Interim CFWI Consumptive Use Permit Limiting Condition Draft for Review and Comment

Staff report language:

The CFWI effort is underway and working to accomplish the goals presented in the Central Florida Water Initiative Guidance Document. These goals include crafting long-term water supply solutions for the Central Florida region. The CFWI effort may also result in specific regulatory requirements. Substantial CFWI technical team analysis has already occurred; regulatory staff has utilized this information as part of this permit application review.

This application satisfies existing conditions for permit issuance because – insert reasoning regarding: water resources, existing legal users, demand, etc.

The recommended permit duration is commensurate with the applicant's ability to satisfy conditions of permit issuance.

Additionally, as part of the application review, existing legal users have been identified and considered in recognition of the priority of existing water rights. The applicant has provided reasonable assurances that the proposed withdrawals will not interfere with existing legal uses.

In the interim, it is, therefore, necessary for the applicant to implement the heightened water conservation requirements defined in Limiting Condition ##.

The applicant is advised to carefully consider its infrastructure investments in light of the on-going Central Florida Water Initiative.

Limiting conditions for new, modified to increase, and / or renewals:

- 1. This permit is subject to modification during the term of the permit, upon reasonable notice by the District to the permittee, as necessary to address or otherwise abate harm to the water resource or adverse effects on existing legal users that is occurring or is projected to occur because of the Permittee's authorized withdrawals over the permit duration. Modifications may include reductions in allocations or requirements to timely implement required actions that are consistent with the long-term, regional water supply solutions and rules for Central Florida. Such actions may include the development of alternative water supplies, the implementation of water resource and / or water supply development projects, operating plans, heightened water conservation or other appropriate actions.
- 2. The permittee is required to implement the following, heightened water conservation public education program to address the following required

elements: Please insert list, for reference the below items are from the CUPcon draft rules for PWS.

- A. Water conservation public service announcements;
- B. Water conservation speakers, posters, literature, videos, and/or other information provided to schools and community organizations;
- C. Public water conservation exhibits;
- D. Water conservation articles and/or reports provided to local news media;
- E. A water audit customer assistance program to address indoor and outdoor water use:
- F. Water conservation information provided to customers regarding yearround landscape irrigation conservation measures:
- G. Water conservation information posted on the supplier's website;
- H. The construction, maintenance, and publication of water efficient landscape demonstration projects;
- I. Water conservation information provided in customer bills or separate mailings; and,
- J. Other means of communication proposed by the applicant.
- 3. Discuss: Language relating SWFWMD's "Dover" condition regarding existing legal use rights in the permitting time continuum.