



Meeting Summary

WATER RESOURCES ADVISORY COMMISSION Lower East Coast Water Supply Plan Update

June 27, 2013, 1:00 PM

South Florida Regional Planning Council
3440 Hollywood Boulevard, Suite 140
Hollywood, FL 33021

The WRAC Issues Workshop for the 2013 Lower East Coast Water Supply Plan Update was held on **June 27th at the** South Florida Regional Planning Council in Hollywood. This was the 5th meeting in the series of workshops for this Plan.

The purpose of the meeting was to provide an overview of the Plan, the conclusions, and future direction. The Plan documents had been released to the public on June 5th. There was a presentation on the Plan at WRAC's June meeting.

The workshop was well attended with at about 60 stakeholders from utilities, local governments, engineering firms and agricultural and environmental stakeholders in the audience.

Questions and comments included:

1. Need to have target dates for the projects included in MFL Recovery Strategies
2. Need for additional studies to understand the Floridan aquifer
3. Need to expand the use of reclaimed water in the planning area
4. Need to promote conservation
5. Submission of written comments was requested by July 26th.

The current schedule is to provide a Plan Update to the Governing Board on July 11th and present the final Plan documents to WRAC on September 5th and to the Governing Board for their consideration to approve on September 12th.