



**Committee of the Islands**  
*Keeping Sanibel Special Since 1975*



**Florida Amendment 1  
Should  
Protect Our Waters**

***Join the Fort Myers Rally***

**Tell Legislators to Finish the Job:  
Fund Water & Land Conservation**

**Where:** Lee County Alliance for the Arts

**Address:** [10091 McGregor Blvd., Ft. Myers, FL 33919](http://www.leearts.org)

**Date:** Saturday, May 30

**Time:** 11:00 AM to noon

Many of you have made calls or sent emails to your legislators to urge them to honor the intent of 4.2 million voters who voted YES on Amendment 1. On June 1, the Legislature will reconvene to iron out the details of next year's budget. Florida House and Senate leaders need to hear from you that land and water conservation should be a priority.



What better way to send legislators on their way than an Amendment 1 rally in their home districts?

Audubon is joining many other organizations in hosting 10 rallies across the state on May 30 --- **and we need you to be there.** This is our last chance to demand that our lawmakers finish the job and fund water and land conservation, as was mandated by 75% of voters. During the 3-week Special Session, lawmakers will be deciding how to spend Amendment 1 funds, and they need to hear from you!

This will be our last opportunity before the special session to make our voices heard and the last opportunity for our state lawmakers to get it right.

"See you at the Fort Myers rally!"

# David Bath

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*The Committee of the Islands was founded in 1975 by those who helped incorporate Sanibel as an independent, self-governing city within Lee County. Guided by the mission of those founders, we seek to ensure the continuity of good local government, to protect the environment, and to preserve the sanctuary character of our barrier island community.*



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