

# Acquisition and Restoration Council Regional Public Hearing and Meeting Agenda

**Date:** August 12, 2022  
**Time:** 9 a.m.  
**Location:** Department of Environmental Protection  
Marjory Stoneman Douglas Building  
Conference Room 137  
3900 Commonwealth Blvd  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Webinar Registration: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1717560730828220428>

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## REGIONAL PUBLIC HEARING

- Welcome and Introductions
- ARC Role in Project Selection and Ranking Process
- Overview of 2022 Cycle 2 Florida Forever Project Proposals
- Public Testimony

## COUNCIL MEETING

**Item 1:** Call to Order/Announcements

**Item 2:** Consider the June 10, 2022, meeting summary.

## ARC STAFF REPORTS

**Item 3:** Items approved by the Division of State Lands via the online negative response process since the June 2022 ARC meeting.

**Item 4:** Update on the Strategic Managed Area Lands List Florida Forever Project from the Office of Environmental Services

## LESS THAN 40-ACRE CONSERVATION EASEMENTS

**Item 5:** Determine whether a 26.14-acre conservation easement in Jefferson County, Florida, over property belonging to Belle Terre Land Partners, LLC fulfills a clearly delineated state conservation policy and yields a significant public benefit.

## LAND ADMINISTRATION

**Item 6:** Consider whether an approximately 1.61-acre, 20-foot wide, private underground wastewater force main within Rainbow Springs State Park and the Marjorie Harris Carr Cross Florida Greenway State Recreation and Conservation Area is consistent with the Board of Trustees' Linear Facilities Policy.

**Item 7:** Consider whether an approximately 5.199-acre public transportation easement to the Florida Department of Transportation within the Withlacoochee State Forest Whispering Pines Park is consistent with the Board of Trustees' Linear Facilities Policy.

## LAND MANAGEMENT PLANS

**Item 8:** Consider a 10-year update to the Janet Butterfield Brooks Wildlife and Environmental Area Management Plan (Lease No. 4594).

**Item 9:** Consider a 10-year update to the Oleta River State Park Management Plan (Lease No. 3154).

**Item 10:** Consider a 10-year update to the Yellow River Marsh Preserve State Park Management Plan (Lease No. 4306).

## FLORIDA FOREVER

**Item 11:** Vote on whether to combine the Aucilla River Corridor, Econfina Timberlands, West Aucilla River Buffer, Wacissa/Aucilla River Sinks Florida Forever projects, and the Wacissa/Aucilla River Sinks tracts of the St. Joe Timberlands Florida Forever project to create a new Florida Forever project named the Aucilla/Wacissa Watershed Florida Forever project to be added to the 2023 Florida Forever Priority List.

**Item 12:** Vote on whether to amend the Strategic Managed Area Lands List Florida Forever Project Boundary for the FWC to add two properties totaling approximately 161 acres in Franklin and Glades counties with a combined tax assessed market value of \$1,064,036.

**Item 13:** Vote on whether to amend the West Bay Preservation Area Florida Forever Project Boundary to add one parcel totaling approximately 87.9 acres in Bay County with a tax assessed market value of \$194,259.

## PRESENTATIONS

**Item 14:** Sentinel Landscapes in Florida Presentation

## CLOSING COMMENTS

Adjourn