

Weekly Activity Report to Governing Board for July 28 – August 3, 2019

Executive / Management

 Hugh Thomas, Amy Brown, and Lindsey Garland attended the Suwannee River Partnership meeting at the UF/IFAS Research Center in Live Oak where Amy presented an overview of water use estimates and water supply planning.

Legislative and Community Affairs

- Steve Minnis, Warren Zwanka, and Leroy Marshall met with Louie Goodin, Hamilton County Coordinator and Oak Woodlands Property Owners Association representatives regarding the subdivision compliance issues.
- Katie Kelly attended and presented to the American Water Resources Association Florida Chapter during their annual meeting in Key West. The presentation included an overview of the District, MFLs, and water quality/quantity project initiatives.

Finance

No reporting activity.

Land Management

- District contractors completed fuel reduction mowing at Jones Mill Creek Tract.
- District contractors continued ditch mowing at Steinhatchee Springs Tract.
- District staff installed two grills in the Group Camping Area at Goose Pasture Campground.
- District timber contractors continued harvesting timber on Steinhatchee Falls Tract.
- District contractors continued repair work on public use roads on Mallory Swamp Tract.
- District contractors completed the perimeter roads at Crapp's Tower and Eastmain Line and the interior roads at Sandy Grade and Tom Gunter Roads.

Resource Management

No reporting activity.

Water Resources

- Darlene Velez and Amy Brown attended the Ichetucknee Alliance meeting in High Springs. Topics included general meeting agenda plus presentation by Rick Copeland with Aquifer Watch on starting volunteer sampling effort in Ichetucknee Springshed.
- Darlene Velez attended the FDEP Blue-Green Algae Task Force Meeting via livestream.
 Task Force reviewed the Innovative Technologies Request for Information and discussed regulation and impact of Septic Tanks and Sanitary Sewer Overflows.
- Darlene Velez attended the Nature Coast Biological Station Summer Internship Wrap-up Event in Cedar Key where interns presented on the work that their work.

Minimum Flows and Minimum Water Levels

· No reporting activity.