Final Agenda

Special Meeting of the Technical Oversight Committee Tuesday, July 12, 2005, 10 a.m.

South Florida Water Management District Headquarters, B-1 Building, Auditorium 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406-4680

Modifications to the agenda. Garth Redfield (TOC Chair), SFWMD.

- * Approval of TOC meeting notes from June 13, 2005 Special TOC meeting (5 minutes), Garth Redfield, SFWMD
- 2. Update on STA-1E permitting process and draft TP achievement methodology (20 minutes), Frank Nearhoof, FDEP
- 3. * Recent TP levels in the Refuge: discussion of factors that may be involved and follow up actions needed for additional information (60 minutes)

 All TOC Representatives provide discussion and perspectives
- 4. * Finalization of water management practices and water quality compliance in the Refuge as requested by the Principals (60–120 minutes)

All TOC Representatives will contribute. The three topics below are carried over from the June 13, 2005 special TOC meeting and relate to Refuge water management and Regulation Schedule:

- Improved coordination of inflow pump and outflow gate operations.
 - Determine the feasibility under current Regulation Schedule and other constraints.
 - Conduct cost benefit analysis.
 - Quantify the expected benefits of the operational recommendations.
 - Consider potential downstream water quality and quantity impacts.
 - Evaluate potential for constraining STA operations.

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- Delay stage rise until after wet-season rain on Refuge begins.
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 - Quantify the expected benefits of the operational recommendations.
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- Re-distribution of flows through the S-10 gates.
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 - Quantify the expected benefits of the operational recommendations.
 - Consider the potential downstream water quality and quantity impacts.
 - Evaluate potential for constraining STA operations.

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- 5. General Public Comment. (20 minutes or as requested)
- 6. Quarterly TOC meeting dates:

Tues 8/16/05;

Thurs. 11/10/05 (before Fri. 11/11/05 Veterans' Day holiday) or Tues. 11/22/05 (before 11/24 and 11/25 Thanksgiving holiday). Please check your calendar and advise which meeting date you prefer!

^{*} Items for consideration and possible action by the Technical Oversight Committee.