

# AGENDA

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## South Florida Ecosystem Restoration Task Force

June 6 – 7, 2002

LOCATION – WESTIN BEACH RESORT  
97000 OVERSEAS HIGHWAY, MILE MARKER 97  
KEY LARGO, FL

### Day 1 June 6 **Joint Meeting with Water Resources Advisory Commission**

9:00 AM Reef Snorkeling Trip (Limited to Task Force only)

1:30 – 5:15 Please refer to Joint Agenda

7:00 PM Florida Bay Sunset Tour (Open to everyone)

### Day 2 June 7 **Regular Task Force Business**

8:30 – 8:40 Welcome and Introduction and Approval of March Minutes Ann Klee

8:40 – 9:00 Task Force Members' "Whiparound"  
*Introductory period to allow each member to inform the group of key items or raise potential issues.*

### 9:00 – 9:30 **Working Group Updates and Reports**

- Task Force Role in Programmatic Regulations Ann Klee  
*The Task Force tasked the Working Group to develop recommendations regarding the potential Task Force role in CERP implementation. The Working Group's response is included in the readahead and will be presented to the Task Force.* COL May

- Invasive Exotic Plant Assessment and Strategy COL May  
*The Working Group's Assessment and Strategy documents are included in the readahead and will be summarized for the Task Force. Additionally, the Working Group's Issue Team for invasive exotic plants will discuss its plans to sponsor an Exotic Plant Detection Workshop and seek guidance on a request for them to be a key participant in the 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on the Ecology and Management of Invasive Alien Plants.* Bob Doren

- Aquifer Storage and Recovery (ASR) COL May  
*As requested, the Working Group's ASR Issue Team will summarize its work. Briefing will include a request for CROGEE to formally review the Program Management Plan for the ASR Regional Study.* Richard Harvey

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- 9:30 – 10:30 Review of Working Group Priorities, Issue Teams and Annual Workplan  
*Several items are provided in the Readahead to assist in this discussion, including: the Working Group Charter, a summary of current Working Group Issue Teams and advisory bodies, the Working Group response to a Task Force request on dispute resolution and the summary paper on science coordination groups.*
- Issue Teams
  - Dispute Resolution
  - Task Force Priorities, including flood control
  - Science
  - Public Outreach
- 10:30 – 10:45 Break
- 10:45 – 11:00 Community Input to Task Force (15 p) Elijah Wooten  
Russell Setti  
Guy Forchion  
*Congresswoman Meek recognized the South Florida Ecosystem Advisory Committee and the South Florida Ecosystem Restoration Council as a voice for south Floridians with a special interest and focus on the under-served, economically and environmentally disadvantaged communities.*
- 11:00 – 11:30 Interim Operation Plan (IOP) Dennis Duke  
Jay Slack  
*The Corps and FWS will provide the Task Force with an update on the IOP and the accompanying endangered species consultation.*
- 11:30 – 12:00 Independent Science Review Panel Ann Klee  
*WRDA 2000 requires consultation with the Task Force in establishing a science panel to review progress in restoring the ecology of the natural system. This discussion will initiate the consultation process.*
- 12:00 – 12:45 Task Force Strategy and Biennial Report COL May  
Rock Salt  
*The Working Group has submitted a draft revision of the Task Force Strategy and a proposed Biennial Report for review and comment. The proposed draft is in the readahead.*

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- 12:45 – 1:00      Public Comment
- 1:00                Wrap Up and Adjourn, Next Meeting October 21 – 22,  
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