

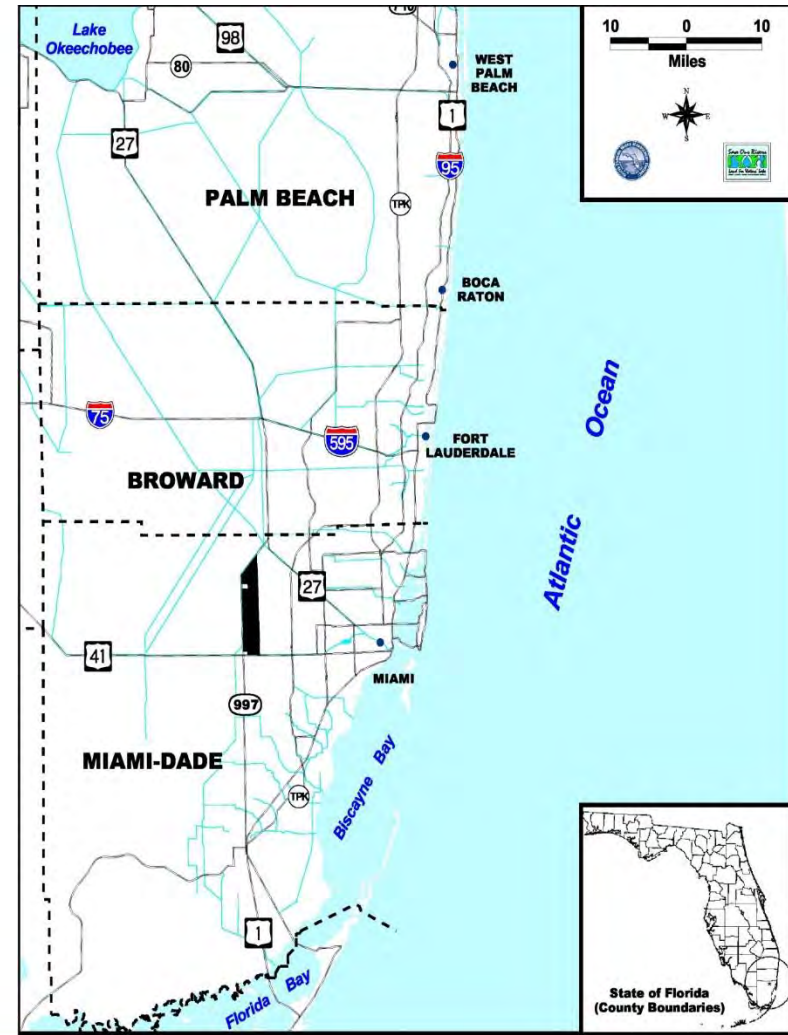


Pennsuco Wetlands Update

August 25, 2017

PENNSUCO WETLANDS LOCATION

- **The Pennsuco Wetlands cover approximately 13,000 acres.**
- **Pennsuco is located between the Dade-Broward Levee, Krome Avenue, and Tamiami Trail (U.S. 41).**



PENNSUCO WETLAND RESTORATION

- **Wetland acquisition, restoration, and long-term management provides mining mitigation per Section 373.4149(1), F.S.**
- **Restoration of a degraded ecosystem that would otherwise continue to decline.**
- **Benefits to regional floral, faunal, and hydrologic resources.**



RESTORATION EFFORTS: 1998-2015



April 1998



October 2000



November 2004



October 2006



September 2010



October 2013



PENNSUCO WETLANDS: PRE-RESTORATION

- **Historic wetlands were originally highly degraded by exotic melaleuca trees**

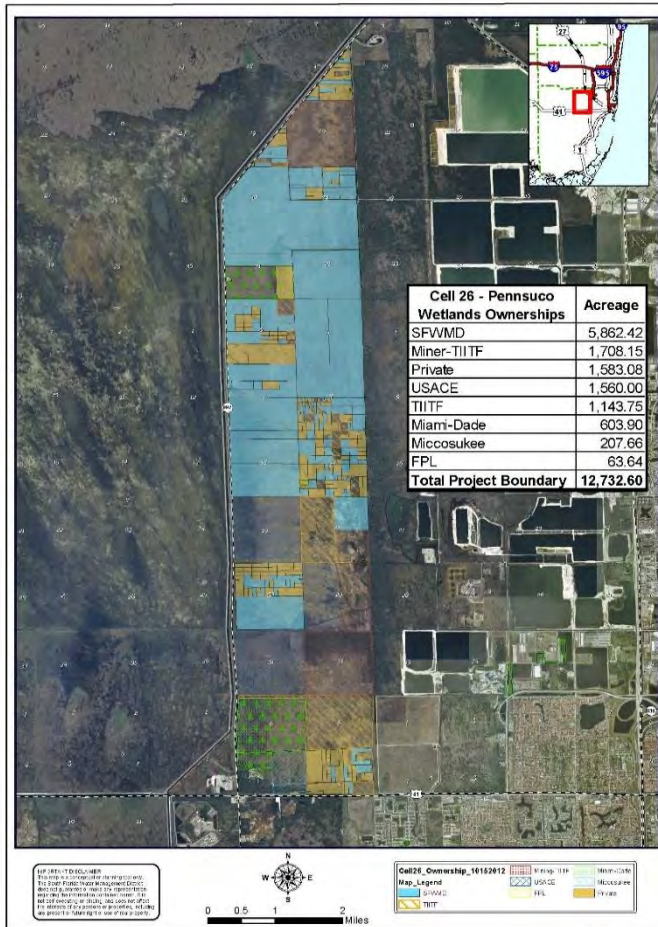


RESTORATION STRATEGIES

- This area is now in “maintenance mode.”



LAND ACQUISITION



Parcel Status



Parcel Acquisitions

PENNSUCO LAND ACQUISITION

- **Several closings with willing sellers have occurred in 2016-2017.**
- **In addition, land exchanges between the state and mining companies proceed.**

PENNSUCO LAND ACQUISITIONS: 2016-2017

Tract	Owner	Status	Acreage	Closing Date	Purchase Amount
W9307-946	Jerry L. Kemp	Willing Seller	5.00	9/1/2016	\$40,000.00
W9305-924	Gregory P & Deborah F Parker	Willing Seller	1.36	6/30/2017	\$10,880.00
W9306-931	Maria A Soler Tr	Willing Seller	10.00	7/31/2017	\$80,000.00
W9306-969	Maria A Soler Tr	Willing Seller	10.00	7/31/2017	\$80,000.00
TOTAL			26.36		\$210,880.00