

Environmental Measures Team Update

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Introduction

Approved option for determining wetland stress for 2020 update to CFWI RWSP:

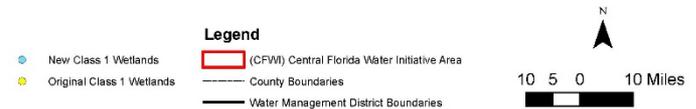
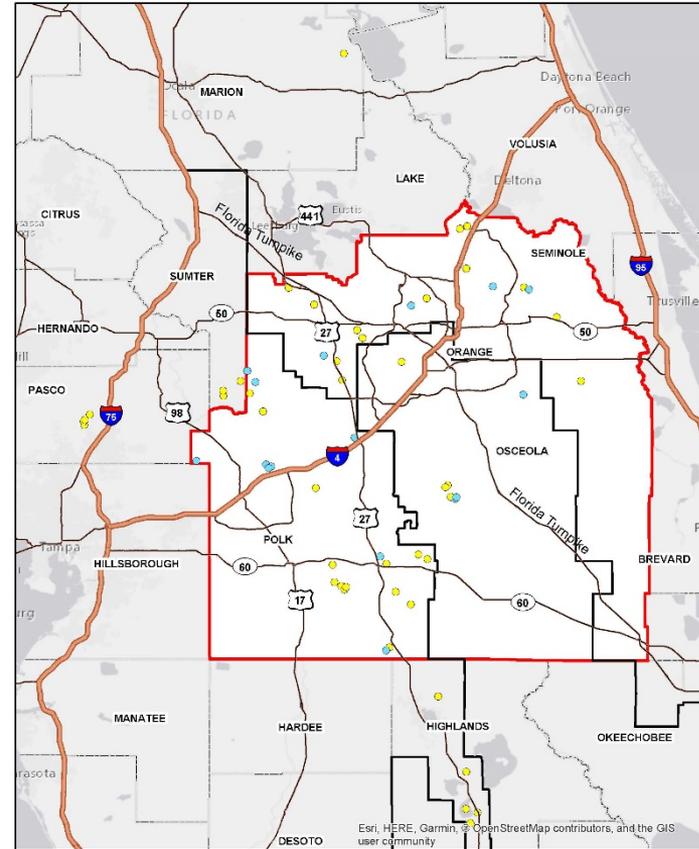
- Statistical analysis and risk assessment (same methodology used for 2015 CFWI RWSP) with expanded EMT dataset and updated model (ECFTX)



Current Progress

- Final expanded Class 1 wetland dataset: 59 wetlands (44 original + 15 new)
- Original dataset of 44 wetlands:
 - 26 Ridge wetlands (15 NS, 11 S)
 - 18 Plain wetlands (10 NS, 8 S)
- New dataset of 59 wetlands:
 - 28 Ridge wetlands (19 NS, 9 S)
 - 31 Plain wetlands (24 NS, 7S)

Class 1 Wetlands Assessed



Current Progress

- Period-of-record water level data that will be used for analysis:
 - 2009-2017 (9 years)
 - Original analysis: 2006-2011 (6 years)
- Data exploration for analysis preparation complete
- Equations to calculate the probability of future wetland stress are close to being updated
 - Updated dataset
 - Updated model (ECFTX)



Remaining Tasks for Analysis Preparation

- Update GIS layers
 - Update with more recent land use/NWI information
 - Update with polygons of new Class 1 wetlands (to intersect with model cells)
 - Ensure Class 2 wetland layer accurate



Tentative Schedule

- End of November/early December:
 - Finalize Class 1 wetland assessment report
 - Complete wetland analysis preparation tasks
 - Complete draft EMT Scope of Work

