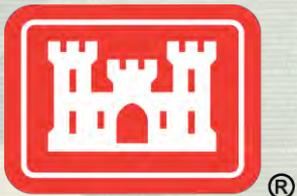


Project Update

Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Program

Susan Kaynor
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February 15, 2012
Joint Working Group/Science
Coordination Group Meeting



CERP Implementation

1st Generation CERP

- Site 1 Impoundment
- IRL-South
- Picayune Strand

2nd Generation CERP

- C-43 Reservoir
- Broward County Water Preserve Area
- C-111 Spreader Canal Western Project
- Biscayne Bay Coastal Wetlands



Site 1 Impoundment



- Construction of Phase 1 scheduled for completion Jan 2013
- Project Purpose: Improve water deliveries to Hillsboro Canal by capturing and storing water in above ground reservoir (13,280 acre-feet capacity)



Indian River Lagoon South: C-44 Reservoir/STA

Contract 1: Awarded July 2011

- Features: Intake canal, project access road, Citrus Blvd bridge
- Complete construction May 2014

Contract 2: Scheduled for construction 2014

- Features: Reservoir, pump station, discharge canal

Contract 3: Planned for Award in 2016

- Features: STA cells



Picayune Strand Restoration Project

- 1) **Merritt Pump Station:** Scheduled completion Nov 2013
- 2) **Faka Union Pump Station:** Scheduled completion July 2014
- 3) **Miller Pump Station:** Award in 2013



January 5, 2012

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Picayune Strand Restoration Project



Merritt Pump Station

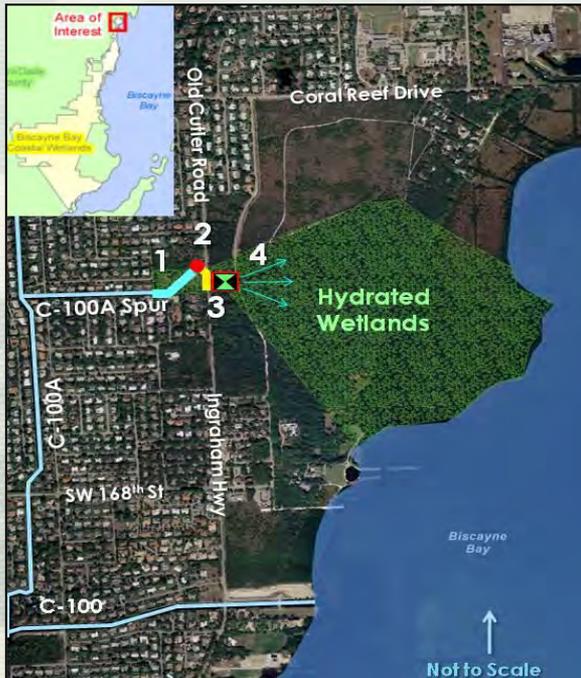


2nd Generation CERP Projects



C111 Spreader Canal

- Purpose to improve water deliveries to Florida Bay and to improve hydropatterns and hydroperiods in Southern Glades /Model Lands
- Chief of Engineer's Report signed on January 30, 2012
- SFWMD On-going construction



Biscayne Bay Coastal Wetlands

- Purpose to improve freshwater deliveries to Biscayne Bay
- Public Comment period on FEIS and PIR closed February 6, 2012
- On-track to have Chief's Report signed on March 30, 2012
- SFWMD On-going construction



2nd Generation CERP Projects

Broward County Water Preserve Area

- Purpose to reduce seepage, recharge groundwater, provide water supply, prevent saltwater intrusion in western Broward County
- Signed Chief's Report scheduled for FY 12

C-43 West Basin Reservoir

- Purpose to improve timing, quantity and quality of freshwater deliveries to Caloosahatchee River estuary
- Record of Decision signed and submitted April 2011
- Awaiting Congressional Authorization/Appropriation



Questions?

