## Conservation Collier Property Summary January 2005

Parcel Name: Wielhouwer/Shader Target Protection Area: Urban Acreage: 10 acres

Estimated Market Value: \$1,600,000

## **Highlights/Updates:**

- Located N of Vanderbilt Dr, W of Wilshire Lakes and E of Tiburon Golf Course
- Met 4 out of 6 Initial Screening Criteria
- Habitat is hydric Pine Flatwood.
- Some listed plant species were observed, no listed wildlife species were observed on the parcel. Species richness score is 4-5 out of 10.
- Water Resource Values: Property contributes substantially to surficial aquifer. Wetland indicators
  present (soils, plants). May provide flood protection for surrounding properties, potential to
  provide habitat for wetland dependent species in wet season.
- Restoration potential high due to low degree (less than 25%) of exotic infestation and high ecological quality of observed plant communities.
- Connections exist between this and other conservation lands –Wilshire Lakes Conservation Areas to
  the NE; to S, other undeveloped parcels (under CC consideration). To W proposed Pelican Marsh
  preserve lands. Future Regional Park to N Tiburon may allow walking access easement but key
  connector parcels are under contract for development.
- Partner funding is unlikely.
- No legal or physical access exists. Nearby Road in Wilshire Lakes is private and fenced.
- Real Estate Agent advises that parcel is under contract and has been assigned to homebuilder, though nothing will be firm until contract signed in Jan 2005.

## **Scoring: 177 out of 400**

- Ecological 52 Mid-range score due to lack of preferred plant communities, low biological diversity, good potential for surficial aquifer recharge, presence of seasonal wetlands. Species richness is 4 out of 10, indicating low to moderate potential for listed species, but restoration potential is high and parcel is connected to existing conservation lands (Wilshire Lakes and Tiburon).
- Human Values 0 No score due to no accessibility and no visibility from a public road Vulnerability 45 Reflects potential for residential, though recent activity reflects additional un-scored vulnerability
- Management 80– Scored high due minimal hydrologic changes needed, low exotics (25%) and moderate management and maintenance needs

## **Surrounding Land Uses:**

 $N\,$  - Wilshire Lakes residential & future Regional Park further north;

W –undeveloped lands part of proposed preservation for Pelican Marsh PUD (Tiburon); S - undeveloped Conservation Collier proposed lands & Wilshire Lakes Preserve; E –Wilshire Lakes Conservation & residential.



