



SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

TO: Interested Persons

FROM: Sharon M. Trost, P.G., AICP, Director, Regulation Division 

DATE: September 3, 2015

SUBJECT: Notice of Proposed Rule - Amendments to C-51 Basin Rules

The District proposes to amend the C-51 Basin rules to reflect changes in basin conditions since the rule was originally implemented in 1987. These changes include an update to the extent of the basin boundaries and the topographic information within basin, the installation and operation of water control facilities associated with the C-51 West project (STA-1E, the S-319 pump station, the S-155A "Divide" Structure, and the S-155 Structure), as well as the resulting changes in the allowable 10-year, three-day peak discharge rates and the minimum 100-year, 3-day finished floor elevations.

Figures 41-5, 41-6, 41-7 and 41-8 are amended to revise sub-basin boundaries and the overall boundary of the C-51 Basin due to the addition or subtraction of areas from the basin as determined by contemporary discharge patterns, revise the 10-year, 3-day peak discharge coefficients used in establishing the 10-year, 3-day allowable peak discharge rate, consolidate Figure 41-9 with Figure 41-8, correct typographical error in Rule 40E-41.263(1)(b) from 27 "cfs" to 27 "CSM" to be consistent with Appendix A of the "Environmental Resource Permit Applicant's Handbook Volume II: For Use Within the Geographic Limits of the South Florida Water Management District," and revise the 1-in-100 year storm elevations used, in part, to establish minimum finished floor elevations as well as compensatory soil and surface storage volumes.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: October 8, 2015, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: South Florida Water Management District, B-1 Auditorium, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406

A copy of the Notice of Proposed Rule may be obtained on the District's website at www.sfwmd.gov/rules, C-51 Basin rule, and selecting C-51 Final Notice with Figures – July 20, 2015, or by contacting Jan Sluth, Sr. Paralegal, South Florida Water Management District, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406, telephone: (800) 432-2045, ext. 6299 or (561) 682-6299, email: jsluth@sfwmd.gov. The notice also may be found on the *Florida Administrative Register* at <http://www.flrules.org>, where you may subscribe to receive copies of further notices for this or other rule chapters or types of notices of interest.

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