



**South Florida Water Management District:
Public Engagement
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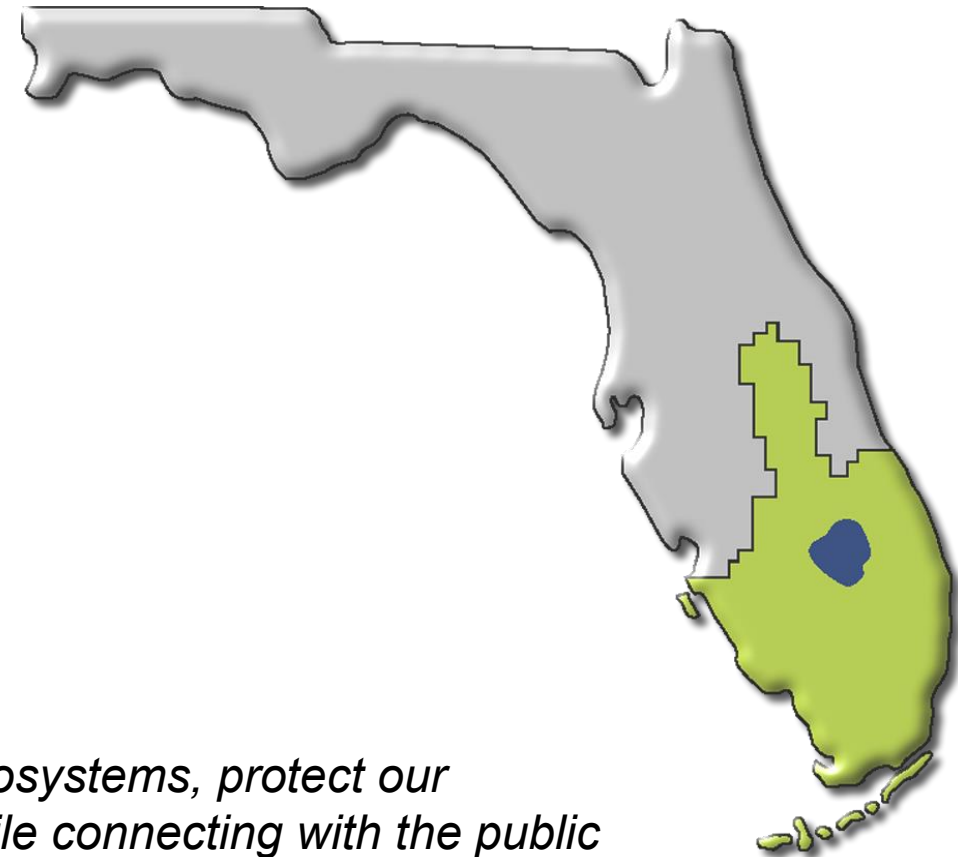
South Florida Water Management District

SFWMD serves 8.1 million residents in an 18,000 square-mile region covering 16 counties

Regional responsibilities

- **Providing flood protection**
- **Restoring water quality**
- **Ensuring water supply**
- **Connecting natural systems**

“To safeguard and restore South Florida’s water resources and ecosystems, protect our communities from flooding, and meet the region’s water needs while connecting with the public and stakeholders.”





Regulatory Programs

- **Environmental Resource Permits (ERP)**
- **Consumptive Use Permits (CUP)**
- **ePermitting**



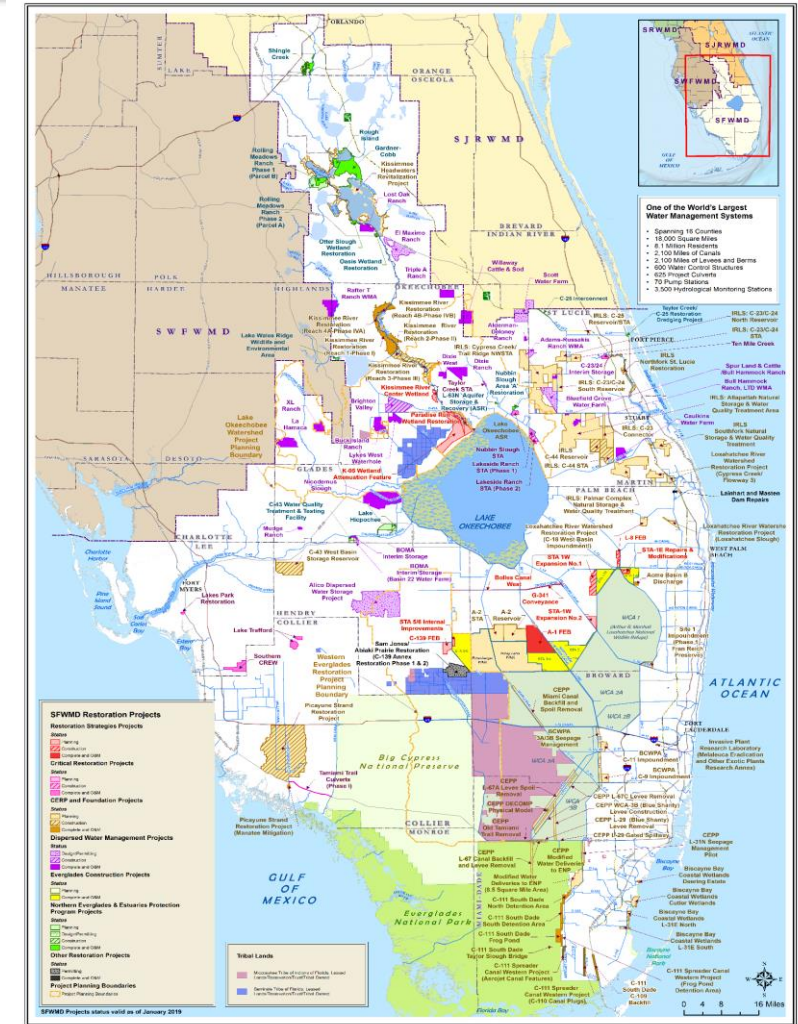
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Environmental Restoration Projects

- Project Workshops
- Public Comment Period





Policy

- **Governing Board Meetings**
- **Water Resources Accountability and Collaboration (WRAC) Meetings**





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