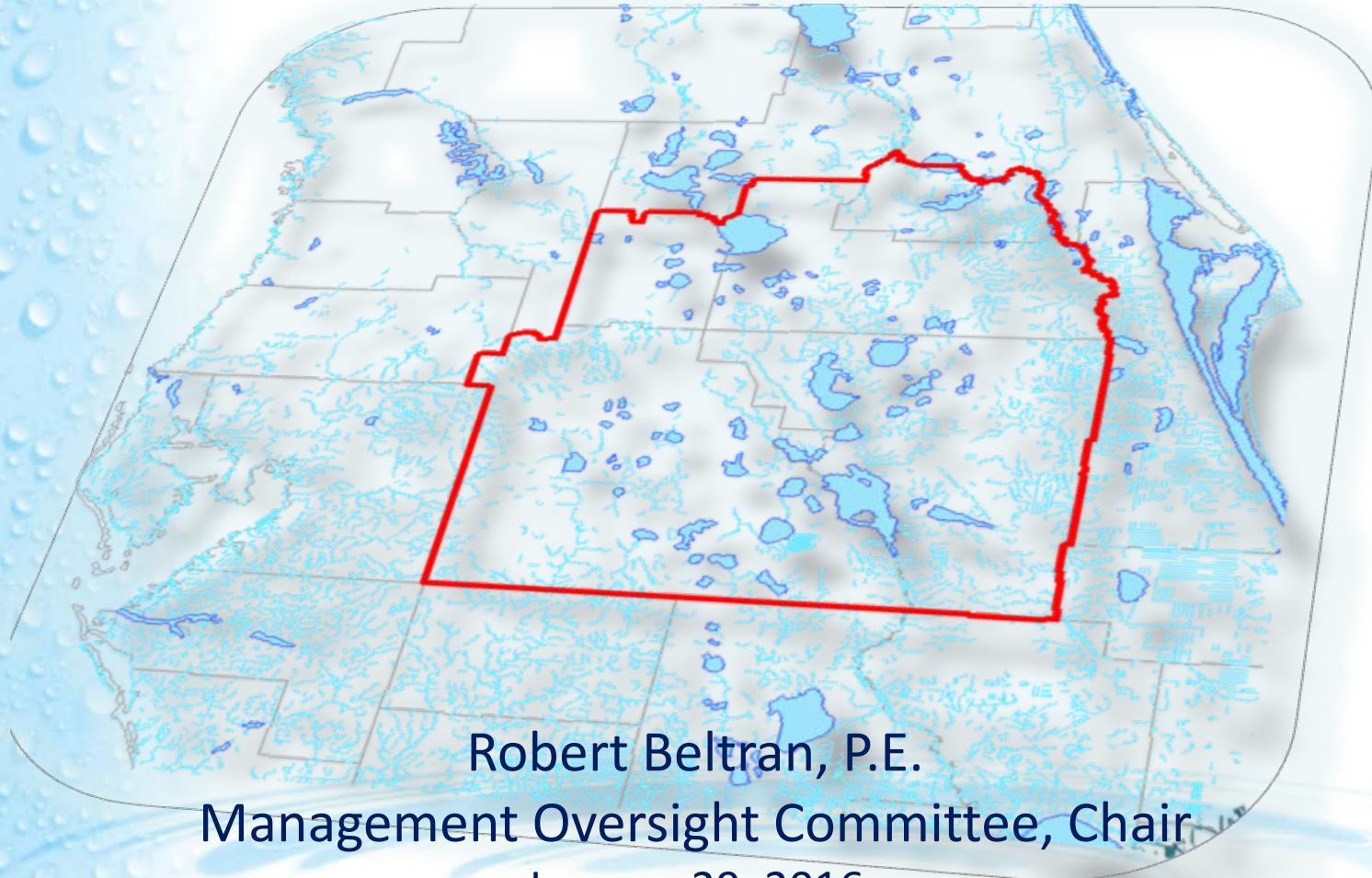


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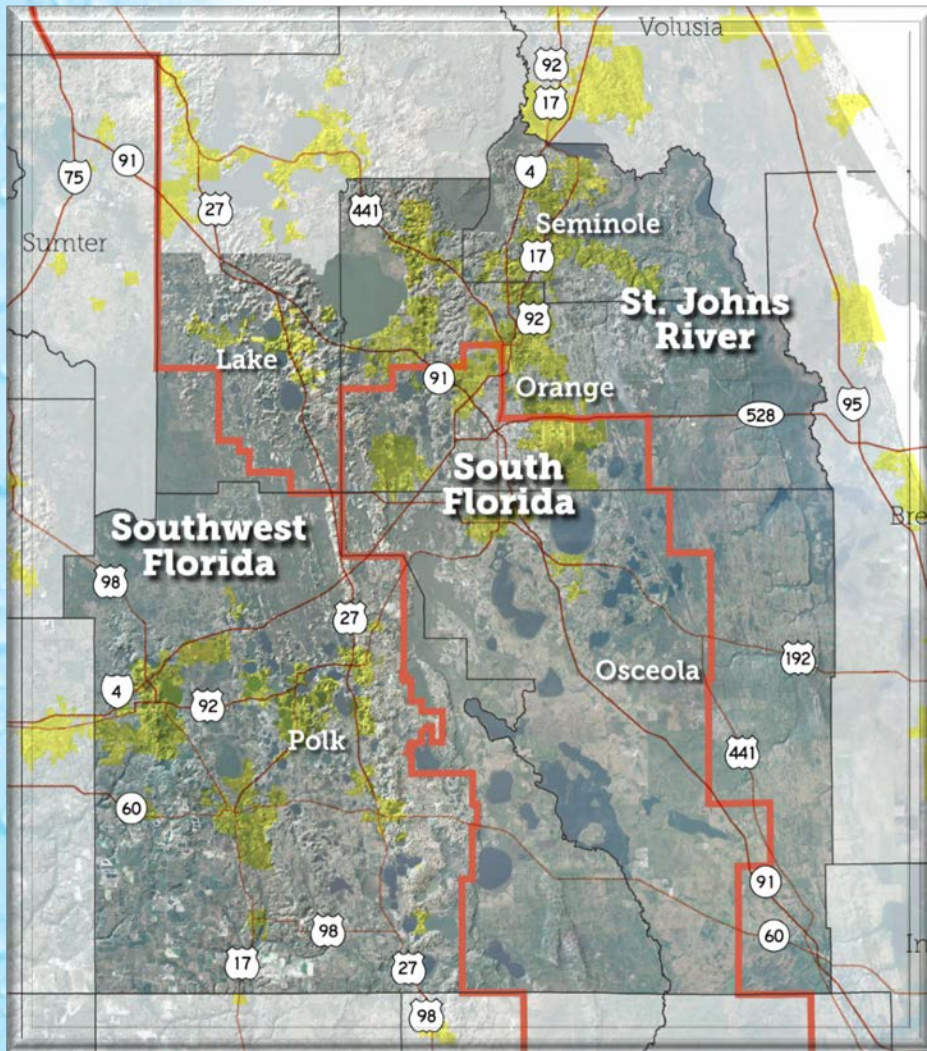


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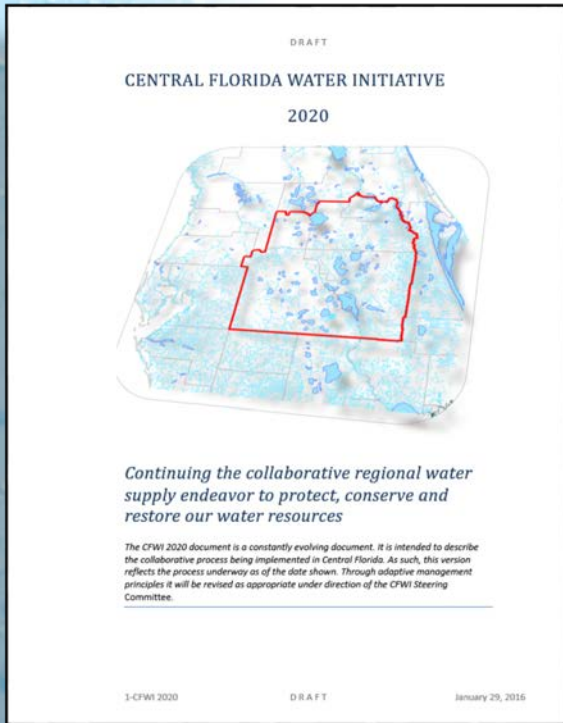
CFWI 2015 Accomplishments



1. Regional planning level estimate of sustainable groundwater
2. Single, unified RWSP for Central Florida
3. Regional consensus on the "Next Steps"
4. Framework for regional cooperation

2020 Guidance Document

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- Prior Governance framework
- Steering Committee Motions
- Next Steps CFWI Plan (2015)
- 2016 "Water Bill" - S0552/
H7005

Prior Governance framework

- Guidance Document
 - Principles & Goals
 - Steering Committee
 - Management Oversight Committee
 - Technical Committees
 - Scope with schedule & work products
- Sunshine Law

Steering Committee Motions

- Motion II- Conservation targets
- Motion III- ECFT model schedule
- Motion III- Water use projections
- Motion IV- Regulatory consistency

Next Steps- CFWI 2015 Plan

- Implement Water Conservation Programs
- Develop Specific Prevention and Recovery Strategies
- Support Development and Implementation of Regional Project Solutions
- Support Additional Alternative Water Supply (AWS) Projects
- Improve Water Resource Assessment Tools and Supporting Data
- Develop Options for Consistent Rules and Regulations
- Continue Communication and Outreach
- Identify Options for Future CFWI Framework to Support Implementation Strategies

2016 “Water Bill”

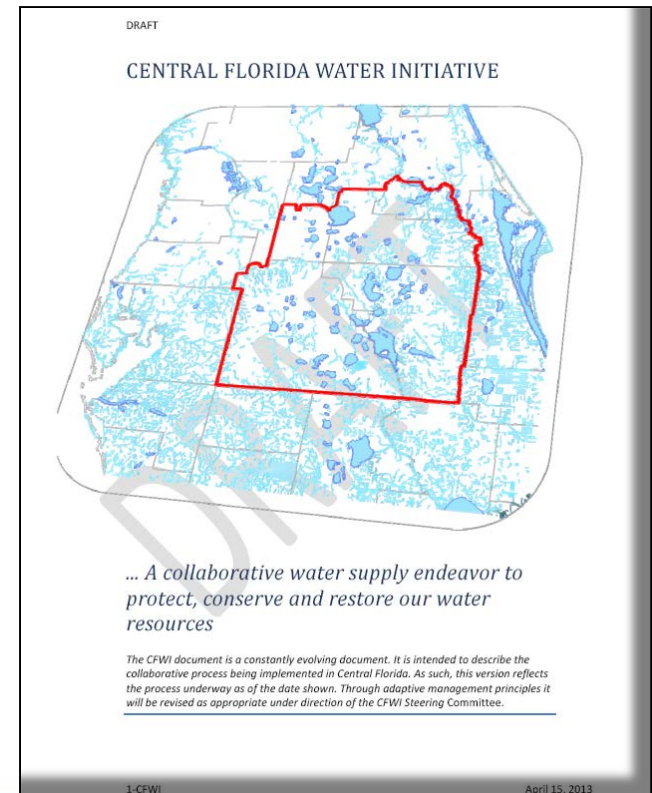
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- “Section 7 creates s. 373.0465, F.S., to codify the Central Florida Water Initiative (CFWI) in statute and provides legislative findings”

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CFWI 2020 Guiding Principles

1. Review and update the 2015 CFWI Water Supply Plan as well as the sustainable quantities of traditional groundwater sources available in the CFWI area that can be used without causing unacceptable harm to the water resources and associated natural systems.
2. Monitor progress of regional strategies and solutions identified in the CFWI 2015 Plan; review and update strategies to meet water demands that are in excess of the sustainable yield of existing traditional groundwater sources.



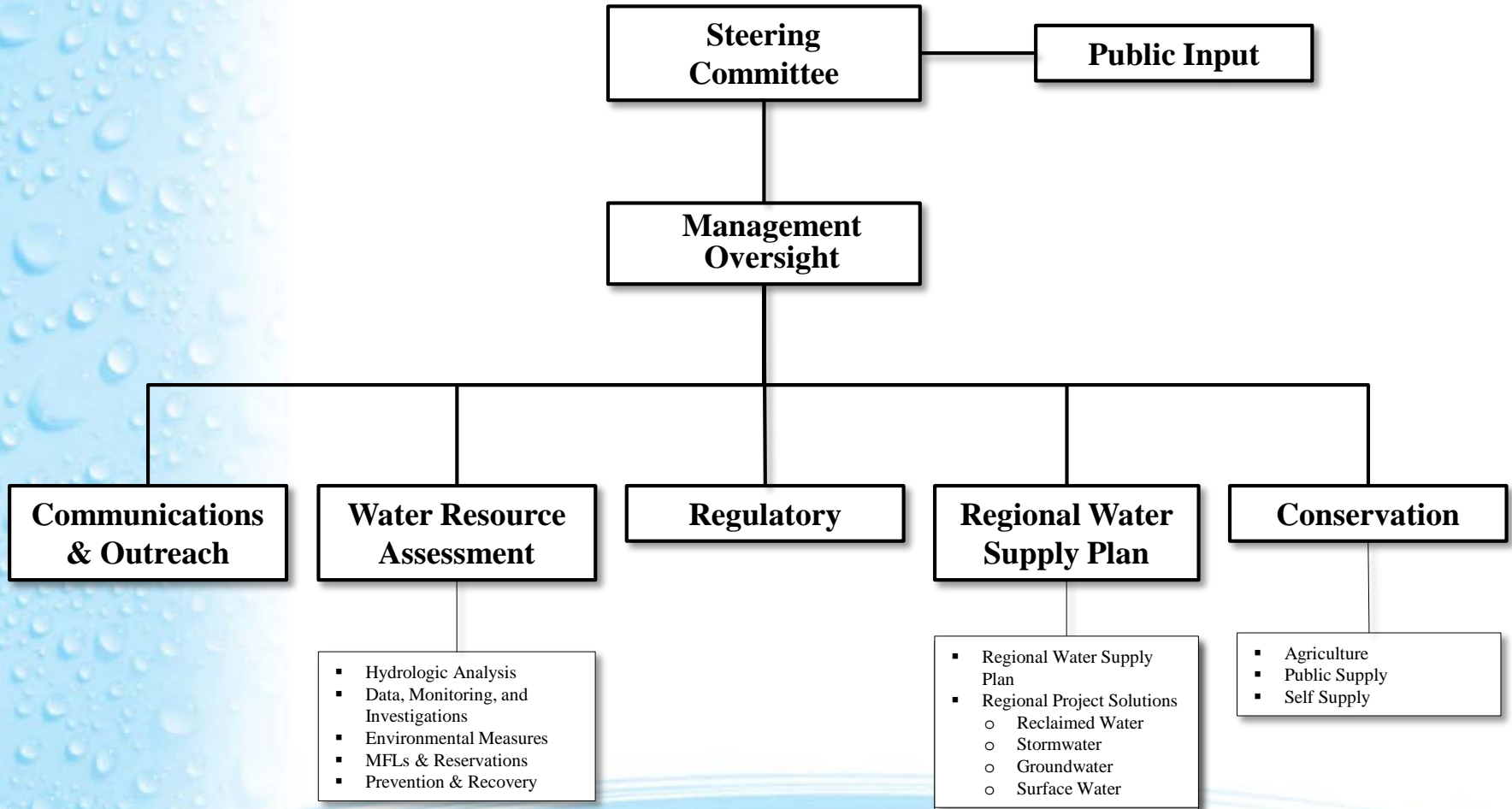
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3. Establish consistent rules and regulations for the three water management districts that meet the Collaborative Process Goals and implement the results of this Central Florida Water Initiative.
4. Encourage funding for regional strategies necessary to achieve the objectives of the CFWI

Collaborative Process Goals

- a) Update the single hydrologic planning model used to assess the availability of groundwater
- b) A single, uniform definition of “harmful to the water resources” consistent with its usage in section 373.219, Florida Statutes.
- c) One reference condition
- d) A single process for permit reviews
- e) A single, consistent process, as appropriate, to set MFLs and water reservations
- f) An updated single multidistrict regional water supply plan, including any needed recovery or prevention strategies and a list of water resource or supply development projects
- g) Address other directives enacted by the Florida Legislature

CFWI 2020



Steering Committee

The Steering Committee shall be Chaired by an appointee of the Secretary of the Department of Environmental Protection and comprised of the following members:

Utilities - A public water supply utilities representative

WMDs - One designated Governing Board Member from each of the WMDs

FDEP - One designated FDEP representative

DACS - One designated DACS representative

Steering Committee

MEMBER	REPRESENTING
Brian Wheeler	Utilities
Paul Senft	SWFWMD
John Miklos	SJRWMD
Dan O’Keefe	SFWMD
Steve Dwinell	FDACS
Ryan Matthews (Chair)	FDEP

Management Oversight Committee

The Chair of the Management Oversight Committee shall be designated by the Steering Committee.

Utilities - A public water supply utilities representative

WMDs - One designated Executive representative from each of the WMDs

FDEP - One designated FDEP representative

DACS - One designated DACS representative

Environment – One environmental stakeholder representative

Management Oversight Committee

MEMBER	REPRESENTING
Teresa Remudo	Utilities (Orange County Utilities)
Beth Lewis	Environment (Nature Conservancy)
Robert Beltran (Chair)	SWFWMD
Mike Register	SJRWMD
Len Lindahl	SFWMD
Ray Scott	FDACS
Janet Llewellyn	FDEP

Technical Collaborative Teams

- **Conservation**

Continue the effort to advance conservation beyond the estimates established in the RWSP. Set an annual conservation goal for each CUP consistent with the RWSP.

- **Regulatory**

Develop a consistent rule framework for the region that recognizes the water resource challenges of the area. Develop options for consistent regulations as well as identify Legislative changes, as needed, to implement the solution strategies identified in the CFWI process, to assist with resource recovery strategies, and to provide for equitable and predictable review of consumptive use permit applications among the districts.

Technical Collaborative Teams

- **CFWI Regional Water Supply Plan**

Update the water supply projections by December 2017. Update and implement the single multidistrict regional water supply plan, including any needed recovery or prevention strategies including identification of sustainable water supply programs and projects. Monitor and report progress on the CFWI Programs and projects and identified in the CFWI 2015 Plan.

- **Water Resource Assessments**

Develop any needed recovery or prevention strategies. Update the East Central Florida Transient model by December 2017. Continue the effort to implement the next steps from the CFWI 2015 Plan not specifically assigned to one of the existing Collaborative Technical Teams. Ensure technical coordination between the teams.

- **Communication & Outreach**

Develop programs to address the “next step” recommendations from the Phase 2 Community Outreach and Consensus Report.

Technical Collaborative Teams

TEAM	TEAM LEADER
Conservation	TBD (FDEP)
Regulatory	Len Lindahl (SFWMD) Kristine Morris (FDEP)
CFWI Plan	Tammy Bader (SJRWMD)
Water Resource Assessments	Mark Hammond (SWFWMD)
Communication & Outreach	Barbara Ross (SFWMD)

CFWI 2020 Schedule

January through March 2016

- Jan 29- Steering Committee
 - Guidance Document framework
 - MOC appointments and Chair
 - Technical Team Leaders
- Feb 1- Technical Teams- MOC appoints members
- Feb 29- Technical Teams- develop scope, etc. for initial MOC review
- Mar 14 MOC completes Guidance Document draft

April 2016

- Apr 8 Steering Committee
 - Guidance Document details (scope, deliverables, schedule)

Action

- Provide direction on the framework for the draft 2020 Guidance Document
- Schedule

QUESTIONS

