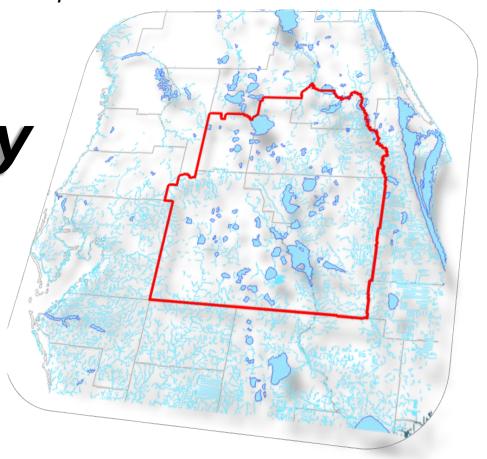
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Regulatory
Team
Update



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Regulatory Topics

- Following Dec 2013 FDEP Guidance Memo
 - WMD coordination on pending applications
 - Review of permit duration
 - Water conservation criteria
- Reporting consumptive use data
 - Updated list of pending consumptive use permit applications
 - Available on <u>www.cfwiwater.com</u>
- Ongoing topics
 - Conjunctive Use
 - Self-Supplied Landscape Irrigation

Regulation Options

- The establishment of consistent regulations is a Key Finding of the CFWI RWSP.
- Legislation was not finalized, but can provide future direction.
- The Regulatory Team has already found consistent themes and programmatic goals that should be considered when developing consistent regulations (Chapter 7):
 - Overall Program Description
 - Resource Sustainability
 - Existing Legal User Rights
 - Future Projected Uses

Regulation Options

- Additional progress can be made prior to any legislation coming back next session.
- Three areas of focus:
 - Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)
 - Existing 3-District MOU (2000)
 - Relevant topics include water supply planning, water use regulation, and water shortage management
 - Opportunities to update MOU considering CFWI
 - Consumptive Use Permitting
 - Identify priority topics
 - Build on CUPcon process
 - Minimum Flows and Levels
 - Review existing criteria
 - Investigate water body selection and performance measures

Regulatory Team

Upcoming

- Continued progress on regulatory topics
- Coordination with Solutions Planning Team



