



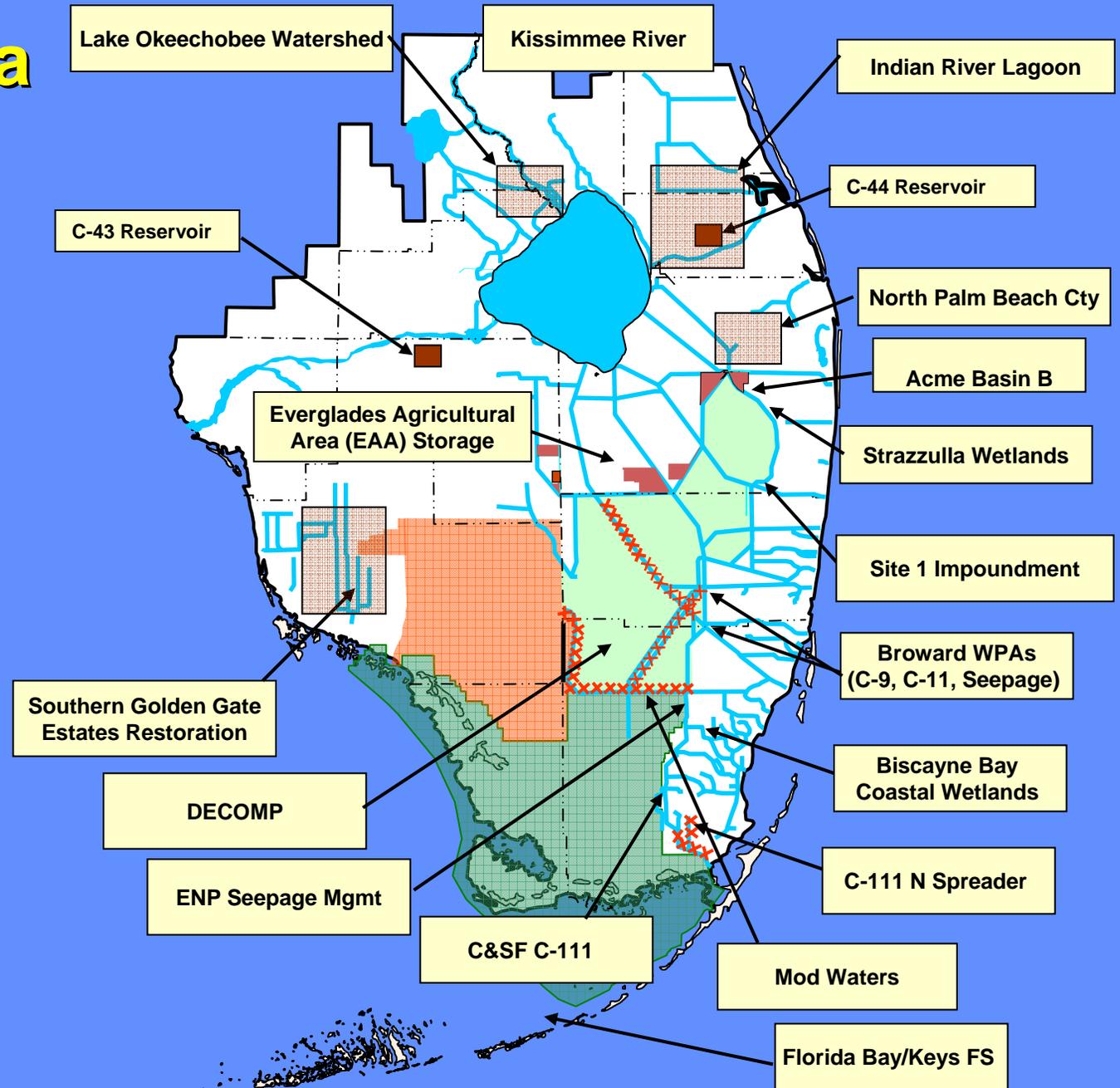
**South Florida
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Task Force

December 2006

South Florida Everglades Ecosystem Restoration Program



Accomplishments Last 90 Days

- **5 Year report submitted to Congress, annual report released to public**
- **Lake Okeechobee Regulation Schedule Study – Draft SEIS posted and comment period over in 2 Oct.**
- **17 Workshops/meetings held on Master Recreation Plan**
- **Initiated startup operations for Lake Okeechobee Critical projects, Taylor Creek and Nubbin Slough STA's**

Accomplishments Last 90 Days (Cont'd)

- State and Agency Review completed for final PIR for Site 1
- C-111 (C&SF) – Awarded S-331 Command Bldg
- Permit issued for A8 project for Picayune Strand Road Removal
- Conducted Independent Technical Review of HHD repair. Replacement of Bench cut well underway.

Accomplishments Last 90 Days (Cont'd)

- Awarded Seminole Big Cypress Contract
- Awarded contract for Istokpoga Canal Improvements (Kissimmee)
- Construction continues on second Kissimmee Backfill contract, media day held on 6 and 13 Oct

Accomplishments Next 90 Days

- Chief's Report for Site 1
- Final PIR/EIS for Broward WPA
- Completion of construction of PSTA field test work at STA 1E, initiate operations
- Complete Interim Goals and Targets Agreement (get signed)
- Complete Guidance Memoranda
- Release of revised Draft LORSS EIS and Water Control Plan

Accomplishments Next 90 Days

- Kissimmee River Restoration – Award S-68 Spillway addition contract
- Complete special assessment of Bold Decomp and present to Task Force
- Permit decisions expected for Temporary Forward pumps, Nubbin Creek STA Expansion, and Taylor Creek reservoir Test cell.

Accomplishments Next 90 Days

- **Herbert Hoover Dike Repair**
 - **Complete restoration of Bench and initiate Toe Drain repair**
 - **Award contract for Seepage Berm**
 - **Continue redesign of Rehab work**

Questions?

