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Sent: Tuesday, April 14, 2026 11:22 AM
To: Mercedes Mathis
Cc: Anael Dominguez (Administration); Katie G. Ahmed (Planning); Kaitlyn Elliott (Planning)
Subject: RE: Support for Thumbs Up permanent home!

Your public comment was received and will be forwarded to the Board of Commissioners for their review.

Thank you.

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Hi,

My family has been blessed to attend several Thumbs Up events, and every single time we've walked away feeling poured into, supported, and connected. It's truly been such a special space for us — a place where we feel seen, understood, and genuinely cared for.

Having a permanent home for Thumbs Up would mean so much, not just for my family but for so many other families who rely on that sense of community. It would help create more opportunities for us families to come together, especially during times like school breaks when that extra support and connection is needed the most.

I've seen and experienced firsthand the impact Thumbs Up has, and I know a dedicated space would only allow that impact to grow even more.

Thank you for all that you do and I pray you take all of this into consideration.

Best,
Mercedes Mathis

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