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Special to the Glades County Democrat/Tycee Prevatt
The Glades County 4-H Livestock Judging Team did well in their first competition in Kissimmee. The team includes: (back row) Lane Prevatt, Ashley Lara, Kate Perry, Ethan Taylor, Raif Prevatt, 4-H Leader Kimberly Clement, (front row) Alecis Eley, Rieonna Eley, Brice Prowant, Jaime Hingson, Lacy Green, Ross Perry and Lowell Roberts. Jaime Hingson finish Second Overall Individual Junior.

Glades County 4-H team competes in Florida Fat Steer Livestock Judging

The Glades County 4-H Livestock Judging Team has started off with a great group of kids this year! They have had a few meetings and practices to prepare for their first competition in Kissimmee at the Florida Fat Steer Livestock Judging Competition.

The Glades County team did a great job and team member Jaime Hingson finish Second Overall Individual Jr.

The kids had a great learning experience and are now getting ready for competitions coming up.

Buckhead Ridge Catfish Festival benefits fire department

Special to the Glades County Democrat

The 20th Annual Buckhead Ridge Catfish Festival is planned for Saturday, Jan. 26, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the park next to the Buckhead Ridge Fire Department, 30076 E. State Road 78 in Buckhead Ridge.

Volunteers will serve up fried catfish

dinners starting at 10 a.m. The festival entry fee of \$7 per person includes dinner. "To go" meals will be available.

The festival will include entertainment by Sounds of Country (with Phil Eddings). There will be a bounce house for the kids, arts and crafts booths and displays by the Glades

County Sheriff's Office and the Florida Forestry Services.

Door prizes will be given away every hour. Ticket holders must be present to win!

The Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary will have a bake sale and will also sell hot dogs.

SFWMD transparency questioned

Proposed purchase of 638 acres in Glades county tied to 30-year lease extension on other public land for Duda

By Eric Kopp

Special to the Glades County Democrat

Despite the opposition of several environmental groups, water managers Thursday got the go-ahead to enter into negotiations to purchase property from A. Duda & Sons in Glades County.

Approval of Resolution 2013-105 by the South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) governing board paves the way for the district to possibly purchase 638 acres of Glades County property for \$1.9 million (\$2,984 per acre), which is a 56 percent discount from the appraised value of \$6,800 per acre.

That purchase, however, is contingent on Duda receiving a 30-year extension on two of its land leases with the state.

The district will also have the option of buying an additional 2,489 acres of Glades County property from Duda for \$16.9 million, which is not a discounted price. Water managers will have four years in which to exercise that option, according

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Inland Birding Fun: House Sparrow (HOSP)



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Juvenile House Sparrow.

BY MARGARET ENGLAND
Hendry-Glades Audubon

After 15 years of success in North America, the Great Backyard Bird Count (GBBC) will open up to the entire world for the first time in 2013. Anyone, from anywhere on earth, can participate by visiting www.birdcount.org and reporting the kinds and numbers of birds they see during the 16th annual count, Feb. 15 to 18.



Margaret England

For the past five years the Clewiston area was in the "Top 10" for the number of birds reported during the GBBC. Last year 124 species, for a total of 123,704 birds, were submitted for Clewiston. Other area communities reporting were LaBelle with 46 species and 1,389 birds, Felda 15 species with 840 birds reported, Moore Haven with 38 species with 601 birds, and Okeechobee with 80 species and 2,626 birds.

Last year Florida reported the most individual birds in the United States, including 3,286 House Sparrows. These common birds, which were first introduced in the United States in 1851, live and breed throughout Florida.

House Sparrows aren't related to other North American sparrows. These noisy active birds are larger, have a rounder head, shorter tail, and stouter bill than most American Sparrows. Adult males have gray heads, white cheeks, a black bib, and rufous neck while females are plain buffy-brown with gray-brown underparts. Their

backs are striped with buff, black, and brown. Juveniles are similar to the female, but have buffier underparts and soft textured feathers. The oldest recorded House Sparrow live to be 15 years and nine months old. Their songs are one or a series of "cheep" or "chirrup" notes. Females rarely sing. The male and female's call is a single "cheep" note.

These sparrows are often seen taking dust baths. They throw dust and soil over their body feathers as if bathing with water. House Sparrows are commonly found in shopping centers where are seen hopping on the ground as they forage for grains, seeds, discarded food, and insects.

These cavity nesters prefer to nest in man-made structures such as eaves of buildings, street lights and nest boxes, but will also nest in tree cavities or weave a nest of thick vegetation. Between March and July the female lays three to seven white, pale blue, or pale green eggs speckled with brown and black. The eggs are incubated for 11 to 14 days with the young fledging at 15 to 17 days.

Join Hendry-Glades Audubon volunteers for free birding or photography trips. You and your guests are invited participate in upcoming birding trips Saturday, Feb. 2 and 16, Sunday, Feb. 17 or Monday, Feb. 18, at STA5 (Stormwater Treatment Area 5).

Meet at 8:30 a.m. at the new STA5 Deer Fence Trailhead. To make a reservation please e-mail Margaret England sta5birding@embarqmail.com or phone 863-674-0695 or 863-517-0202. The schedule of STA5 trips through December 2013 and upcoming Hendry-Glades Audubon programs is available on the HGAS website at www.hendrygladesaudubon.org. "Like" Hendry-Glades Audubon on Facebook.

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Glades at a Glance

Help make pies for Sour Orange Festival

Lakeport Sour Orange Festival organizers are hard at work. Sour orange squeezing will be Jan. 18 at 5:30 p.m. Anyone who can help is welcome to bring your juice, your favorite knife and a cutting board. Sour orange pie making will be Jan. 25 at 5:30 p.m. Bring a large bowl, spatula or spoon and a measuring cup. Any help will be appreciated. Volunteers are also needed to cut and serve pies at the Sour Orange Festival on Feb. 9. If you can help, please call Jan at 863-885-1155.

Safety patrol to host cornhole tournament

Moore Haven Elementary Safety Patrol will host its inaugural cornhole tournament on Saturday, Jan. 19. Play begins at 9 a.m. at Tom Perry City Park in Moore Haven. Proceeds from the fund raiser will benefit the MHES Safety Patrol, helping to defray the costs of their trip to Washington, D.C. this spring. For a registration form or more information, please contact Kristi Hingson or Barbara Scruggs at 863-946-0737.

Safety patrol to sell pork dinners

The Moore Haven Elementary School Safety Patrol will sell pork dinners on Jan. 19 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the City Park. The cost is \$8 and will include a beverage and two sides. Call Kristi Hingson at 863-946-0737 (at school, between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m.) for more information or to reserve your dinners.

BHR VFW serves breakfast

Buckhead Ridge Ladies Auxiliary VFW 9528 will host their monthly breakfast Jan. 20, from 9 to 11 a.m. at the VFW BHR post on State Road 78. They will serve sausage, biscuits and gravy, home fries, eggs any way you want them, juice, coffee for a donation of \$5. The event is open to the public. For more information call the post at 863-467-2882.

Project Graduation meeting planned for Jan. 23

A Moore Haven Project Graduation nandatory meeting is set for Jan. 23, 2013 at 6:30 p.m. in Mrs. Bell's Classroom at the Moore Haven High School. For more information, please call Erin Christle at 863-227-3554.

Church to host dinner

The Knights of Columbus of Saint Theresa of the Child Jesus Catholic Church will host an Italian dinner on Saturday, Jan. 26, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the church hall, on State Road 78 West at Chobee Loop in Buckhead Ridge. The menu includes lasagna, baked ziti, spaghetti, meat sauce, garlic bread, salad and dessert with coffee, iced tea or lemonade for a donation of \$8 for adults, \$3 for children. Take out is available. Proceeds will go to the annual Bishop's Appeal Fund Drive.

Garden Club to meet

There will be a meeting of the Moore Haven Garden Club on Monday, Feb. 4 at 10 a.m. under the pavilion in the Moore Haven Park behind the City Hall. All members are asked to bring a covered dish or snacks for the meeting. All interested persons are welcome.

Art in the Park planned

The Glades County Public Library, 201 Riverside Drive, and its Advisory Board invite area artists and craftsmen to exhibit and sell their work at the eighth annual Art in the Park event in Moore Haven, Saturday, Jan. 26, 2013, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. This popular free event, centered in and around the library, brings artists and the public together in a wonderful setting by the Caloosahatchee River. Painters, sculptors, photographers, and handcrafters are encouraged to contact the library now and reserve their place. Exhibiting and parking are free. The Glades County Public Library is located in the city park across the street from the river in Moore Haven's Historic District. For more information contact Mary Booher, Director of Libraries at 863-946-0744 or mbooher@myhlc.org.

Church to host yard sale

Buckhead Ridge Christian Church, 1167 Linda Road (behind the Moose Lodge on SR 78) will host a yard sale on Feb. 16 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The Eagles Riders plan party

The Eagles Riders are having The 4th Annual Party Under the Bridge Feb. 16. They want to Salute all Veterans with a picture wall. We need pictures, please send pictures to Virginia at vrat61@hotmail.com or submit pictures along with self addressed envelope to FOE 4523 Attn.: Virginia 101 Avenue J S.W. Moore Haven, FL. 33471.

Vendors wanted for Chalo Nitka festival

March 1 and 2 of 2013 mark the 65th annual Chalo Nitka Festival and Rodeo in Moore Haven. Vendor booth applications for the festival are now available and can be filled out online at www.chalonitka.com. For more information about becoming a vendor, please call 863-946-0300 or email Emily at erigdon@gladescountyedc.com. We hope to see you there!

Chalo Nitka parade planned

Applications are being accepted from church groups, civic groups, individuals, community associations, and any others interested in participating in the 65th annual Chalo Nitka parade. There is no fee to enter. If you or your group are interested in participating, you may submit an entry form online at www.chalonitka.com. You may also call 863-946-0300 or email Emily at erigdon@gladescountyedc.com and we'll send one to you. Come out and help us celebrate!

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Two Florida Pros Tangle at the Finish Line for Top Honors

When your very first fish of a three-day tournament is 9-pounder, it could be fortune. When your very last fish of that three-day tournament is another 9-pounder, it could be fate.

But when you win that same three-day tournament by a tiebreaker, someone from above is looking out for you.

That's exactly how the week went for EverStart rookie pro Ben Todd of Pierson, Fla. His first fish of the tournament on Thursday was 9-pounder.

Then late this afternoon, with a small limit in his box and just minutes left in the fishing day, Todd hooked and landed another 9-pounder and won the EverStart Series event on Lake Okeechobee by a tiebreaker.

Todd's total weight – 59 pounds, 3 ounces – was the exact total weight of runner-up Trevor Fitzgerald who mounted a gallant charge for the title with an impressive 25-pound-10 ounce catch today.

But since Todd was ahead of Fitzgerald going into the final day, Todd got the winning hardware and the \$40,000 check to go with it.

"You see that right there," Todd said, seconds after his weight stopped at 16-3, the exact weight he needed to win. "That was not me. The Lord did that...not me."

Indeed it was a magical week for the 32-year

old Todd who works on his family's farm in Pierson. It started with a 31-7 limit on day one. Then waned to an 11-9 limit on day two. And then surged again with the magic digits 16-3 today, thanks to the tournament winning 9-pounder.

Todd found his winning area late on Tuesday afternoon.

"I made one quick pass down through there, had 10 bites and shook them all off," he said.

"But I saw two of them as I was shaking them off and they were big. I did not return to the area until Thursday morning. My first fish of the day was 9-pounder and that kind of set the tone for the day as I kept catching big ones."

Todd's key stretch included a line of reeds "in the middle" around the J&S area, which was protected from the predominant east wind that occurred throughout the event.

"I was not fishing the very outside reeds," Todd detailed. "And I was not fishing all the way inside near the bank, either. This area had a line of reeds going down through the middle."

The whole area was maybe three acres in size. And it's not like the fish were bunched up in a tiny spot. I caught them all the way down this line of reeds that ran north and south."

Todd's key lures were a Gambler Fat Ace and a Tightlines UV UVenko. The Fat Ace was in a river bug color and the UVenko was in black and

blue.

He rigged the lures Texas-style with a 5/0 Gamakatsu flipping hook and topped them with 3/8-tungsten weights on 50-pound test PowerPro braid.

"The fish were spawning around the reeds," he explained. "I couldn't see the beds and I couldn't see the fish, but I could just tell by how they were set up, they had made beds around those reeds. I'd pitch the bait in-between and around the reeds and just let it fall into where I thought a bed would be. I'd start the day with the Gambler Fat Ace and then when things got slow or I was re-fishing some of my stretches, I'd switch to the UVenko to give them a different look. I think that UV technology really gives the lure a different appearance in the water – something they've never seen before."

"Today it was all the UVenko," he added. "I caught small fish early, but late in the day all the boats disappeared and things got calm and quiet and I got that indescribable feeling that maybe another big female or two was moving up. I kept looking at my watch...30 minutes left...20 minutes left...10 minutes left and then that big one bit. When I got her in the boat I knew I had a shot at winning."

Brandon McMillan of Clewiston, ended the week in third place with a three-day total of 56

pounds, 3 ounces worth \$10,000.

'Big Mac' (a nickname coined by McMillan's sponsor, Lionel Botha, owner of Halo rods) is usually considered a committed mat puncher but this week he sampled the big jig bite as well.

"The risk in committing to mat punching is that there is a lot of wasted time moving from one mat to another," McMillan explained.

"A lot of times I kick the trolling motor on high and have to troll 30 or 40 yards to the next mat without fishing and that's a lot of down time. If the mat bite is really strong, I don't mind that kind of down time. But if the mat bite is so-so, it adds up to a lot of lost fishing time."

"So I purposely stayed in water that offered a mix of both punching mats and pitching a jig to reeds," he continued.

"That way, as I moved from one mat to another, I could pitch reed clumps in between with the jig. And I ended up catching a few bonus fish from the reeds, so it worked out well."

McMillan's lures of choice included a Gambler B.B. Cricket and a Zoom Z-Hog on a 1-1/2-ounce tungsten for punching and a 3/4-ounce 4X4 jig for pitching to reeds.

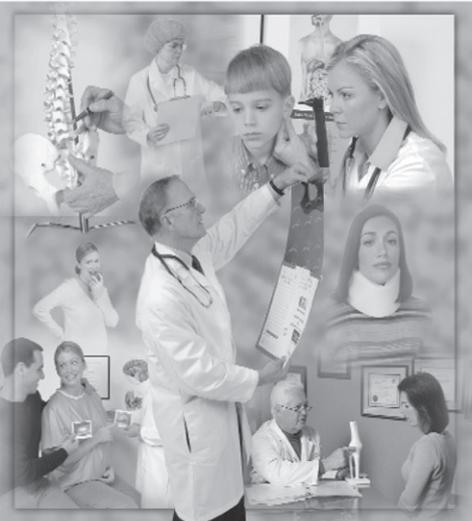


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SFWMD Completes Everglades, Florida Bay Restoration Project

Start of operations builds restoration momentum in a new year

BY GABE MARGASAK
SWMWD

With two new pump stations in operation, the South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) and its federal and state partners dedicated the completion of the C-111 Spreader Canal Western Project to help restore freshwater flows to Florida Bay, preserve clean water in Everglades National Park and maintain flood control for eastern communities.

"The completion of the C-111 spreader canal is yet another example of the Department working with its partners to get the water right," stated Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) Secretary Herschel T. Vinyard Jr. "Providing abundant and cleaner water is one step, among many, designed to restore America's Everglades."

District engineers reported all components of the project are operating as designed and the system performed well during the 2012 wet season testing.

With automated operation, the project stands ready to receive water and deliver benefits to the Everglades ecosystem. In addition, scientists will begin compiling data to evaluate project performance and environmental response.

"Witnessing the completion and operation of a project to help restore America's Everglades provides a sense of accomplishment and optimism for the future," said Joe Collins, SFWMD Governing Board Chairman.

"Today we have taken another step toward our shared restoration goals."

These goals are accomplished at the C-111 western project with a series of pump stations and canals that raise groundwater levels directly

outside the eastern boundary of Everglades National Park.

The higher water table creates a hydraulic barrier between the park and the urban areas of Miami-Dade County to retain fresh water in the park.

This also helps achieve healthy salinity levels in Florida Bay by restoring the quantity, timing and distribution of freshwater flows via Taylor Slough to the bay ecosystem.

Located at the southern tip of the Florida peninsula and spanning 850 square miles, Florida Bay is an integral component of the Everglades ecosystem and is a valuable economic resource for the region.

The bay's waters serve as a nursery for an array of aquatic life and are home to dozens of commercially and recreationally important species such as spiny lobster, snapper and pink shrimp.

A National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) study found that Florida Bay contributed approximately \$1.7 billion in the form of "destination spending" in one year alone.

This project provides significant momentum for another year of continued Everglades restoration progress.

With consensus between the State of Florida and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the District is also moving forward in 2013 with a suite of new restoration strategies for improving water quality in the Everglades.

Work includes:

- Implementing a science-based technical plan
- Completing six projects that will create more than 6,500 acres of new Stormwater Treatment Areas (STAs)
- Creating 110,000 acre-feet of additional water storage

GLADES COUNTY, FLORIDA NOTICE OF HEARING OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD AND THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO CONSIDER COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing(s) will be held to consider a Large Scale Comprehensive Plan Amendments. The public hearing(s) will be held on **January 28, 2013 at 6:00 pm** by Glades County Board of County Commissioners. Said meeting(s) will be held at the Glades County Courthouse located at 500 Avenue J, Moore Haven, Florida. All interested citizens are advised that they may be heard at the public hearing with regard to the proposed Large Scale Amendment.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE GLADES COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, GLADES COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 91-1; AMENDMENTS BASED ON NEW CHANGES IN THE GROWTH MANAGEMENT LAW CHAPTER 163, FLORIDA STATUTES (APPLICATION NO. COMP 12-03LS J.J. Wiggins), TO REVISE AND UPDATE THE EXISTING OBJECTIVE, POLICIES, DATA AND ANALYSIS OF THE FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT AND THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION ELEMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANDATES SET FORTH IN CHAPTER 163, FLORIDA STATUTES; PROVIDING FOR A TRANSMITTAL TO THE STATE LAND PLANNING AGENCY; PROVIDING CONFLICTS CLAUSE AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

COMP12-03LS, Request of J. J. Wiggins Memorial Trust to consider Large Scale Amendment to the Future Land Use Map and to transmit the proposed amendment to the Florida Department of Community Affairs. These revisions and updates to the Future Land Use Map will be incorporated by the legal description from Residential to Commercial on the following legal description:

A parcel of land in tracts 26 through 29 inclusive, map of subdivision of Section 10, Township 42 South, range 32 East, in Desoto county, Florida, lying and being in Glades County, Florida, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the East line of lot 26 and the South right of way line of State Road 25 (U.S. Highway 27); thence S 00°02'55" W, along the East line of lot 26, a distance of 600.00 feet; thence S 89°46'15" W a distance of 1320.66 feet to the West line of lot 29; thence N 00°02'00" E, along said West line of lot 29, a distance of 600.00 feet to the South right of way line of State Road 25 (U.S. highway 27); thence N 89°46'15" E, along said South right of way line, a distance of 1320.82 feet to the point of beginning. Containing a computed area of 18.19 acres more or less.

And Lots 45A, 45B, and 46, Glades Little Ranches as recorded in Plat Book 3, page 22 of the public records of Glades County, Florida.



Further more, revisions have been made to the map series, particularly the Land Use Map in order to respond to the recommendation of the County Comprehensive Plan. These revisions may affect property values. A copy of the proposed amendment and the adoption ordinance shall be available for inspection by the Public during normal business hours at the Planning and Zoning Department, 198 - 6th Street, Moore Haven, Florida. All interested parties are invited to appear and be heard. Written comments filed will be read and considered. If a person decides to appeal any decisions made by the Board, with respect to any matter considered at the hearing, that person will need a record of the proceedings, and may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. The proposed Future Land Use map shall apply to all property with the unincorporated areas of Glades County as depicted on the map.

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Thelma Juanita Carroll, 93

MOORE HAVEN — Thelma Juanita Carroll passed away Jan. 10, 2013 in Clewiston.

She was born May 24, 1919 in Anderson, Ind. to the late Charles and the late Iva Frances (Utt) Johnson. She worked for General Motors for 30 years retiring in 1977.

Survivors include, nieces and nephew, L i n d a

Ball of Moore Haven, Fla., Joe Lakey, Diane Van Buskirk; and several other nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 17, 2013 at Akin-Davis Funeral Home, Clewiston with Pastor John Booher officiating. Interment will be in Ortona Cemetery, Moore Haven. Visitation was Wednesday from 6 to 8 p.m. at Akin-Davis Funeral Home, Clewiston, FL. You may view the online obituary, light a candle and leave your condolence for the Carroll family at <http://www.akin-davis.com>. Arrangements by Akin-Davis Funeral Home - Clewiston.



Legislative delegation meets

The annual meeting of the Glades County Legislative Delegation will take place on Friday, Jan. 18, from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., at the Glades County Courthouse Commission Chambers, located at 500 Avenue "J" SW, Moore Haven, FL 33471. A luncheon sponsored by CAS Governmental Services, LLC will be held prior to the delegation meeting at 12:30 p.m. at the Moore Haven Yacht Club, located at 233 Yacht Club Way, Moore Haven, FL 33471. This is an open meeting and the public is encouraged to attend and/or speak before the delegation. Contact information can be found at www.leg.state.fl.us.

NOTICE

The Regular Meeting Of The Glades County School Board Scheduled For January 24, 2013 Has Been Re-Scheduled For January 22, 2013 At 9:00 a.m.

The Construction Design Workshop Scheduled For 9:00 a.m. On January 22, 2013 Has Been Re-Scheduled To Begin At 1:30 p.m. Meetings Will Be Held In The Glades County School Board Meeting Room

400 10th Street, SW
Moore Haven, Florida 33471

Seniors warned of Medicare telephone scam

Seniors nationwide are reporting scam phone calls informing them that a new Medicare card is in the mail. Hang up on suspicious callers and don't fall for this attempt to obtain your personal information.

How the scam works: You answer the phone, and the unknown caller, often with an accent, claims to be with Medicare or another government office. He informs you that your new Medicare card is in the mail, and you will receive it in a few days. In the meantime, you need to set up your direct deposit so your Medicare funds can be de-

Arrest Report

The following individuals were arrested on felony or driving under the influence (DUI) charges by the Glades County Sheriff's Office (GCSO), the Seminole Police Department (SPD), the Florida Highway Patrol (FHP), the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) or the Department of Corrections (DOC).

- William Arnold, 37, Jones Road, Okeechobee, was arrested Jan. 8 by the GCSO on a Glades County warrant charging him with the felony of possession of a controlled substance and the misdemeanors of possession of drug paraphernalia, driving while license suspended and contributing to the delinquency of a minor. His bond was set at \$7,500.

- Edwin Matos, 43, West 16th, Hialeah, was arrested Jan. 9 by the GCSO on a Miami-Dade County warrant charging him with the felonies of battery on a pregnant person and aggravated assault, and the misdemeanors of petit theft and child abuse. He was turned over to Miami-Dade County authorities.

- Lotell L. Lee, 55, 91st Terrace N., Jupiter, was arrested Jan. 12 by the GCSO on a Martin County warrant charging him with driving under the influence. His bond was set at \$5,000.

- Jean Mathieu, 42, N.E. 53rd St., Miami, was arrested Jan. 14 by the GCSO on a Miami Dade County warrant charging him with the felonies of aggravated battery and human trafficking. He is being held without bond.

- Fitzroy Ellis, 32, was arrested Jan. 15 by the GCSO on a Broward County warrant charging him with the felonies of fleeing and attempting to elude a law enforcement officer, possession of marijuana with intent to sell and attempt to tamper with physical evidence. He is being held without bond.

- Ricardo Beckford, 45, Clarcona Key Blvd., Orlando, was arrested Jan. 16 by the GCSO on a Miami-Dade County warrant charging him with the felony of first degree murder. He was turned over to Miami-Dade County authorities.

- Armando Dassori Sosa, 26, was arrested Jan. 16 by the GCSO on a Miami-Dade County warrant charging him with the felonies of burglary, assault and battery, and the misdemeanors of assault and petit theft. He was turned over to Miami-Dade County authorities.

This column lists arrests and not convictions, unless otherwise stated. Anyone listed here who is later found innocent or has had the charges against them dropped is welcome to inform this newspaper. The information will be confirmed and printed.

posited into your bank account. To do this, you just need to tell the caller your banking information. He/she will take care of the rest.

Of course, there is no new card and no direct deposit. The caller just wants you to share your banking information so he/she can steal from your account.

This is just one twist on the Medicare card scam. Scammers may also ask you to verify your identity in order to receive the new card. They will ask for your Medicare card number, which is the same as your Social Security number, as well as other personal information. With that information, a scammer can easily steal your identity.

See Medicare.gov for more information about Medicare fraud, ID theft and other issues.

Investigations

The Glades County Sheriff's Office investigated the following reports of crimes last week.

BUCKHEAD RIDGE

- Hunter Road - identity theft

LAKEPORT

- Teal Harbor Lane - criminal mischief
- Old Lakeport Road - theft of a firearm

MOORE HAVEN

- U.S. 27 - theft

- U.S. 27 - theft

- Lake Drive - criminal mischief

MUSE

- Summerall Road - burglary

PALMDALE

- E. Wilderness - theft of medications

Phone Discounts Available To CenturyLink Customers

The Florida Public Utility Commission designated CenturyLink as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier within its service area for universal service purposes. CenturyLink's basic local service rates for residential voice lines are \$19.50 per month and business services are \$28.00-\$32.50 per month. Specific rates will be provided upon request.

CenturyLink participates in a government benefit program (Lifeline) to make residential telephone service more affordable to eligible low-income individuals and families. Eligible customers are those that meet eligibility standards as defined by the FCC and state commissions. Residents who live on federally recognized Tribal Lands may qualify for additional Tribal benefits if they participate in certain additional federal eligibility programs. The Lifeline discount is available for only one telephone per household, which can be either a wireline or wireless telephone. A household is defined for the purposes of the Lifeline program as any individual or group of individuals who live together at the same address and share income and expenses. Lifeline service is not transferable, and only eligible consumers may enroll in the program. Consumers who willfully make false statements in order to obtain Lifeline telephone service can be punished by fine or imprisonment and can be barred from the program.

Lifeline eligible subscribers may also qualify for reliable home high-speed Internet service up to 1.5Mbps for \$9.95* per month for the first 12 months of service. Further details are available at centurylink.com/internetbasics.

If you live in a CenturyLink service area, please call 1-800-201-4099 or visit centurylink.com/lifeline with questions or to request an application for the Lifeline program.

***CenturyLink Internet Basics Program** – Residential customers only who qualify based on meeting income level or program participation eligibility requirements, and requires remaining eligible for the entire offer period. First bill will include charges for the first full month of service billed in advance, prorated charges for service from the date of installation to bill date, and one-time charges and fees described above. Qualifying customers may keep this program for a maximum of 60 months after service activation provided customer still qualifies during that time. Listed High-Speed Internet rate of \$9.95/mo. applies for first 12 months of service (after which the rate reverts to \$14.95/mo. for the next 48 months of service), and requires a 12-month term agreement. Customer must either lease a modem/router from CenturyLink for an additional monthly charge or independently purchase a modem/router, and a one-time High-Speed Internet activation fee applies. A one-time professional installation charge (if selected by customer) and a one-time shipping and handling fee applies to customer's modem/router. **General** – Services not available everywhere. CenturyLink may change or cancel services or substitute similar services at its sole discretion without notice. Offer, plans, and stated rates are subject to change and may vary by service area. Deposit may be required. Additional restrictions apply. **Terms and Conditions** – All products and services listed are governed by tariffs, terms of service, or terms and conditions posted at centurylink.com. **Taxes, Fees, and Surcharges** – Applicable taxes, fees, and surcharges include a carrier Universal Service charge, carrier cost recovery surcharges, state and local fees that vary by area and certain in-state surcharges. Cost recovery fees are not taxes or government-required charges for userequired charges for use. Taxes, fees, and surcharges apply based on standard monthly, not promotional, rates.



Department of Health Encourages Flu Vaccinations to Reduce Illness

Vaccinations available statewide

Though flu season has already started, the Florida Department of Health encourages residents and visitors alike to get vaccinated against influenza (flu). Compared with most other viral respiratory infections, such as the common cold, influenza infection often causes a more severe illness, and at times can lead to death.

"It is not too late to get vaccinated against the flu, and we encourage anyone age six months

and older to get a flu shot," stated State Surgeon General and Secretary of Health, Dr. John Armstrong.

"Influenza A is the most common flu type in Florida this season and is countered by the vaccine."

Be sure to watch for symptoms of the flu, which can include headache, fever, a severe cough, runny nose or body aches. Contact your primary care physician or a local hospital immediately if symptoms appear. This is particularly important for people at high risk for serious complications from flu.

For those with the flu, antiviral medication may shorten both the duration and severity of illness.

The Florida Department of Health urges the following preventive steps for the flu:

- Get vaccinated every single year, because as the flu types change, the vaccine changes.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand rub.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth, because germs spread this way.

- Avoid close contact with sick people.
- Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. Throw the tissue in the trash after you use it.

• If you are sick with flu-like illness, contact your primary care physician to determine whether you need antiviral medication. Stay home for at least 24 hours after your fever is gone (except to get medical care or for other necessities).

To locate flu vaccine, contact your County Health Department at www.doh.state.fl.us/chd-site/ist.htm.

Descuentos en Teléfono e Internet Disponibles para Clientes de CenturyLink

La Comisión de Servicios Públicos de Florida ha designado a CenturyLink como un Portador Elegible de Telecomunicaciones dentro de su área de servicio para fines de servicio universal. Las tarifas de servicio local básico de CenturyLink para líneas de voz residenciales son \$19.50 al mes y para servicios de negocios son \$28.00-\$32.50 al mes. Las tarifas específicas se proporcionarán por solicitud.

CenturyLink participa en un programa de beneficios del gobierno (Lifeline) para hacer el servicio telefónico residencial más accesible a personas y familias elegibles de bajos ingresos. Los clientes elegibles son aquellos que cumplen con las normas de elegibilidad según lo definido por la FCC y las comisiones estatales. Los residentes que viven en tierras tribales reconocidas a nivel federal pueden calificar para beneficios tribales adicionales si participan en ciertos programas de elegibilidad federales adicionales. El descuento Lifeline está disponible sólo para un teléfono por hogar, el cual puede ser un teléfono fijo o inalámbrico. Para los fines del programa Lifeline, un hogar se define como cualquier individuo o grupo de individuos que viven en la misma dirección y comparten ingresos y gastos. El servicio Lifeline no es transferible, y sólo consumidores elegibles pueden inscribirse en el programa. Los consumidores que voluntariamente hagan declaraciones falsas con el fin de obtener el servicio de teléfono de Lifeline pueden ser castigados con una multa o pena de prisión y pueden ser excluidos del programa.

Los suscriptores elegibles para Lifeline también pueden calificar para el servicio confiable de Internet de alta velocidad residencial de hasta 1.5 Mbps por \$9.95* al mes por los primeros 12 meses de servicio. Más detalles están disponibles en centurylink.com/internetbasics.

Si usted vive en un área de servicio de CenturyLink, por favor llame al 1-800-201-4099 o visite centurylink.com/lifeline si tiene alguna pregunta o para solicitar una aplicación para el programa Lifeline.

***Programa Internet Basics de CenturyLink** – Sólo para clientes residenciales que califiquen basado en el cumplimiento de los requisitos de nivel de ingresos o de elegibilidad para la participación en el programa, y requiere permanecer elegible durante el periodo completo de la oferta. La primera factura incluirá los cargos por el primer mes completo de servicio facturado por adelantado, cargos prorrateados por servicio a partir de la fecha de la instalación hasta la fecha de la factura, y cargos y tarifas únicos descritos anteriormente. Los clientes que califiquen pueden mantener este programa durante un máximo de 60 meses después de la activación del servicio siempre que el cliente mantenga su elegibilidad durante ese tiempo. La tarifa de Internet de Alta Velocidad indicada de \$9.95/mes aplica durante los primeros 12 meses de servicio (después de lo cual la tarifa se revierte a \$14.95/mes durante los siguientes 48 meses de servicio), y requiere un contrato a término de 12 meses. El cliente debe rentar un módem/róuter de CenturyLink por un cargo mensual adicional o comprar un módem/róuter de manera independiente, y aplica un cargo único por activación de Internet de Alta Velocidad. Un cargo único por instalación profesional (si es seleccionada por el cliente) y un cargo único por envío y manejo se aplican al módem/róuter del cliente. **General** – Servicios no disponibles en todas partes. CenturyLink puede cambiar o cancelar los servicios o sustituirlos por servicios similares a su entera discreción y sin previo aviso. Oferta, planes y tarifas indicadas sujetos a cambio y pueden variar según el área de servicio. Un depósito puede ser requerido. Aplican restricciones adicionales. **Términos y Condiciones** – Todos los productos y servicios indicados se rigen por las tarifas, términos de servicio, o términos y condiciones publicados en centurylink.com. **Impuestos, Cargos y Sobrecargos** – Impuestos, cargos y sobrecargos aplicables incluyen un cargo por el Servicio Universal del proveedor, sobrecargos de recuperación de costos del proveedor, cargos locales y estatales que varían por área, y ciertos sobrecargos dentro del estado. Los cargos por recuperación de costos no son impuestos o cargos por uso exigidos por el gobierno. Impuestos, cargos y sobrecargos se aplican sobre tarifas con una base mensual estándar, no promocional.



Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 It's found in bars
- 5 Bear in a kid's tale
- 9 Savory gelatin
- 14 Troubadour's instrument
- 15 Chapters in time
- 16 In sorrier shape
- 17 French political unit
- 18 "Peter Pan" pixie
- 20 Charles Schwab competitor
- 22 Like morning grass
- 23 Belfry dweller
- 24 "Not mass-produced"
- 26 Rips off
- 27 "Leave me alone!"
- 28 Sturdy
- 30 Bookie's venue, briefly
- 33 Den seating
- 36 Indian megalopolis
- 38 California's Marina ___ Rey
- 39 Author of the 1974 novel found in the starts of the starred answers
- 41 Lengthy time
- 42 Treats with disdain
- 44 Web page button
- 45 They often involve three infielders: Abbr.
- 46 "I ___ hug!"
- 48 Island off Tuscany
- 51 Take digs at
- 52 *1962 Shirelles hit
- 58 Drunk-skunk link
- 59 Evening in Roma
- 60 From A to Z
- 61 *Hand-held telescopes
- 64 Brainchild
- 65 Most writing
- 66 Capital on a fjord
- 67 Religious faction
- 68 Logical
- 69 Lunch time, often
- 70 Clucks of disapproval

- 2 "___ my way!"
- 3 Arcade pioneer
- 4 Potpourri pieces
- 5 Ballplayer with the autobiography "My Prison Without Bars"
- 6 Onassis, familiarly
- 7 "Giant" bear
- 8 Did something appealing?
- 9 Off the mark
- 10 Weep and wail
- 11 Like packaged kielbasa
- 12 Explore all of Hawaii, say
- 13 Old Irish
- 19 Flock mothers
- 21 Slap-on-the-head cry
- 25 Freeloader
- 26 Indians, scoreboard-style
- 29 Keats verse
- 30 Pigs out (on), briefly
- 31 One involved with rackets
- 32 "Where the folks are fine / And the world is mine," in a Linda Ronstadt hit
- 34 Toy store ___ Schwarz
- 35 Piece-keeping?
- 37 Personal connections
- 39 '60s hallucinogen
- 40 Has confidence in
- 43 Spelling contest
- 47 Far from land
- 49 London's Big ___
- 50 Gallery exhibitor
- 51 Short breaths
- 53 Hollywood's Welles
- 54 Wrangler's gear
- 55 Waits
- 56 Electrolux rival
- 57 Nobel-winning Irish poet
- 59 Winter coaster
- 62 "Deal or No Deal" channel
- 63 "Xanadu" rock gp.

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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West Glades School Citizens of the Month



Special to the Glades County Democrat
West Glades Schools Citizens of the Month for the third and fourth grade are: Thomas Gaskins, Case Hendry, Michael Stanforth, Daniel George, Dylann White



Special to the Glades County Democrat
West Glades Schools Citizens of the Month for fifth through eighth grades are: Nayeli Mata, Jaidon Aispuro, Teaghan Harvey, Aaron Catala, Ellyse Long, Aaron Mace, Cora Morrissey and Gabriel De Santiago.



Special to the Glades County Democrat
West Glades Schools Citizens of the Month for kindergarten through second grades are: Aracely Delgado, Emersyn Lyons, Carli Ford, Landon Kinney, Leo Bautista-Aguilar, Monica Martinez-Chavez, Landon Thigpen, Victor Tapia-Gallardo, Hayden Saxon and Eduardo Tapia-Gallardo.

Woman's Club plans fashion show

By Bobbi Brown

Special to the Glades County Democrat

It's that time again! Every organization in South Florida is trying to find a way to raise funds for their particular cause, and Glades County Woman's Club is no exception. At the club's regular meeting Thursday evening, Aletris Farnam brought several ideas to be considered. She will choose a committee -- no club does anything without a "committee" -- and present their suggestions before the club at their next meeting.

Tee shirts with the club's name and logo was suggested by Bonita Drayton, and the idea received a lot of positive support. This, too, will be decided on by a committee and presented at the February meeting.

One committee that has already met and presented their suggestions, is the one for the club's annual fashion show and luncheon. This will be held on Saturday, Feb. 16, at noon. M RV Resort on Highway 27 has graciously offered the use of their clubhouse, as they have for the past several years, for this event, and other Woman's Club affairs. A huge "thank you" to this community minded business, who has our youth of the county at heart, as earnings from this fashion show and luncheon are used to fund GCWC's scholarships for graduating seniors.

Every member of Glades County Woman's Club has tickets to sell, and you will see flyers in all areas of Glades County reminding you to get yours, as only 75 will be sold. If you wish to reserve a section for you and

several friends, be sure to let the member know when you purchase your tickets.

Bonita, membership chairman, reported that several applications for membership have been approved by her committee. A membership tea in their honor will be held on March 16, at the home of president, Kandi Snow. These new members will be initiated at that time. As usual, the ladies wear hats, and a hilarious part of the tea is the competition for the most original chapeau. If you have sponsored someone for membership, be sure to make them aware that their application has been approved.

Plans for the fashion show and luncheon will be finalized at the February meeting, and money for tickets sold turned in. Bobbi Brown and her committee will be contacting members to remind them what they have volunteered to make for the luncheon. A favorite from last year a type of silent auction will be repeated--, as will a 50/50, and of course Paris can't compete with Glades County Woman's Club's models. The fashions they model, as well as an array of resort wear will be available for purchase. We Boutique on Wheels, who furnishes the clothes, as they donate a portion of all sales to Woman's Club's scholarship fund.



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Students compete in Science Fair

Special to the Glades County Democrat

On Thursday, Jan. 10, sixth, seventh, and eighth graders participated in the West Glades School Science Fair.

Tina Castano coordinated the science fair, assisted by Kimber Smith.

Students' science projects, the culmination of four months of research, were displayed in the gym. Twenty professional and community leaders served as judges for the WGS Science Fair. While examining data and results of projects, judges interviewed individual students. Ten winners were awarded in each grade; these 30 students are eligible for the district science fair in Moore Haven on Thursday, Jan. 17. District winners will be announced that night at 6:30 p.m. at the

Doyle Conner Civic Center.

Sixth Grade winners were: Zach Tanner, Gracie Goodwin, Jadan Alderman, Noe Gamez, Natalie Martinez, Ariel Brunetto, Aaron Catala, Austin Revels, Anahi Moreno, Aries Ruark

Seventh Grade winners were: Rollie McCormick, Carina Castano, Gino Gastano, Tatiana Casiano, Kaylee Sabella, Elly Long, Courtney Perez, Kiara Santiago, Nicholas Castillo and Nadia Serrano.

Eighth Grade winners were: Anneth Santiago, Clara Alsina, Lizbeth Luna, Tristen Leal, Kayla Calhoun, Gabriella Davis, Eduardo Cruz, Rhyan Heggie, Bryana Campbell, Christy Moreno and Adan Zamarron.

Overall winner was Rollie McCormick.



Special to the Glades County Democrat
Eighth Grade students were among those who took honors at the West Glades Science Fair.



Special to the Glades County Democrat
Seventh Grade winners were honored at the Science Fair.

Letters to the Editor

Lakeport residents continue to have a big heart

The second annual Children Lights of Love Boat Parade was another huge success. With a continuing goal of collecting enough toys so no child in our area goes a Christmas morning without toys, over 200 people attended and gave enough from their hearts to assist 21 local families; demonstrating that Lakeport residences have a big heart.

Heading up this years boat parade Neil Chapman piloted the Sheriff's patrol boat and was followed by six highly decorated boats, pleasing all those on the Harney Pond banks.

Bob Parrish won first prize for his amazingly decorated pontoon boat.

Santa arrived in style riding in on a fire truck and spending plenty of time with everyone on the bank.

Organizers worked closely with the Lakeport Community Center and various businesses in the collection of and distribution of the toys.

Thanks Lakeport for your generosity and making our community proud as well as making a big difference for those children in need.

We are already looking forward to an even bigger event in 2013.

Lakeport Community Center



Special to the Glades County Democrat
Santa arrived on a fire truck to join the festivities in Lakeport.



Special to the Glades County Democrat
The lighted boat parade attracted a crowd of over 200 people who donated toys for local children.



Special to the Glades County Democrat
Parade participants decorated their boats with lights and holiday decorations.



Special to the Glades County Democrat
Rollie McCormick was the overall winner of the West Glades Science Fair.



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Sixth Grade winners were honored at the Science Fair.



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Applicants must possess skills and abilities including, but not limited to, managing all aspects of public works, budget preparation, utilities, inter-governmental relations, economic and community development, and be proficient in the use of computers. Applicants must be able to recognize their role in keeping the city commission fully advised of all city matters, including financial conditions and the forecast of future needs of the City. City residency is required within three months of hire.

Minimum qualifications: Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in public administration, government, accounting, business administration or a related field; or equivalent experience as a city manager or in a related field with a high level of management and supervisory experience. Florida experience is preferred.

Please submit resume, cover letter and references to:
City Clerk Marilyn McCorvey
City of Clewiston
115 West Ventura Ave.
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Moore Haven Elementary School students on honor roll

Moore Haven Elementary School students named to the honor roll for the second nine weeks of the 2012-2013 school year include:

Kindergarten All A's

Raymond James
Mario Montanez
Ca'Nya McCoy
Leah Johnson
Maria Tapia
Cayson Holman
Kaydence Swanson
Allyson Lara
Vanessa Lopez
Akeelah Ling
Jacob Anderson
Macy Cox
Neo Del Llano
Addison Helfinstine
Michael Russell
Marcelino Salazar-Delacruz
Taser Swaford
Myranda Thomas

Brian Alfonso
Yesenia Juarez-Hernandez
Joshua Marti
Jon Pullen
Anahi Rico
Omario Thomas
Malia Wood

Kindergarten All A's & B's

Michael Brewer
John Lucas
Keelin Mallox
Alana White
Jose Yanes

First grade All A's

Chaz Brown
Caydence Cisneros
Mackenzie Rednour
Bodie Whidden
Tyler Lipps
D'Mari Hallback
Ava Griner
Keegan Pearce

Samantha Flynn
Khyen Nelson
Troy Kellogg
Marvin Anderson

First grade All A's & B's

Alexa Clift
Nereyda Godinez
Robert Langs
Cleveland Lowrey
Emily Woznck
Brady Bass
Aida Jose-Ramirez
Dakota Newton-Prisk
Carmen Perez
Angel Sangabriel
Kyleigh Adams
Kathrine WashamHayden
Davs
Colin Green
Ethan Pottorff
Ruben Ruiz
Abby Story
Calia White

Second grade All A's

Ladd Thomas
Tatiana Thompson
Elyssa Pardo
Angelica Rodas
Cristina Toledo
Abby Williams
Sean Miner
Lillian Evertt
Aurora Lipps

Second grade All A's & B's

Hayden Davis
Payton Rives
Stephen Phillips
Jo'Hon Hughes
Aliyah Cardona
Leonardo Aguilar
Wyatt Brownng
Wyatt Hines
Uriel Minott
Rubi Rodriguez

Third grade All A's

Collin Ahern
Sierra Hart
Bryant Williams
Sean Osborne
Ryan Cowen

Third grade All A's & B's

Annalisa Martinez
Madison Williams
Reese Davis
Audilia Gallo
Rosmary Rubio

Hannah Moss
Johnny Crawford, III

Fourth grade All A's

Lizbeth Ruiz
Katelynn Barnes
Taylor Martin
Jordan Perez
Brice Prowant

Fourth grade All A's & B's

Julio Escobar
Karla Hunter
Daniela Navarretre
Lizbeth Rico
Antasha Braham
AlexisEley
Bailey Raulerson
Ivory Herrera
Brooklyn Carner
Zorian Tullock
Briann Woodham

Fifth grade All A's

Zahn Cunningham

Fifth grade All A's & B's

Tracie Branch
Colton Brown
Taylor McCain
Mary Brewer
John Eaton
Madison Corwin
Makayla Strenth
Jaymie Lamb
Rieonna Eley

Chris Eaton
Austin Kelehar

Sixth grade All A's

Cassandra Hart
Austin Lee
Autumn Lee
Araya Lennon
Cheyenne Osborne
Jacey Ridgdill
Austyn Kellogg

Sixth grade All A's & B's

Stephanie Aranda
Fatima Arroyo
Alexis Auler
Alexis Burress
Javier Cardona
Karina Cisneros
Yailyn Cisneros
Monica Devine
Taiomi Dixon
Angel Galvez
Stephanie Gamez
Na'Gianna Gary
Lacy Green
Alissia Haynes
Jarrett Lamb
Briana Leavy
Walker Marriott
Sidoro Olivares
Ross Perry
Logen Redus
Maria Rodas
Matthew Smith
Benjamin Toledo

West Glades students on honor roll

West Glades School students were named to the honor roll for the second nine weeks of the 2012-2013 school year.

A Honor Roll

First Grade: Jenna Hampton, Karla Marines-Lopez, Rylan Sanders, Rolando Sandoval, Hanna Herrold, Joshua Mason, Leo Bautista, Jonathan Garcia, Natalie Guzman, Alyssa Hansen, Gavin Johnson, Deanna Oliveria, Jamil Thompson, Brenann White, Tannah Williams, Jackelline Ramirez

Second Grade: Joshua Green, Nicholas Pelletier, Bethany Banda, LuzMaria Noguez, Alfredo Herrera, Kylie Lowman, Sandi Marbry, Juan Carlos Patricio, Kendal Poulos, Daniel Reyes

Third Grade: Samuel Ackley, Thomas Gaskins, Logan Sanders, Kenneth Bautista-Aguilar, Natalie Aguirre, Kylie Perra, Michael Stanforth,

Fourth Grade: Dylan Berden, Kaily Herrold, Janna Morrissey, Sarah Snow, Dylann White, Mia Castano,

Fifth Grade: Hailee Enriquez, Sadie Gaskins, Anamaria Mendoza, Sara Sodrel, Windall Tindall

Six Grade: Gracie Goodwin
Seventh Grade: Kaylee Sabella
Eighth Grade: Kayla Calhoun

A/B Honor Roll

Kindergarten: John Cruz De-Santiago, Randolph Hanshaw, Emersyn Lyons, Cameron Rhodes, Kaylin Shepherds, Samantha Cruz-Munoz, Audrey Willis, Gage Epperson, Carli Hendry, Ty Murray, Blake Sands, Austin Townsend, Gualberto Gamboa, Susan Pasch, Wyatt Bemby, Riley Curtis, Jennifer Escobedo, Carli Ford, Keni Mendez, Alexandra Nelson, Tate Oxer, AnaKaren Sandoval, Cody Slade, Jadiel Thompson, Shana Townsend, Dalton Walters, Cross Fulford, Bella Alexander, Gavin Hunter, Jason Cox, Beau Collier, Elena Deras, Madison Reed, Lawton Thigpen, Nicholas Calderon, Asusena Camilo, Ayla Truckenmiller, Mallory Saxon, Autum Gericke, Todd Flournah, Landon Kinney, Chyla Barnes, Daniel Bernos, Giovanni Casiano-Ramirez, Maria Chavez-Hernandez, Aracely Delgado-Juarez, Jayden Gutierrez, Abigail Hicks, Joshua Howard, Jenna Hull, Mariah Lange, Zaira Moreno,

Myah Pequeno, Granger Perra, Carlos Ramirez, Julien Villa, Alan Villeda-Erreguin

First Grade: Aliya Alaniz, Adalyn Berden, Brooke Collins, Landon Thigpen, Fernando Mendez-DeSantiago, Wyatt Stafford, Isaac Albarran, Andrew Grove, Roselin Rodriguez, Nicolas Santiago, Jonathan Garcia, Alexis Ramirez

Second Grade: Saul Carlos-Vasques, Mandi Marbry, Victor Tapia-Gallardo, Lesly Serrano, Diego Acosta, Eduardo Tapia-Gallardo, Jonathan Hernandez, Jose Velasquez-Chavez, Luis Villeda-Perez

Third Grade: Leonardo Carreon, Yada Chavez, Yahaira DeSantiago, Ellie Goodwin, Brady Mendoza, Daniela Morado, Haylee Randant, Evelyn Ackley, Carlos Aldana-Morales, Joseph Collier, Columba Deras-Mendia, Case Hendry, Emmalee Langford, Audrey Lowman, Jade Tabarez, Arelly Ortiz, Logan Stockwell, Yaquelin Villeda-Erreguin

Fourth Grade: Lonna McClenithan, Miguel Coates, Karisia Guzman, Lane Hingson, Jaden Razo, Joseiah Vazquez, Nicholas Alonzo, Isaac Martinez, Jason Branch, Omar Casiano, Destiny Cortez, Millye Santiago, Alex Vargas, Jordan Whobrey

Fifth Grade: Kirya Aguirre, Julio Aldana-Morales, Jade Banky, Nadia Castillo, Lilly Collier, Yesenia Gomez-Lopez, Jered Hampton, Jose Jimenez, Arlette Lazalde, Jorge Martinez, Kristina Noguez, Marisol Noguez, Lauren O'Donnell, Anthony Pequeno, John Quinn, Bettye Sparks

Sixth Grade: Thomas Aispuro, Ariel Brunetto, George Coates, Brandon Flack, Cameron Kelly, Vanessa Martinez, Anahi Moreno, Melody Paz, Jordyn Perkins, Eduardo Ramirez-Trejo, Miguel Roderick, Aries Ruark, Zachary Tanner, Camrann White, Britten Williams

Seventh Grade: Jazmyn Branch, Carina Castano, Giancarlo Castano, Nicholas Castillo, David Estes, Rosalinda Gasper, Lexi Hernandez, Elly Long, Dustin Pagett, Courtney Perez, Taylor Randant, Bailey Williams, Selina Zamarron

Eighth Grade: Bryana Campbell, Kelby Kirtland, Victoria Maciel, Cora Morrissey, Beverly Paz, Anneth Santiago, Andrea Stanforth



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AVISO DE LA REUNION REGULAR DE LA JUNTA DE SUPERVISORES DEL DISTRITO DE CONTROL DE AGUAS DEL CONDADO CENTRAL
A través de la presente se le notifica que la Reunión Regular de la Junta de Supervisores del Distrito de Control de Aguas del Condado Central se llevará a cabo el miércoles, 23 de enero de 2013 a las 7 pm en el Cuarto de Conferencia del Condado Central ubicado en 475 S. Cabbage Palm St. Montura Ranch Estates, Clewiston, Florida. El propósito de esta reunión es para tratar cualquier y todo asunto que pueda plantearse ante la Junta. Si una persona decide apelar la decisión de la Junta de Supervisores con respecto a cualquier asunto considerado en la reunión pública o audiencia en referencia a este aviso él o ella tendrá que asegurarse de que el procedimiento de apelación quede asentado palabra por palabra en el acta, en el acta se incluye su testimonio y pruebas en la cual usted fundamenta la apelación.
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING HENDRY COUNTY CONSTRUCTION LICENSING BOARD
Notice is hereby given that the Hendry County Construction Licensing Board will hold a meeting Thursday, January 24th, 2013 at 6:00 p.m., at the Hendry County Courthouse, Commission Chambers, 25 East Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle, Florida. The meeting is open to the public. The meeting site is accessible by the disabled.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board, Agency, or Commission with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Pahokee Housing Authority (PHA) is accepting sealed bids for sale of used equipment until 3:00 p.m., January 24, 2013, at which time bids will be opened publicly and read aloud. Bid items: custom storm window screens, A/C units, appliance parts, battery booster, office desk, A/C vac pump, asphalt roller, drain cleaner, floor tile stripper, and A/C Condensers. List of bid items and Instructions to Bidders available upon request - (Tel. 561-924-5565). Bids must be in sealed envelopes. On the outside of the envelopes shall be the words: "Sealed Bid - Equipment Disposal; January 24, 2013; Attn: Julia Hale, Executive Director." Submit one original to Pahokee Housing Authority, 465 Friend Terrace, Pahokee, FL 33476. Bids received after the deadline will not be accepted. Bids sent by telephone, email, or Facsimile will not be accepted. PHA has the right to reject any and all bids, whenever it is in the best interest of the Pahokee Housing Authority. PHA is an Equal Opportunity Employer and promotes a Drug-Free Workplace.
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The Board of Directors of Lakeport Water Association will be accepting sealed bids for the Jerdik Road project which consists of relocating approximately 400' of 6" water line done mostly by directional boring with approximately 100' of 2" directional bore to replace water services. For a copy of plans for this project, contact the project engineer listed below. There is a charge of \$20.00 per set or electronic transfer is free of charge.

Bids will be accepted until noon on February 15, 2013 at Lakeport Water Association, 1057 Red Barn Road, Moore Haven, FL 33471. Any questions contact:

Steve Dobbs, Project Engineer
sdobbs@stevedobbsengineering.com
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HENDRY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING
Notice is hereby given that the Hendry County Board of County Commissioners will hold a Special Meeting on January 24, 2013, beginning at 9:30 a.m. and on January 25, 2013, beginning at 9:00 a.m., at the Hendry County Emergency Operation Center, 4425 West S.R. 80, LaBelle, Florida, for the purpose of interviewing County Administrator applicants and making decisions related thereto.
If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Hendry County Commission with respect to any matter discussed at such meeting, he/she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1110	2009	1344331-020000C0120	Mary Elizabeth Karten c/o Joseph Flannagan

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Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3531	2010	2024329-670000B0300	Denton II, LLC

Lots 47 and 48, Block B, and the East one-half of New York Street abutting said lots, SUNSET PARK SUBDIVISION, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 1, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 2-29-43-02-670-000B-030.0
 Property Address: 822 W. Seminole Avenue, LaBelle, FL 33935

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434622 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3164	2010	1214334-010000U0061	Daisy Bell Williams

Lot 9, Block U, of HARLEM ADDITION NO. 3, according to the Plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 7, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-34-43-21-010-000U-006.1
 Property Address: 1234 Della Tobias Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434614 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
PUBLIC NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Chapter 373, Florida Statutes, the following application(s) for permit have been received for project(s) in Hendry County:

Hendry County Land, LLC (Citrus Grove) 3845 Beck Blvd., Suite #803, Naples, FL 33114-1216, has submitted Application 130103-3 for renewal of Water Use Permit 26-00269-W to irrigate 125 acres of agricultural lands. The water will be withdrawn from the Lower Tamiami Aquifer and the project is located in Section 27, Township 48 South, Range 31 East.

Interested persons may comment upon the application or submit a written request for a copy of the staff report containing proposed agency action regarding the application by writing to the South Florida Water Management District, Attn: Regulation Division, PO Box 24680, West Palm Beach, FL 33416-4680, but such comments or requests must be received by 5:00 PM within 21 days from the date of publication.

No further public notice will be provided regarding this application. A copy of the staff report must be requested in order to remain advised of further proceedings. Application status and associated documents can also be obtained by accessing the District's website (www.sfwmd.gov) and selecting the Application/Permit Search on the ePermitting page. Substantially affected persons are entitled to request an administrative hearing regarding the proposed agency action by submitting a written request after reviewing the staff report.

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NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL GENERAL ELECTION
CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA
TUESDAY, MARCH 12TH, 2013

The 2013 Municipal General Election for the City of Pahokee will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2013, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of electing two Commissioners for a term of three (3) years.

All registered voters in Precincts 6004 and 6006 shall vote at the designated polling place which will be the Recreation Complex (old Pahokee High School gymnasium) located at 360 East Main Street, Pahokee, FL. No person shall be permitted to vote unless he or she is registered in accordance with the Florida State Statutes. Photo ID must be submitted at the time of voting at your polling place.

In the event that no candidate receives a majority of the votes for a particular office, a Run-Off Election shall be held on March 26, 2013 at the same polling place between the two candidates who receive the largest number of votes for that seat.

Anika Sinclair
 City Clerk /Municipal Supervisor of Elections
 434742 CN 1/17,24/2013

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3147	2010	1214334-010000Q0410	Phyllis Morris

Lot 52, Block Q of HARLEM #3, as recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 7, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-34-43-21-010-000Q-041.0
 Property Address: 1123 Florida Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434605 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3112	2010	1214334-010000L0240	Daisy Bell Williams

Lot 33, Block L, of HARLEM ADDITION No. 1 to Clewiston, according to the Plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 79, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-34-43-21-010-000L-024.0
 Property Address: 1005 Harlem Academy Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434581 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER ADOPTION OF COUNTY ORDINANCE AND NOTICE OF ESTABLISHMENT OR CHANGE OF A REGULATION AFFECTING THE USE OF LAND

ORDINANCE NO. 2012

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in Glades County, Florida a public hearing will be held before the **Glades County Board of County Commissioners on Monday January 28, 2013 at 6:00 pm** These hearings will be held at the County Commissioners Chambers, Glades County Court-house, 500 Avenue J, Moore Haven, and Florida 33471. The purpose of this public hearing is to consider the adoption of an ordinance with the following title:

AN ORDINANCE OF GLADES COUNTY, FLORIDA AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF GLADES COUNTY BY REZONING A CERTAIN TRACT OF LAND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN EXHIBIT "A" FROM AGRICULTURE RESIDENTIAL AND RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY TO PLANNED DEVELOPMENT (PD) ZONING DISTRICT AS REQUESTED BY J.J. WIGGINS MEMORIAL TRUST CASE NUMBER R12-02; AMENDING GLADES COUNTY ORDINANCE 75-3; AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF GLADES COUNTY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

EXHIBIT A:
 A parcel of land in tracts 26 through 29 inclusive, map of subdivision of Section 10, Township 42 South, range 32 East, in Desoto county, Florida, lying and being in Glades County, Florida, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the East line of lot 26 and the South right of way line of State Road 25 (U.S. Highway 27); thence S 00°02'55" W, along the East line of lot 26, a distance of 600.00 feet; thence S 89°46'15" W a distance of 1320.66 feet to the West line of lot 29; thence N 00°02'00" E, along said West line of lot 29, a distance of 600.00 feet to the South right of way line of State Road 25 (U.S. highway 27); thence N 89°46'15" E, along said South right of way line, a distance of 1320.82 feet to the point of beginning. Containing a computed area of 18.19 acres more or less.

Lots 45A, 45B, and 46, Glades Little Ranches as recorded in Plat Book 3, page 22 of the public records of Glades County, Florida

All interested parties are invited to appear and be heard. Written comments filed on or before said dates will be read and considered.

IF A PERSON DECIDES TO APPEAL ANY DECISION MADE BY THE COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD, OR COUNTY COMMISSION, WITH RESPECT TO ANY MATTER CONSIDERED AT THE HEARING, THAT PERSON WILL NEED A RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS, AND HE OR SHE MAY NEED TO ENSURE THAT A VERBATIM RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS IS MADE. WHICH RECORD INCLUDES THE TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE UPON WHICH THE APPEAL IS TO BE HEARD.

434501 GCD 1/17/2013

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2531	2009	1214334-010000I0090	Daisy Hill Life Estate And Toshia R. Drummond

Lots 9 and 10, Block I, HARLEM ADDITION NO. 2 to Clewiston, Hendry County, Florida according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 2, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434582 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2540	2009	1214334-010000K0020	Elbert Allen Jr

Lots 2,3 and 4 in Block K of HARLEM ADDITION TO CLEWISTON, Hendry County, Florida, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 79, of the current Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434608 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

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Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1788	2008	1224432-010006G0130	Glora M. Azuria

Lot 13 in Block 66, of MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, FIRST SUBDIVISION, according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 3, at Pages 37, 38 and 39 of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434452 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2912	2010	1314433-A0002650000	Pinot IV, LLC

Lot 5879, Section "J1-1" The North one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 31, Township 44 South, Range 33 East, Hendry County, Florida, Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-33-44-31-A00-0265.0000
 Property Address: 765 S. Willow Street, Clewiston, FL 33440

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434628 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1600	2010	1144432-A0001690100	Gerard Meleschi

The North one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida, subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 2758 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.) Subject to existing Oil, Gas and Mineral reservations conditions, restrictions, zoning ordinances, enforceable easement of record and subject to taxes and assessment of Central County Drainage District.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-14-A00-0169-0100
 Property Address: 670 N. Isora Street, Clewiston, FL 33440

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
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434616 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3504	2010	2024329-46000000070	Winder VI, LLC

LaBelle, MILLERS SUBDIVISION, Lot 11, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 88, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 2-29-43-02-460-0000-0007-0
 Property Address: XXXX Miller Avenue, LaBelle, FL 33935

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

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Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434618 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE
GLADES UTILITY AUTHORITY

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Glades Utility Authority ("Authority") is scheduled to be held on **Wednesday, January 24, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** in the City of Pahokee Commission Chambers, 207 Bacon Point Road, Florida 33476.

The purpose of the meeting is to consider approval of the special meeting minutes, consider the approval of payment for certain outstanding GUA obligations, consider the approval for use of restricted funds for renewal and replacement projects, consider the approval of a rate surcharge and resolution 2013-01, 2013 Proposed Budget, and any other business that may come before the Board. The meeting is open to the public and will be conducted in accordance with Florida law. A copy of the meeting agenda may be obtained at the meeting or, prior to the meeting, by contacting Jocelyn Colon at **561-493-6127**. The meeting, or consideration of any individual agenda items, may be continued to a date and time certain to be announced at the meeting and noticed.

Pursuant to provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact Jocelyn Colon at **(561) 493-6127** or jcolon@pbwwater.com at least forty-eight (48) hours before the meeting.

If anyone chooses to appeal any decision of the Board with respect to any matter considered at the meeting, such person will need a record of the proceedings and should accordingly ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made that includes the testimony and evidence upon which such appeal is to be based.

Jocelyn Colon, GUA Clerk
 434665 SUN 1/17/2013

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1599	2010	1144432-A0001690000	Jeanine Meleschi

The South one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida, subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 2757 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.) Subject to existing Oil, Gas and Mineral reservations conditions, restrictions, zoning ordinances, enforceable easement of record and subject to taxes and assessment of Central County Drainage District.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-14-A00-0169-0000
 Property Address: 660 N. Isora Street, Clewiston, FL 33440

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

Dated this **9th day of January, 2012**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

434616 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1600	2010	1144432-A0001690100	Gerard Meleschi

The North one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida, subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 2758 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.) Subject to existing Oil, Gas and Mineral reservations conditions, restrictions, zoning ordinances, enforceable easement of record and subject to taxes and assessment of Central County Drainage District.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-14-A00-0169-0100
 Property Address: 670 N. Isora Street, Clewiston, FL 33440

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **February, 2013**, which is the **21st day of February, 2013**.

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE AIR PERMIT
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
Air Resource Section, South District Office
Draft Air Construction Permit
Project No. 0510003-054-AC
United States Sugar Corporation, U.S. Sugar Clewiston Facility
Henry County, Florida

Applicant: The applicant for this project is United States Sugar Corporation. The applicant's authorized representative and mailing address is: Mr. Neil Smith, Vice President and General Manager, Sugar Manufacturing, United States Sugar Corporation, U.S. Sugar Clewiston Facility, 111 Ponce De Leon Avenue, Clewiston, Florida 33440.

Facility Location: United States Sugar Corporation operates the existing U.S. Sugar Clewiston Facility, which is located in Henry County at W.C. Owens Avenue and S.R. 832 in Clewiston, Florida.

Project: The project is to replace the fuel oil burners with natural gas burners in the granular carbon regeneration furnace (emissions unit (EU) 017) and in its associated control equipment (afterburner). The project is also changing the allowable fuel from distillate fuel oil to natural gas. This EU is major for prevention significant deterioration (PSD). However, this project is not subject to PSD review. This EU is subject to best achievable control technology (BACT) determinations for carbon monoxide (CO), nitrogen oxides (NOx) particulate matter (PM/PM10) sulfuric acid mist (SAM), sulfur dioxide (SO2) and volatile organic compounds (VOC). The EU is equipped with an afterburner and wet scrubber system. Permitted pollutant emissions from this project remain unchanged. Pollutant emissions are limited to 0.7 lb/hr for PM, 1.0 lb/hr for NOx and 10% opacity.

Permitting Authority: Applications for air construction permits are subject to review in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 403, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Chapters 62-4, 62-210 and 62-212 of the Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). The proposed project is not exempt from air permitting requirements and an air permit is required to perform the proposed work. The Permitting Authority responsible for making a permit determination for this project is the Department of Environmental Protection's Air Resource Section in the South District Office. The Permitting Authority's physical address is: 2295 Victoria Avenue, Suite 364, Fort Myers, Florida 33901. The Permitting Authority's mailing address is: P.O. Box 2549, Fort Myers, Florida 33902-2549. The Permitting Authority's telephone number is (239) 344-5600.

Project File: A complete project file is available for public inspection during the normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except legal holidays), at the physical address indicated above for the Permitting Authority. The complete project file includes the Draft Permit, the Technical Evaluation and Preliminary Determination, the application and information submitted by the applicant (exclusive of confidential records under Section 403.111, F.S.). Interested persons may contact the Permitting Authority's project engineer for additional information at the address and phone number listed above. In addition, electronic copies of these documents are available on the following web site: http://www.dep.state.fl.us/air/emission/apps/default.asp.

Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit: The Permitting Authority gives notice of its intent to issue an air construction permit to the applicant for the project described above. The applicant has provided reasonable assurance that operation of proposed equipment will not adversely impact air quality and that the project will comply with all appropriate provisions of Chapters 62-4, 62-204, 62-210, 62-212, 62-296 and 62-297, F.A.C. The Permitting Authority will issue a Final Permit in accordance with the conditions of the proposed Draft Permit unless a timely petition for an administrative hearing is filed under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. or unless public comment received in accordance with this notice results in a different decision or a significant change of terms or conditions.

Comments: The Permitting Authority will accept written comments concerning the proposed Draft Permit for a period of 14 days from the date of publication of this Public Notice. Written comments must be received by the Permitting Authority by close of business (5:00 p.m.) on or before the end of the 14-day period. If written comments received result in a significant change to the Draft Permit, the Permitting Authority shall revise the Draft Permit and require, if applicable, another Public Notice. All comments filed will be made available for public inspection.

Petitions: A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative hearing in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. The petition must contain the information set forth below and must be filed with (received by) the Department's Agency Clerk in the Office of General Counsel of the Department of Environmental Protection at 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station #35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000 (Telephone: (850) 245- 2241). Petitions filed by any persons other than those entitled to written notice under Section 120.60(3), F.S. must be filed within 14 days of publication of this Public Notice or receipt of a written notice, whichever occurs first. Under Section 120.60(3), F.S., however, any person who asked the Permitting Authority for notice of agency action may file a petition within 14 days of receipt of that notice, regardless of the date of publication. A petitioner shall mail a copy of the petition to the applicant at the address indicated above, at the time of filing. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time period shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention (in a proceeding initiated by another party) will be only at the approval of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with Rule 28-106.205, F.A.C.

A petition that disputes the material facts on which the Permitting Authority's action is based must contain the following information: (a) The name and address of each agency affected and each agency's file or identification number, if known; (b) The name, address and telephone number of the petitioner; (c) The name, address and telephone number of the petitioner's representative, if any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding; and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial rights will be affected by the agency determination; (d) A statement of when and how the petitioner received notice of the agency action or proposed decision; (e) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact. If there are none, the petition must so state; (f) A concise statement of the ultimate facts alleged, including the specific facts the petitioner contends warrant reversal or modification of the agency's proposed action; (g) A statement of the specific rules or statutes the petitioner contends require reversal or modification of the agency's proposed action including an explanation of how the alleged facts relate to the specific rules or statutes; and, (g) A statement of the relief sought by the petitioner, stating precisely the action the petitioner wishes the agency to take with respect to the agency's proposed action. A petition that does not dispute the material facts upon which the Permitting Authority's action is based shall state that no such facts are in dispute and otherwise shall contain the same information as set forth above, as required by Rule 28-106.301, F.A.C. Because the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate final agency action, the filing of a petition means that the Permitting Authority's final action may be different from the position taken by it in this Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit. Persons whose substantial interests will be affected by any such final decision of the Permitting Authority on the application have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above. Mediation: Mediation is not available for this proceeding. 434216 CN 1/17/2013

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT County of Hendry, Florida, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

Table with 4 columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 1625, 2010, 1144432-A0002380100, Avelino R. & Maria N. Leonica c/o Rene F. Leonico

The East one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida, subject to an easement for an access road of the North 40 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot No. 2858 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.) Subject to existing Oil, Gas and Mineral reservations conditions, restrictions, zoning ordinances, enforceable easement of record and subject to taxes and assessment of Central County Drainage District.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-14-A00-0238-0100
Property Address: 406 Bald Cypress Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of February, 2013, which is the 21st day of February, 2013. Dated this 9th day of January, 2013.

Barbara S. Butler
Clerk of Circuit Court
Hendry County, Florida

434624 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

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The Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 31, Township 44 South, Range 33 East, Hendry County, Florida. SUBJECT to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. Subject to an easement for an access road of the North 80.00 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot No. 5994, in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.) Subject to existing Oil, gas and mineral reservations, conditions, restrictions, zoning ordinances, enforceable easements of record and subject to taxes and assessment of Central County Drainage District.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of way of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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434453 CN 1/17,24,31 & 2/7/2013

LEGAL NOTICE
The following vehicles will be sold at public auction on January 28, 2013 at 10 a.m. at Clewiston Towing, 600 E Sugarland Hwy, Clewiston, FL 33440

- 2001 Chevy, VIN:1G6CCS19W418259873 1997 Ford, VIN:1FALP15P8VW114326 1998 Ford, VIN:2FMDA5140WB877566 1998 Nissan, VIN:3N1AB41D5WL063214 1997 Plymouth, VIN:2P4FP2530VR135265

We have the right to refuse any and all bids
434560 CN 1/17/2013

NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE CENTRAL COUNTY WATER CONTROL DISTRICT
You are hereby notified that the Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Central County Water Control District will be held on Wednesday, January 23, 2013 at 7 pm at the Central County Conference Room located at 475 S. Cabbage Palm St. Montura Ranch Estates, Clewiston, Florida. The purpose of this meeting is to transact any and all business which may come before the Board. If a person decides to appeal the decision of the Board of Supervisors with respect to any matter considered at the public meeting or hearing herein referred to she or he may need to insure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based. 433791 CN 1/10,17/2013

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 262008CA000430XXXXXX
LASALLE BANK, N.A. AS TRUSTEE FOR THE MLMI TRUST SERIES 2007-HE1, Plaintiff, VS. JOSE E. CERVANTES, et al., Defendants.

RE-NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order or Summary Final Judgment of foreclosure dated 10/6/2008 and an Order Resetting Sale dated December 27, 2012, and entered in Case No. 262008CA000430XXXXXX of the Circuit Court of the Twentieth Judicial Circuit in and for Hendry County, Florida, wherein Lasalle Bank, N.A. as Trustee for the MLMI Trust Series 2007-HE1 is Plaintiff and JOSE E. CERVANTES; ANTONIA PEQUENO; UNKNOWN TENANT NO. 1; UNKNOWN TENANT NO. 2; and ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST A NAMED DEFENDANT TO THIS ACTION, OR HAVING OR CLAIMING TO HAVE ANY RIGHT, TITLE OR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY HEREIN DESCRIBED, are Defendants. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the Second Floor in front of the Main Clerk's Office at the Hendry County Courthouse, 25 East Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle, FL 33935 County, Florida, at 11:00 a.m. on the 27th day of February, 2013, the following described property as set forth in said Order or Final Judgment, to-wit:

THE NORTH ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST ONE-QUARTER OF BLOCK 39, LABELLE, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1, PAGE 47, PUBLIC RECORDS OF LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, LYING AND BEING IN HENDY COUNTY, FLORIDA. ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE, OR ANY OTHER THAT THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE. If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Sheila Mann, Court Operations Manager, whose office is located at Lee county, Justice Center, 1700 Monroe Street, Fort Myers, FL 33901, and whose telephone number is (239) 533-1700, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711. 433939 CN 1/10,17/2013

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As Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: /s/ J. Bevis
As Deputy Clerk

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Public Meeting Notice
Notice is hereby given that the SCHOOL BOARD OF BELLE GLADE EXCEL CHARTER SCHOOL will hold its FIRST MEETING Thursday, January 24, 2013, from 12:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the PEPEI HEAD START CENTER, 301 Southwest 8th St., Belle Glade, FL 33430. 434563 BGS 1/17/2013

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR GLADES COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE #: 2008-CA-17
JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association Plaintiff, VS. WALTER YATES COX; et al, Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION
TO: MELINDA ANN SHANOSKI Last Known Address 621 MERIT STREET CLEWISTON, FL 33440 Current Residence is Unknown YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following described property in Hendry County, Florida:

LOT 7, BLOCK E, SHERWOOD SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT 5, PAGE 127, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA, TOGETHER WITH A 1996 REDM DOUBLE-WIDE MOBILE HOME HAVING IDENTIFICATION NOS. FLA1 4610175A AND FLA14610175B, TITLE NOS. 7012442A AND 70124425 AND RP NOS. R0638816 AND R0638817, WHICH IS PERMANENTLY AFFIXED TO REAL PROPERTY. HAS BEEN FILED AGAINST YOU AND YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SERVE A COPY OF YOUR WRITTEN DEFENSES, IF ANY, TO IT, ON SHD LEGAL GROUP P.A., PLAINIFFS ATTORNEYS, WHOSE ADDRESS IS PO BOX 11438 Fort Lauderdale, FL 33339-1438, (954) 564-0071, answers@shdlegalgroup.com, within 30 days from first date of publication, and file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on Plaintiff's attorneys or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition, DATED on December 31, 2012. Barbara Butler As Clerk of the Circuit Court By: /s/ J. Bevis As Deputy Clerk

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to the resolution.

"This puts us in a little bind," Jane Graham, an Everglades policy associate with Audubon Florida, told governing board members prior to their Jan. 10 vote. "We oppose this resolution because of the lack of public transparency. Normally there would have been public discussion, but none of that happened."

She went on to tell board members that because there has been no public discussions about the proposed purchase, it appears the district has been acting "outside of Sunshine," a reference to the state's Government in Sunshine law.

In a phone interview later Thursday, Ms. Graham said her group isn't opposed to the restoration project but they do have a problem with the district's lack of transparency.

"What it sounds like from the presentation is it will have some environmental benefit, but it's to be determined how much. We believe the water storage will be very helpful because the Caloosahatchee River needs it during the dry season," she said.

Audubon's opposition lies mainly in the extension of A. Duda's leases in the Everglades Agricultural Area (EAA) for another 30 years.

"I think it's a fair question to say 'What alternatives are there?' We just need to be very careful that they're reducing extra pollution," she added.

Ernie Barnett, director of Everglades policy and coordination for the district, addressed the governing board Thursday and told them the proposed project will help rehydrate Lake Hicpochee, provide water storage for the Caloosahatchee River and improve water quality.

Prior to the vote, governing board members were told of a letter sent to them by the Glades County Board of County Commissioners that presented that board's concern into the lack of public notice about the proposed purchase and Thursday's vote.

"Our Board was surprised that we did not receive an advance courtesy notice of your Board's meeting agenda item on this resolu-

tion, in light of the fact the District's purchase of up to 3,100 acres of Duda's land in Glades County has the potential of significantly impacting Glades County," stated the letter that was signed by the board's vice chairperson Donna Storter Long.

Tuesday, Jan. 8, the Glades County board was told about the proposed purchase by Commissioner Paul Beck. Then, by a 3-0 vote, the commissioners agreed to send the letter to the governing board and ask them to delay their decision until Feb. 13 to give county leaders a chance to find out more about the purchase.

Commission chairman Russell Echols abstained from voting because he works for Duda, and Commissioner Tim Stanley did not vote because he works for the district.

When reached by telephone after the governing board's vote, Commissioner Beck said he wasn't surprised about the vote.

"I figured they would," he said. "There's no transparency—that's one of my biggest gripes. It's a bad way to go."

He added that flooding the property in question will not only cost jobs, it will keep away investors who want to buy property in Glades County. The commissioner then talked about a man from Texas who was interested in buying up to a couple of hundred acres of property that lies within the proposed project for investment purposes but is now having second thoughts.

"He said maybe he just needs to forget about it. That's significant," said Commissioner Beck.

Like Commissioner Beck, Glades County manager Larry Hilton wasn't surprised about the vote.

"The problem commissioners had is no one knew anything about it until the last minute," he said.

However, he added, the district has since contacted the county about holding a meeting to discuss the project. But, added Mr. Hilton, no date has been set for that meeting.

Ms. Graham indicated that her Audubon group will carry their opposing voice to Tallahassee for a Jan. 23 meeting of Governor Rick Scott's cabinet, which must approve Duda's lease extension. She told the governing board that Audubon Florida will be weighing in on the issue and that the lease extensions "need to be vetted."

Glades County Commission asks SFWMD to delay decision

The Glades County Commission sent the following letter to the South Florida Water Management District Governing Board.

January 9, 2013
VIA EMAIL DELIVERY Reagan Walker, Director, Governing Board & Executive Services rwalker@sfwmd.gov

South Florida Water Management District
Governing Board Members
SFWMD Headquarters
3301 Gun Club Road
West Palm Beach, Florida 33406

RE: Governing Board's January 10, 2013 meeting Agenda Item 22 on Resolution to proceed with negotiating a proposed sale and purchase agreement with Duda of 3,100 acres in Glades County

Dear Governing Board Members:

This correspondence is being submitted on behalf of the Glades County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) for inclusion in the subject meeting record on the above referenced item.

Tuesday, January 8, 2013, Glades BOCC added an item to its meeting agenda to discuss your consideration and possible adoption of the above referenced resolution.

Our Board was surprised that we did not receive an advance courtesy notice of your Board's meeting agenda item on this resolution in light of the fact the District's purchase and use of up to 3,100 acres of

Duda's land in Glades County has the potential of significantly impacting Glades County.

Glades County BOCC took official action to request the Board of Governors to postpone and or continue a decision on the adoption of the proposed resolution until at least February 13, 2013, so that Glades County BOCC can have reasonable opportunity to review all related material we hope to receive from the District and then give you the BOCC's position on the District's possible purchase and use of Duda's 3,100 acres in Glades County.

Glades County BOCC also took official action to request the District to provide Glades County with copies of all written information in the District's file on the topic of the District's purchase of the 3,100 acres from Duda in Glades County, including but not limited to, any letter of intent/proposals from Duda to the District or from the District to Duda, and any project plans for the District's future use or development of the subject property. The purpose of this request for information is to enable Glades County BOCC to evaluate the proposed transaction's impact on Glades County and its residents.

Glades BOCC looks forward to receiving the District's cooperation regarding the BOCC's requests.

Respectfully submitted,
Donna Storter Long, Vice Chairman
Glades County Board of County Commissioners



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