\*

\*The parent tract value estimate is exclusive of the improvements that are outside the

proposed acquisition area that are considered to be unaffected by the taking.

ESTIMATE OF VALUE - INCOME APPROACH: N/A

FINAL VALUE ESTIMATE: N/A

INTEREST APPRAISED: Fee Simple in the parent tract before and after the proposed

acquisition.

**DATE OF VALUATION:** November 24, 2003

APPRAISERS: Woodward S. Hanson, MAI, CRE, CCIM and Timothy P. Foster

SPECIAL ASSUMPTIONS: None

**AMOUNT DUE OWNER:** 

Value of Property Rights Taken:

Parcel 135 (Land Taken):

\$37,300

Parcel 135 (Improvements Taken):

-0-

Sub Total (Property Rights Taken):

\$37,300

Incurable Severance Damages:

-0-

Total Amount Due Owner:

\$37,300

## **5-Year Sales History**

Parcel No. 135

Veronica S. Shoemaker Blvd. Extension Project No. 4073

#### **NO SALES in PAST 5 YEARS**

NOTE: Sale(s) relate to "parent tract" of the subject parcel.

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PARCEL 135, PALMETTO EXTENSION PROJECT RE:

Request for review and sign-off on acquisition proposal

Dear Saeed:

The appraisal for parcel 135 has been reviewed and approved by County Staff and we are preparing to request Board approval to make albinding offer. Below is the relevant data for this parcel. Please review and approve on behalf of the City as well as confirm that funds are available. Thank you.

Sincerely

Michele S. McNeill, SR/WA Property Acquisition Agent

Parcel 135

Property Owner: National Organization of the New Apostolic Church of North America

Appraiser: Hanson Real Estate Advisors

Appraisal Date: 11/24/03 Appraised Amount: \$37,300 Binding Offer Amount: \$39,300

Binding Offer Approved:

Funds are available in account:

Speed Kazemi, P.E.

City Engineer, City of Fort Myers

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