

# Acquisition and Restoration Council Meeting Results

**Council Meeting:** February 11, 2022

**Time:** 9 a.m.

**Location:** Department of Environmental Protection  
Marjory Stoneman Douglas Building  
Conference Room 137  
3900 Commonwealth Blvd  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

And via Webinar

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## Members in Attendance:

Mr. Josh Goodwin, DHR for Dr. Parsons  
Mr. Erin Albury, FFS via Webinar  
Ms. Lynetta Griner, Citizen Member  
Dr. Thomas Eason, FWC  
Dr. Bill Palmer, Citizen Member  
Ms. Elva Peppers, Citizen Member  
Ms. Mara Gambineri, ARC Chair, DEP

ARC Staff Director: Ms. Shauna Allen, DEP

**Item 1:** Call to Order at 9 a.m.

**Item 2:** Consider the December 9-10, 2021, meeting summaries.

**ARC Action:** Ms. Griner made the motion to approve the summaries with Ms. Peppers seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

## FLORIDA FOREVER

**Item 3:** Adopt the FY 2022-23 Division of State Lands Annual Florida Forever Work Plan for presentation to the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund.

**ARC Action:** Dr. Palmer made the motion to approve the work plan with Mr. Albury seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 4:** Consider a request to remove 0.28 acres from the boundary of the Florida Keys Ecosystem Florida Forever Project.

**ARC Action:** Dr. Eason made the motion to approve the removal with Ms. Griner seconding. ARC members voted unanimously by seven members to approve the removal.

**Item 5:** Consider requests to remove approximately 16.38 acres from the boundary of the Bombing Range Ridge Florida Forever Project.

**ARC Action:** Dr. Eason made the motion to approve the removal with Dr. Palmer seconding. ARC members voted unanimously by seven members to approve the removal.

### **LAND ADMINISTRATION**

**Item 6:** Consider whether an approximately 2.63-acre easement for private ingress and egress with utilities within Catfish Creek State Park is consistent with the Board of Trustees' Incompatible Use Policy.

**ARC Action:** Ms. Peppers made the motion to approve the easement request with Ms. Griner seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 7:** Consider whether an approximately 25.245 acre proposed transmission line on a portion of the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission and Board of Trustees owned conservation land within the Fred C. Babcock/Cecil M. Webb Wildlife Management Area is consistent with the Board of Trustees' Linear Facilities Policy.

**ARC Action:** Dr. Palmer made the motion to approve the easement request with Ms. Peppers seconding. Dr. Eason recused himself from the vote stating the Commission has approved their portion of the easement. ARC approved the item.

### **MANAGEMENT PLANS**

**Item 8:** Consider an amendment to the T. H. Stone Memorial St. Joseph Peninsula State Park Management Plan (Lease No. 3533).

**ARC Action:** Dr. Palmer made the motion to approve the management plan amendment with Ms. Griner seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 9:** Consider the Orange Hammock Wildlife Management Area Management Plan (Lease No. 4850).

**ARC Action:** Mr. Albury made the motion to approve the management plan with Dr. Palmer seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 10:** Consider a Management Plan for St. Joseph Bay Aquatic Preserve.

**ARC Action:** Dr. Eason made the motion to approve the management plan with Ms. Griner seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 11:** Consider a 10-year update to the Jupiter Ridge Natural Area Management Plan (Lease No. 4004).

**ARC Action:** Dr. Eason made the motion to approve the management plan update with Ms. Griner seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 12:** Consider a 10-year update to the Chipola River Greenway Management Plan (Lease No. 3577).

**ARC Action:** Ms. Peppers made the motion to approve the management plan update with Mr. Goodwin seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 13:** Consider a 10-year update to the Caladesi Island State Park Management Plan (Lease No. 3203).

**ARC Action:** Ms. Griner made the motion to approve the management plan update with Dr. Eason seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 14:** Consider a 10-year update to the Honeymoon Island State Park Management Plan (Lease No. 3203).

**ARC Action:** Dr. Palmer made the motion to approve the management plan update with Mr. Albury seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 15:** Consider a 10-year update to the Four Creeks State Forest Management Plan (Lease Nos. 4507 and 4844).

**ARC Action:** Dr. Palmer made the motion to approve the management plan update with Ms. Griner seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

**Item 16:** Consider a 10-year update to the Pine Log State Forest Management Plan (Lease No. 3688).

**ARC Action:** Dr. Eason made the motion to approve the management plan update with Ms. Griner seconding. ARC approved the item unanimously.

### **CLOSING COMMENTS**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:32 a.m.