## WORKSHOP ITEM SUMMARY SHEET VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING June 20, 2018

## **Agenda Item:**

Recognition of the Florida Everblades ice hockey team on a successful season.

## **Description:**

The Florida Everblades Hockey Team recently concluded their 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Year of professional ice hockey in Estero with a narrow loss in the final game of Kelly Cup, the finals for the East Coast Hockey League (ECHL).

The Everblades had one of their most successful years winning the East division and continuing to the Finals. The players, Coach Brad Ralph, the General Manager Craig Brush, owner Peter Karmanos and staff are to be congratulated on an outstanding season.

Also appreciated is the extensive youth and minor hockey program, figure skating and other on-ice activities that utilize the three (3) regulation ice rinks at the Germain facility in Estero. The facility is a draw for the entire region.

In addition, Germain Arena continues as one of the top entertainment venues in the County and all of Southwest Florida.

## **Financial Impacts**:

There are no financial impacts at this time.