

March 11, 2025

RE: Town Administrator Report

Mayor Williams and Town Commission,

Gazebo Update

Construction of the gazebo is expected to commence the end of March and should take no longer than a week to complete. David and Commissioner Wessberg are scheduled to install the brick floor before construction begins. After completion of the gazebo and new landscaping we will plan a rededication event and invite Ms. Barabara Martin to attend.

Internet Update

Cox has developed their engineering plans for broadband buildout in Micanopy and plan to begin buildout over the next few months. Construction will begin in the unincorporated Micanopy first and work its way into Town. The project manager for Cox indicated a combination of overhead and underground fiber is to be expected and I was assured the Vegetation Maintenance Plan will be adhered to. Construction is expected to be complete in the fall of 2025.

Donation of Remaining Disc Golf Baskets

The Town of Micanopy currently has six of the original eight-disc golf baskets from our former course. Unfortunately, due to changes in land use, the course is no longer viable, and after careful evaluation, there is no suitable location within the town to relocate the baskets. Rather than allowing them to go unused, we propose donating the remaining baskets to a local disc golf club that has expressed interest in repurposing them for a new course at Camp Cuscowilla.

The club intends to supplement the donated baskets with additional ones to create a small but functional disc golf course at the camp, providing a recreational opportunity for the community. This donation would ensure that the equipment continues to serve a public purpose while promoting outdoor activity and engagement. By transferring the baskets to an organization that can make immediate use of them, the Town of Micanopy can contribute to the enhancement of recreational facilities in the region without the burden of storing or maintaining equipment that no longer has a viable use within town limits. We recommend proceeding with this donation to support the growth of local disc golf and provide an asset to the broader community.

PFOS Testing

As approved by the Town Commission in September 2024, the Town of Micanopy conducted testing for PFOS and PFAS in our water system. We are pleased to report that the results have come back within acceptable limits, ensuring that our water quality remains safe for public consumption.

