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SFWMD to Participate in Palm Beach Business Opportunity Conference

This year's theme is Quality Connections "Ready, Set, Grow"

WHAT: A coalition of Palm Beach agencies is set to hold the 9th annual Business Matchmaker Conference & Expo to stimulate economic opportunity and job growth for South Florida entrepreneurs.

Known as the Palm Beach Partners, the coalition of city, county, state and nonprofit agencies includes: the South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD); Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners; School District of Palm Beach County; City of West Palm Beach; Technology Enterprise & Development (TED) Center; and the Paragon Foundation of the Palm Beaches Inc.

The daylong event will feature a selection of workshops and keynote speaker Sheila G. Mains, founder and CEO of Brownie Brittle LLC and creator of Sheila G's™ Original Brownie Brittle™ Snacks.

WHEN: Friday, September 18, 2015

TIME: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

WHERE: Raymond F. Kravis Center for the Performing Arts
Cohen Pavilion
701 Okeechobee Blvd.
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

WHO: The event is open to the public. There is a registration fee.

RSVP: For information or to register online, visit www.pbmatchmaker.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.