Here is a copy of my letter to Debbie Mayfield & Randy Fine. I am a mostly retired lawyer, snow bird and legal citizen of Florida. My wife and I have a 10 year old, built to hurricane standard, manufactured house in Barefoot Bay. If this storm comes ashore South of us, I expect the house will be a total loss. As I type this, the winds are 185 mph with gusts over 200 mph and 26.9 inches of mercury, similar to a tornado in strength.

I am insured. I am willing to rebuild, provided I can build reinforced concrete block however Barefoot Bay is a deed restricted community and requires manufactured homes. What I would like you to consider is legislation allowing homes to be built to resist hurricanes irrespective of local codes or restrictions and happy to have the exterior sided to look essentially the same as the other homes in the area. Our State now allows clothes lines and gardens, so let's add houses that won't blow away. And if houses destroyed get replaced with stronger homes that survive, eventually insurance premiums will decrease. Thank you for your consideration to this request.

Sincerely, David Lee Valdina 1084 Parkway Lane (for as long as it's there) Barefoot Bay, FL 32976 summers: 102 Scraggy Neck Road P.O. Box 798 Cataumet, MA 02534 cell: 508-776-1944

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