

Florida's Aquatic Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Program



Symposium Session 154



Presenters

- *Florida's Aquatic Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Program* -- by **Stephen V. Rockwood (Steve.Rockwood@MyFWC.com)**, Bill Coleman and Lawson Snyder.
- *A Prioritization Tool for Aquatic Restoration and Enhancement of Florida Public Lakes* -- by **Jessica Griffith (Jessica.Griffith@MyFWC.com)**, Michael Allen, and Beacham Furse.
- *Aquatic Habitat Management in Florida: A Program for Statewide Wetland Monitoring and Assessment* -- by **Maria Merrill (Maria.Merrill@MyFWC.com)**, Michael Allen, Jessica Griffith, and Dave Douglas.
- *Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission - Hydrilla Management Position Statement* -- by **Ed Harris (Ed.Harris@MyFWC.com)**.



Florida's Aquatic Habitat Restoration & Enhancement Program (AHRE)





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AHRES Standing Team:

- Charter, complete with mission statement, goals, project deliverables.
- Team is administered by Team Leader (upper level administrator) and a team sponsor (senior management). Team members consist of 11 biologists who serve as subject matter experts representing various fish and wildlife focal taxa groups
- Purpose is to develop and administer funding application process, coordinate with AHRES Staff, advocate development of project proposals on an annual basis, and prioritize a list of AHRES project proposals for funding consideration





Tallahassee/
Panhandle Region

Ocklawaha/Orange
Creek basins

Kissimmee
River Basin

Lake Istokpoga

Upper/Middle St.
Johns River basin

Lake
Okeechobee

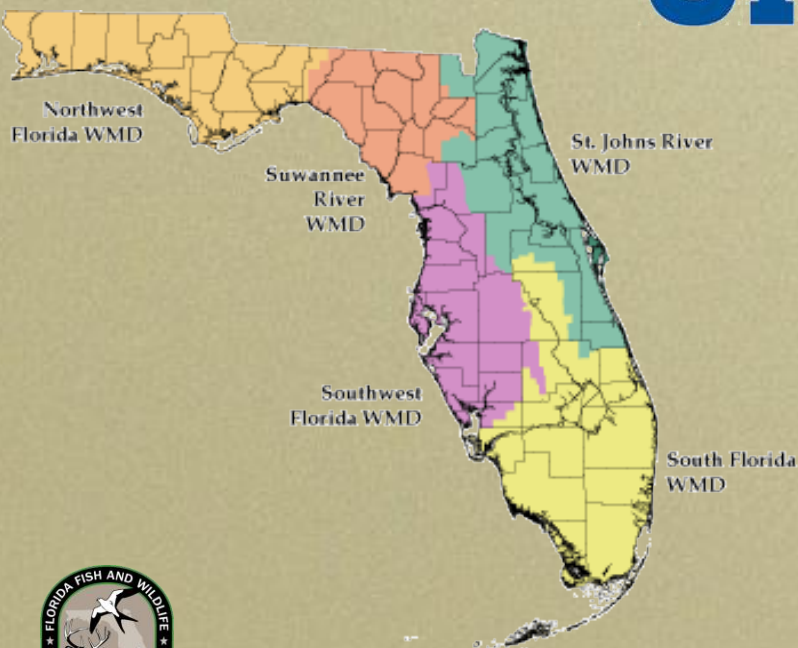
AHRES Staff:





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Proposals (applications) due Fall of each year

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Documents

- FY12/13 AHRE Funding Application
- FY12/13 AHRE Harvesting Funding Applications
- FY12/13 AHRE Operational Funding Applications
- FY12/13 AHRE Research Funding Applications
- FY11/12 AHRE Funding Application
- FY10/11 AHRE Funding Application
- FY10/11 Operational Funding Applications
- FY09/10 AHRE Funding Application
- FY09/10 Operational Funding Applications
- FY08/09 AHRE Funding Application
- FY08/09 GIS Maps
- FY07/08 AHRE Funding Applications
- FY07/08 Operational Funding Applications
- FY07/08 GIS Maps for Funding Applications
- FY06/07 Projects
- Shared Documents

Pictures

Lists

- Contacts
- Tasks

AHRE Standing Team

Announcements

Directions/Objectives @ 2/2/2012 3:43 PM
by Vinson, Deanna

Directions and table for objectives for the FY12/13 AHRE Funding Application are attached.

Links

- AHRE Subsection
- Istokpoga Standing Team
- KCOL Standing Team
- Orange Creek Basin Working Group
- Add new link

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Application requires detailed information on:

- **significance of the resource**
- **need for the project**
- **proposed activities**
- **project objectives**
- **monitoring and evaluation**
- **impacts to fish and wildlife**
- **expected benefits**
- **project timeline**
- **budget**

Form1 - Microsoft Office InfoPath

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Submit

Project Application for
Aquatic Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Section (AHRE) Funding
FY 2012/13

Project Title	
FWC Requestor/Team	
Phone Number(s)	
Alternate Contact(s)	
Phone Number(s)	
AHRE Staff Contact	
Water Body(ies)	
County(ies)	
Water Body Acreage	
Project Acreage	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is the project located on a FMA, WEA, WMA?
Site Inspection Date	*
Staff Present at Site Inspection (list affiliation)	*

Management Project Proposals are required to answer Questions 1-14.

Research Project Proposals please skip to Number 15.

Type of project assistance requested from AHRE

- Funding only. Requestor will be responsible for all aspects of project development and implementation. Only minimal assistance from AHRE staff will be required.
- Funding and assistance from AHRE staff to develop scope of work, bid specifications, permit acquisition, etc. Requestor (or their staff) will be the on-site project manager.
- Funding with AHRE staff responsible for all aspects of project development, management, implementation and administration.

SCOPE OF WORK

1. Describe significance of the resource/resource area including biological and social/economic value.
2. Describe need/problem (include background/history, justification for AHRE funds).
3. Describe specific management activity proposed to address need/problem. If multi-year phase project, describe each year/phase.
4. State the specific project objective(s) and timeframe. Include in your objective(s) the measurable

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AHRES Team:

- independently reviews and scores each proposed application prior to conducting a team meeting.
- during the team meeting, each proposed application is presented and discussed among team members.
- based on these discussions, team members are given a second opportunity to re-score each application.



Types of Projects





Water Control Devices





Mechanical/hydraulic dredging and scraping





Vegetation Management









Project Example



KELLEY BRANCH IMPOUNDMENT
a.k.a Paradise Lake
1980



KELLEY BRANCH PROJECT AREA
2007

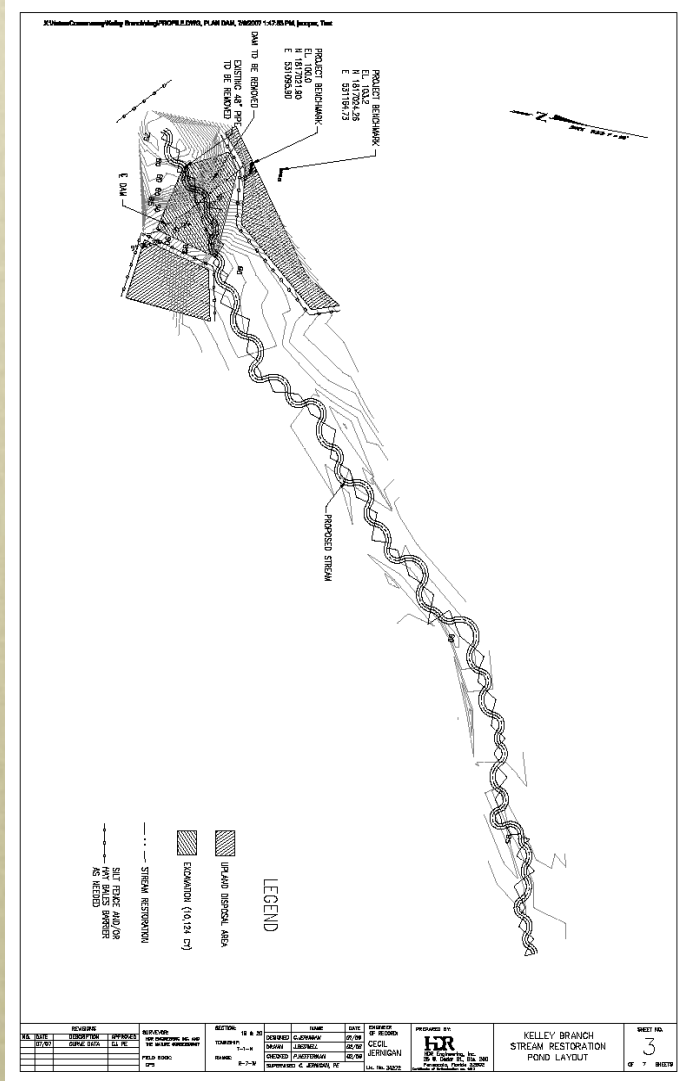
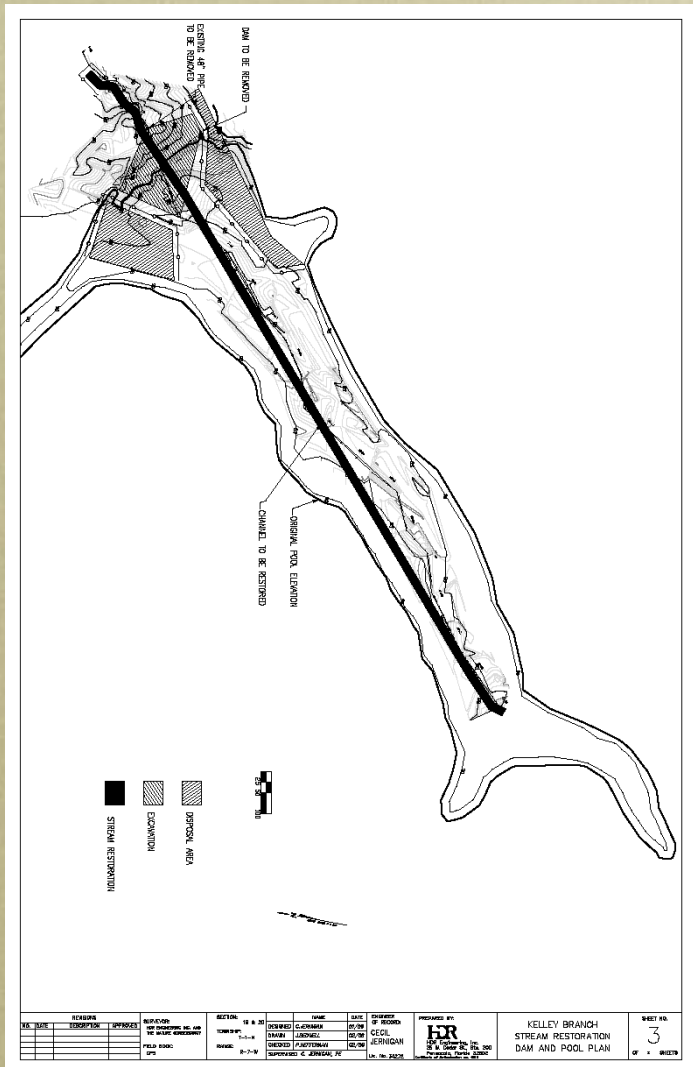




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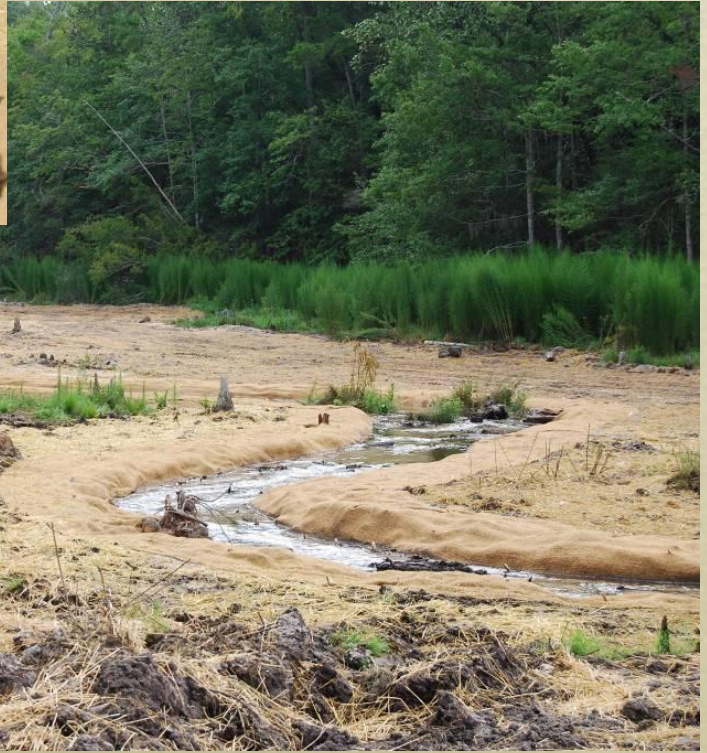


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To Create Original Stream Sinuosity





Paradise Lake Dam Area









Final Product – In About 40+ Years...