

Program Name: Infrastructure
Project Name: Loxahatchee Impoundment Landscape Assessment (LILA)
Project ID: 2305
Lead Agency: SFWMD / USFWS A.R.M. Loxahatchee NWR

Strategic Plan Goal(s) Addressed: 2.A.3

Measurable Output(s): Reports outlining quantitative targets for CERP performance measures. Educational kiosk.

Project Synopsis: The objective of LILA is to support CERP by defining hydrologic regimes that sustain a healthy Everglades Ridge and Slough ecosystem and reduce uncertainty in predicting the ecosystem response. LILA will address the effects of water depth, hydro period, and flow rate on wading birds, tree islands, marsh plant communities, marsh fishes and invertebrates, and peat soils. In addition, LILA supports refuge and CERP public outreach by providing opportunities to observe ongoing investigations and results. It will provide educational opportunities through on-site demonstrations, kiosks as well as a forum for discussion of restoration designs.

Project Schedule:

Start Date: 2002
 Finish Date: 2012

Detailed Project Budget Information (1000s)

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	Total
Federal	50	10	13	10	0		2,083
State		471	308	655	390		4,357.5
Tribal							
Local							
Other							
Total	50	481	321	665	390		6440.5

*\$1,900,000 is contribution of land 64 acres

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