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# 2015 Lobbyist Registration Forms Now Online at SFWMD

The public can access list of registered lobbyists in online database

**WHAT:** The South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) posted on its website the 2015 registration forms and FAQs for the lobbyist registration process. Lobbyists currently registered with the District must fill out and submit the forms to renew their registration for 2015.

All lobbyists must submit a registration form and principal's authorization before talking with an SFWMD official or employee on behalf of the firms, corporations or groups they are paid to represent. Registration expires annually on December 31 and may be renewed at the end of each calendar year. The District is not charging a fee to register or renew.

A database of registered lobbyists is easily accessible on the District's website at <u>www.sfwmd.gov/opengov</u>.

### MORE INFORMATION:

- <u>Lobbyist Registration Instructions, Documents and Reference</u> <u>Information</u>
- <u>Registered Lobbyist Database</u>
- FAQs: Lobbyist Registration Process [PDF]

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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.