

PROTECT HENDERSON COUNTY'S RURAL SPACES

– Overview –

Several years ago, Henderson County passed a Comprehensive Plan based on a community consensus that:

- Agriculture and open space should be protected.
- Growth should be shaped through the provision of services.
- Development should be environmentally responsible.
- Development should be visually attractive and should respect the rural / scenic character of the county.

Since that time, our County government has failed to follow through. On several occasions, they voted to bring city water into rural communities that will seriously impact their community's character and our natural heritage.

It's time to tell our County Commissioners to respect the public's concerns about growth and **STICK TO THE PLAN!** The commissioners adopted the Land Development Code last year, which was a good start toward balancing growth with our natural heritage so that citizens and developers, farmers and businessmen can work together to protect this precious place. It's time to take the next steps . . .

