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THE river OF grass

Next Meeting/Future Meeting Topics

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Next Meeting - Date and Location

RESTORATION PLANNING

Next WRAC Issues Workshop

April 22, 2010

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Royal Palm Beach Cultural Center
151 Civic Center Way
Royal Palm Beach, FL**

Next Meeting - Meeting Topics

RESTORATION PLANNING

- Phase II Plan Formulation Process
 - Phase I Findings Recap
 - Phase II Constraints
 - New Configuration Development Strategy
- Introduction to Phase II Planning Tools
 - Planning Maps
 - Water Quality Modeling
 - Modeling Objectives
 - Factors Influencing Water Quality Performance
 - Application of the Dynamic Model for Stormwater Treatment Areas (DMSTA2)

Phase II Planning

Future Meetings and Topics

RESTORATION PLANNING

Future Meetings

- May 20, 2010 – Clewiston, John Boy Auditorium
- June 17, 2010 – West Palm Beach, SFWMD Auditorium

Future Meeting Topics

- Hydraulic Modeling (Feature Type Application)
- Hydrologic Model (Model Development, Configuration Application, Sensitivity Analysis)
- Feature Type Cost Relationships and Cost Estimating Databases
- Presentations and Topics as Identified by Participants

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Restoration Project Planning

On December 16, 2008, the South Florida Water Management District Governing Board voted to accept a contract with the United States Sugar Corporation to acquire more than 180,000 acres of agricultural land for Everglades restoration. This historic transaction provides water managers with the unprecedented opportunity to store and treat water on a scale never before envisioned for the benefit of America's Everglades, Lake Okeechobee and the St. Lucie and Caloosahatchee rivers and estuaries.

With full public involvement, the first phase of *River of Grass* restoration project planning is under way. Through a series of [Water Resources Advisory Commission](#) Issues Workshops, the Phase 1 planning process will determine viable configurations for constructing a managed system of water storage and treatment to support ecosystem restoration efforts.

Information generated during this first phase will be utilized by the Governing Board to support decision making related to the land acquisition and will provide the basis for more detailed future planning phases.

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