

1 to the Department of Environmental Protection for review and approval pursuant to Section
2 373.042, Florida Statutes.

3 **Section 2.** A copy of the proposed 2009 Minimum Flows and Levels Priority List is
4 attached hereto and made a part hereof.

5 **Section 3.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.
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7 **PASSED** and **ADOPTED** this 09 day of October, 2008.

8 SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT
9 DISTRICT, BY ITS GOVERNING BOARD

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11 By:

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13 Chair

14 ATTEST:

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17 Assistant Secretary

18 Approved as to form:

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20 BY:

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22 Office of Counsel

SFWMD

2009 Priority Water Body List

Minimum Flows and Levels and Water Reservations

FY 09 Planned Activities

Picayune Strand Water Reservation

- Publish rule

Biscayne Bay MFL or Water Reservation

- Complete peer review in first quarter
- Proceed with rule development unless significant issues emerge during peer review
- Publish rule

Kissimmee River and Chain of Lakes Water Reservation

- Complete science compilation. (Investigation will look at lakes within the Central and Southern Florida Project system. Specific lakes included in reservation will be selected on sufficiency of technical information and analysis to providing scientific foundation.)
- Peer review
- Rule development
- Publish rule

IRL – South Reservation

- Complete peer review
- Complete rule development

Other Everglades Restoration Water Reservations

- In addition to IRL – South, the District is prepared to hold peer reviews supporting the establish water reservations for up to three water bodies related to Everglades Restoration projects. Due to uncertainties of federal authorization and funding, and project changes that may result from the River of Grass Land Acquisition effort, specific projects can not be identified at this time and water reservation may be deferred to future years as necessary.

FY10 Planned Activities

IRL – South Reservation

- Publish rule

Kissimmee River and Chain of Lakes

- Implement peer review recommendations as necessary to strengthen or expand rule during future updates of the water reservation. Publish modified rule if appropriate

Estero Bay

- Begin compilation and analysis of available data to support MFL development

FY11 Planned Activities

Estero Bay

- Complete peer review and rule development
- Publish rule

Rookery Bay

- Begin compilation and analysis of available data to support MFL development

FY12 Planned Activities

Rookery Bay

- Complete peer review and rule development.
- Publish rule