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# South Florida Water Management District

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## Public Meeting to Discuss Regulatory Matters

June 19, 2013

10:00 a.m.

**South Florida Water Management District - B-1 Auditorium  
3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406**

## MEETING MINUTES

### Staff Present:

Lennart Lindahl, Assistant Executive Director  
Sharon M. Trost, Director, Regulation Division  
Anthony Waterhouse, Assistant Director, Regulation Division  
Anita Bain, Bureau Chief, Environmental Resource Permitting  
Ricardo Valera, Bureau Chief, Environmental Resource Compliance  
Charles Walter, Regulatory Administrator, Orlando Service Center  
Dan Waters, Regulatory Administrator, Lower West Coast Service Center  
Kellie Cranford, Section Leader, Agricultural Water Programs  
Tom Colios, Section Leader, Water Use Bureau

### 1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Lennart Lindahl at 10:00 a.m. Mr. Lindahl reviewed the purpose and requested all comments be regarding regulatory issues and introduced staff at Headquarters and the service centers. There were two members of the public present at District Headquarters in West Palm Beach; no members of the public were present at any of the service centers.

### 2. Applications of Heightened Public Concern Pending Final Action

There were no public comments.

### 3. Applications of Heightened Public Concern Not Complete

#### Application 130108-17 Biscayne Landing

Public Comment: Alex Larson expressed concern regarding this project.

#### Application 090107-1 Crosstown Parkway Extension (Bridge over North Fork)

Public Comment: Drew Martin representing the Sierra Club expressed concern regarding the project.

#### **4. Public Comment on other Pending Permit Applications**

##### **Application 110811-5 Triple H Ranch**

Public Comment: Alex Larson inquired regarding the location of this application.

##### **Application 120626-10 Seacoast Water Utilities**

Public Comment: Alex Larson expressed concern with discrepancies on the location of some of the wells permitted.

Staff responded that there were discrepancies on the location of four wells, the permit was issued correctly but there was an error in the model. The permittee submitted a letter modification request (application 130522-9) to correct the discrepancy.

#### **5. Public Comment on General Regulatory Issues**

Public Comment: Drew Martin commented regarding the Turkey Point Power Plant. Mr. Martin expressed concern regarding the amount of water use used by the power plants.

Staff responded that the District does not approve the power plants they are evaluated as part of the Power Plant Siting process administered by FDEP District staff in the Water Resource Bureau coordinated an evaluation of the proposed plant expansion and power line corridors and comments have been sent to the FDEP.

Public Comment: Alex Larson commented on the Florida Power and Light power plants and the Regional Water Availability Rule.

Public Comment: Alex Larson expressed concern regarding practices in Wellington for disposal of equestrian waste.

Staff commented that the Village of Wellington has recently revised ordinances for disposal of equestrian waste.

Public Comment: Drew Martin inquired about any potential changes to Unified Mitigation Assessment Method (UMAM).

Public Comment: Drew Martin expressed concern regarding the proposed Phase 2 of Scripps Briger Tract.

#### **6. Adjourn**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:37 a.m.