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First Coast APA to host Winter Legislative Forum Luncheon, February 1, 2007 at the Hyatt Regency Riverfront

The First Coast APA Winter Luncheon will be held on February 1, 2007 beginning at 12 noon at the Hyatt Regency Riverfront in downtown Jacksonville. Some of our local state legislators will attend to participate in a Legislative Forum to discuss planning and growth management priorities for the 2007 State Legislature. Lester Abberger, the legislative representative of the Florida Chapter of the American Planning Association, will moderate the forum. The forum will provide local planners, officials and citizens the opportunity to hear first-hand from their elected representatives in the State Legislature on planning and growth management issues that will affect their communities. For further information, please go to www.FirstCoastAPA.org. If you wish to arrange a Press Pass in order to attend, please contact Wiatt Powers, First Coast APA Program Officer at WFBowers@pbsj.com or Lindsay Stevens, First Coast APA Communications Officers at lindsay.stevens@tpl.org.

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