

Alternative Water Storage and Disposal Interim (AWSDI) Projects – Taylor Creek (Grass Island) Interim Project



Location:	Okeechobee County
Subwatershed:	Taylor Creek/Nubbin Slough
Basin:	S-191
Purpose:	Utilize interim facilities for water storage by employing a range of site alternative measures at a number of project sites. Alternatives include construction of on-site measures such as temporary ditch blocks, minor berms, minimal earthwork, wetland restoration, and potential water diversions to the project site using temporary pump facilities.
Project Operation Start:	TBD
Considerations/Update:	See table below

LOWCP MM#	Project Name	Project Area (ac)	2011 LOWCP Estimated Annual Water Quality Benefits (mt/yr)	2011 LOWCP Estimated Annual Water Quantity Benefits (ac-ft/yr)	Status
46	Taylor Creek (Grassy Island) Interim Project	10,982	1,000	1,729	The property is currently leased for cattle grazing and the lease expires in September 2019. The project proposes installation of ditch plugs and control structures with flashboard risers to retain surface water and reduce flows to Taylor Creek.