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THIS WEDNESDAY, THE TALLAHASSEE CITY COMMISSION WILL DISCUSS A PROPOSAL TO SELL THE CITY-OWNED GOLF COURSE CURRENTLY LEASED TO THE CAPITAL CITY COUNTRY CLUB. [TAKE VO]

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THE CLUB HAS OFFERED \$1.15 MILLION FOR THE PROPERTY. A SECOND APPRAISAL VALUES IT AT \$1.25 MILLION, BASED ON ITS USE AS A GOLF COURSE. THE FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY BOARD OF TRUSTEES HAS EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR THE SALE, PARTNERING WITH THE COUNTRY CLUB TO HOST COLLEGIATE GOLF EVENTS AND PROVIDE ACCESS FOR FAMU STUDENTS. HOWEVER, THE MYERS PARK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION HAS CALLED FOR RESTRICTIONS TO PRESERVE THE PROPERTY'S HISTORIC AND NATURAL RESOURCES, INCLUDING AFRICAN AMERICAN GRAVE SITES ON THE LAND.