



*Issues affecting our treasured coastlines*

**Beach Briefs - March 3, 2019**

**VOTE - March 5th**



Please vote YES on March 5th. The referendum seeks approval by the majority of Captiva registered voters, and is conducted by the Lee County Supervisor of Elections office. This referendum is being held to obtain authorization to incur a significant indebtedness, secured by all Captiva properties. Please come out and vote. The last referendum, in 2010, was approved by 78% of voters and we again asking for your approval.

The 2020/2021 Beach Renourishment Project is estimated to cost \$30 million. Consistent with the methodology of past successful projects, the program may include financial support from governmental agencies and the Captiva Island property owners. It is estimated to cost the homeowners on

Captiva no more than \$18 million, funded through a bond and assessed at actual cost once the work is completed.

The 1988 project placed approximately 1,596,000 cube yards of sand along 4.7 miles of beach. In 1996, the Captiva project volume was 821,000 cubic yards. In 2005, the project included compensation for hurricane losses, and Captiva received 1,116,387 cubic yards along the 4.9 miles of shoreline. In 2013, the project extended the beachfront significantly further seaward with beach sand replacement of 783,369 cubic yards along Captiva's shoreline from Redfish Pass to Blind Pass. This project, 2020/2021, estimates placing 900,000 cubic yards of sand.

If you have any questions, concerns or issues, please call the CEPD at (239) 472-2472.



Previous renourishment in process.

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

March 5, 2019 - Special Bond Referendum at Precinct 17

March 11, 2019 - CEPD Board Meeting

April 8, 2019 - CEPD Board Meeting

April 9, 2019 - Tentative Apportionment Public Hearing

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