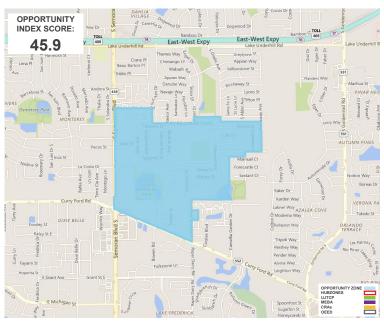


#### OPPORTUNITY ZONE PROSPECTUS

# LA COSTA

"THE 'GATEWAY' DISTRICT FOR THE ORLANDO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT"



### **KEY FACTS**



3,866 POPULATION

36.0 MEDIAN AGE

6.5%
HOUSEHOLD
UNEMPLOYMENT



2.7 AVG. HOUSHOLD SIZE

\$155,566 AVG. HOME VALUE

1,654 TOTAL HOUSING UNITS



NO HS DIPLOMA







**BACHELOR'S DEGREE+** 



\$35,832 AVG. DISPOSABLE INCOME



**MARKET CHARACTERISTICS** 

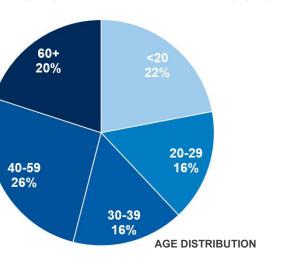
\$15,416



\$42,119

AVG. HOUSEHOLD INCOME







**POPULATION DENSITY** 

7,294 PERSONS/SQ.MI.

81%

RESIDENTIAL

MARKET VALUE

PER SQ.MI.

\$658.7
(MILLIONS)

# **BUSINESS & EMPLOYMENT**



81 TOTAL BUISINESSES

733 TOTAL EMPLOYEES

### **VISION**

La Costa is part of the "gateway" to Orlando International Airport. This area boasts an abundant amount of redevelopment opportunities, and is unique for having housing potential overlooking an urban wetland park.

Gateway Orlando District, an Orlando Main Street Program, encompasses a part of the La Costa district along S. Semoran Blvd. The mission of Gateway Orlando is to focus on helping businesses along the Semoran Corridor grow by establishing connections with the surrounding community and with other businesses within the area.







## **CURRENT ACTIVITY**

Gateway Orlando is helping build awareness of the Semoran Corridor by providing valuable resources to the member businesses and by promoting the businesses from within the district. All while improving safety in the area through their Gateway Gaurdian Program and encouraging beautification projects to improve the experience of people within the community. Current <u>beautification projects</u> include; electrical box and bus shelter art, murals, and boulevard banners to promote a sense of identity within the La Costa area.



# ANCHOR DEVELOPMENT

La Costa offers the distinctive opportunity for housing development overlooking the La Costa Urban Wetlands. Centrally within the area is the Engelwood Neighborhood Center Park which provides numerus recreational uses for the surrounding neighborhoods.

La Costa has a large Hispanic population and acts as a hub for Hispanic businesses and residential communities, such as; Hola Supermarket, Lechonera Amor Amor, and Caridad Restaurant. As well as, containing numerous churches within the district.

