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Mayor and City Council:

Following receipt of the recommendations of the Collier County Local Rule Review Committee pertaining to Manatee Protection Zones, the staff of Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission has prepared their recommendation to the full Commission. The WFC is scheduled to consider the recommendations in November. The staff report is attached.

To summarize FWC's staff positions for Manatee Protection Zones within City of Naples, the staff agrees that thereshould be a Manatee Protection Zone in the Doctors Pass/ Moorings Bay.

Regarding North Naples Bay, the FWC staff differed from the Local Rule Review Committee. FWC staff recommends that the speed in the Manatee Protection Zone should be changed from idle speed to slow speed.

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