

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

Blue Sheet No. 20060634

1. ACTION REQUESTED/PURPOSE:

Approve termination of the 1978 Interlocal Agreement and the 2003 Supplemental Interlocal Agreement between Lee County and the City of Sanibel which allows the City's use of a portion of the Causeway Islands for the City weigh station, and direct staff to notify the City by correspondence of the termination in accordance with the Interlocal Agreements.

2. WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:

Enhances the use of the Causeway Islands for recreational purposes by eliminating the weigh station and the need for trucks to pull off into this area.

3. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval.

4. Departmental Category: ?

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5. Meeting Date: JUNE 27, 2006

6. Agenda:

- Consent
- Administrative**
- Appeals
- Public
- Walk-On

7. Requirement/Purpose: (specify)

- Statute
- Ordinance
- Admin. Code
- Other

8. Request Initiated:

Commissioner _____
 Department Transportation
 Division _____
 By: Scott M. Gilbertson, Director

9. Background:

In 1978, the Board of County Commissioners approved an Interlocal Agreement with the City of Sanibel granting the City permission to utilize a portion of the Sanibel Causeway Islands to erect and operate a weigh station. The sole purpose of the weigh station is to weigh all trucks going onto Sanibel Island and to accommodate the City charging a road users fee for each vehicle based on a charge per 100 lbs. over a specified weight. The fee is to be utilized by the City for road repairs caused by the additional wear and tear due to the heavier weight vehicles.

In 2003, the Board of County Commissioners approved a Supplemental Interlocal Agreement, whereby the County temporarily took over the operation and maintenance of the weigh station.

Termination of the Interlocal Agreements would not preclude the City from having a weigh station, but would require the location to be moved back onto Sanibel Island.

The original agreement states that the County may request Sanibel to vacate and remove the weigh station at any time. The 2003 agreement requires 90-days written notice prior to the cancellation of the agreement. Staff requests to notify Sanibel of the County's intent to terminate both agreements.

Following the completion of the construction of the new Sanibel Bridges, the County intends to explore the option of making improvements to the Causeway Islands to enhance the use for recreational purpose. A weigh station, along with the associated truck movements into and out of the facility, would not be appropriate for this use.

10. Review for Scheduling:

Department Director	Purchasing or Contracts	Human Resources	Other	County Attorney	Budget Services			County Manager/P.W. Director
<i>SMG 6/12</i>	<i>N/A</i>			<i>[Signature]</i>	Analyst <i>[Signature]</i>	Risk <i>[Signature]</i>	Grants <i>[Signature]</i>	Mgr. <i>[Signature]</i>

11. Commission Action:

- Approved
- Deferred
- Denied
- Other

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