



**SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT**

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# **MEDIA ADVISORY**

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## **SFWMD Biologist to Give High Flying Talk**

*The topic is birds in Everglades Stormwater Treatment Areas*

**WHAT:** Stormwater Treatment Areas (STAs) are the water-cleaning workhorses of Everglades restoration. They have also become renowned havens for birds and an array of wildlife.

South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) biologist Brian Garrett will present an informational program on birds in the STAs, with a focus on nesting and recreational viewing. The free program is hosted by the Hendry-Glades Audubon Society, which partners with the SFWMD to provide guided bird-watching tours in the STAs.

**WHEN:** November, 10, 2014

**TIME:** 7 p.m.

**WHERE:** Clewiston Museum  
109 Central Ave.  
Clewiston, FL 33440

**RSVP:** For information contact Margaret England of the Hendry-Glades Audubon Society at (863) 674-0695 or [sta5birding@embarqmail.com](mailto:sta5birding@embarqmail.com).

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### **About the South Florida Water Management District**

*The South Florida Water Management District is a regional, governmental agency that oversees the water resources in the southern half of the state – 16 counties from Orlando to the Keys. It is the oldest and largest of the state's five water management districts. The agency mission is to manage and protect water resources of the region by balancing and improving water quality, flood control, natural systems and water supply. A key initiative is cleanup and restoration of the Everglades.*