

# Public Use Updates

## WRAC Recreational Issues Workshop

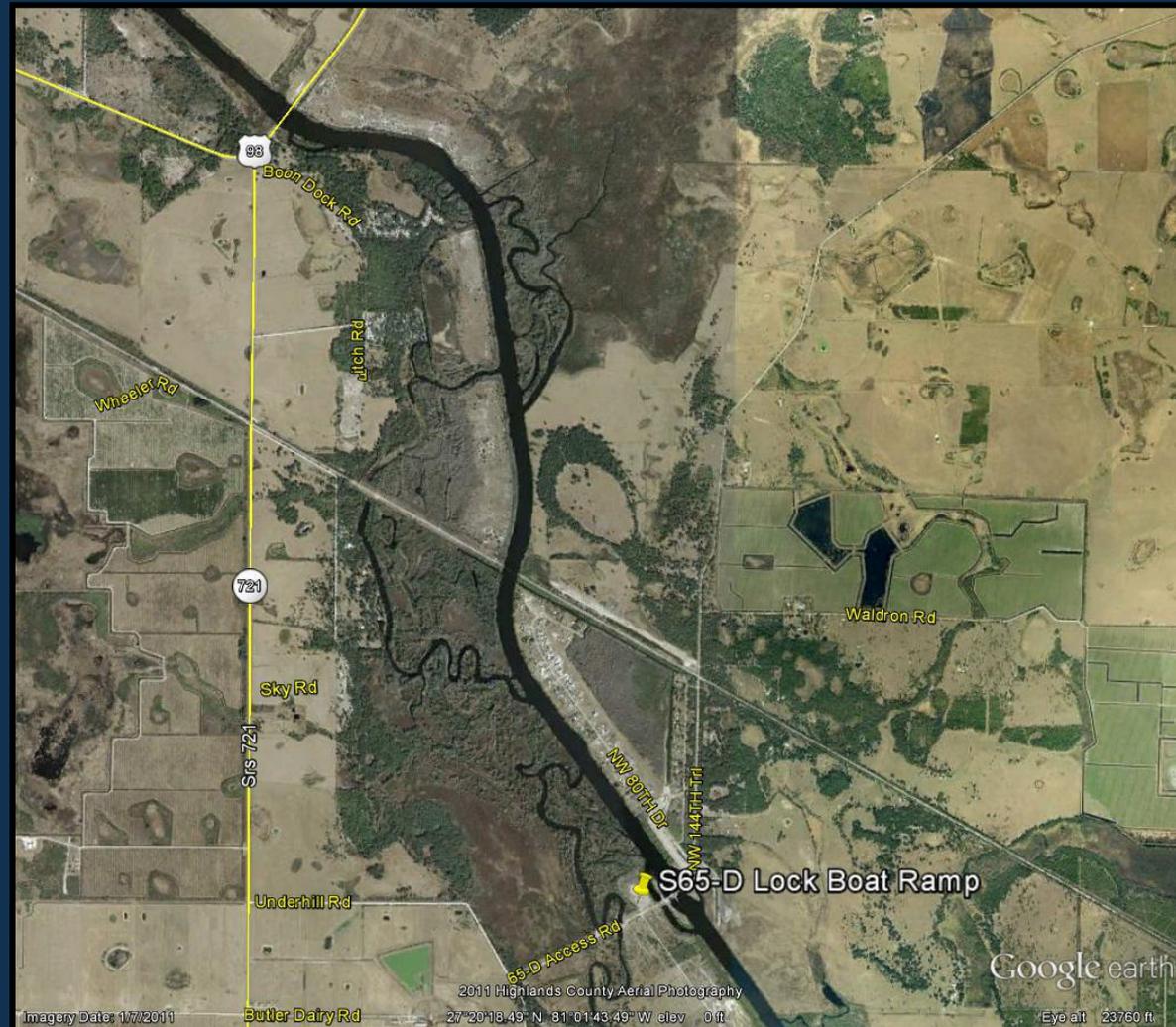
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# Public Use Facilities Update

## S65-D Lock Boat Ramp

- Located on the Kissimmee River in Okeechobee County



# S65-D Lock Boat Ramp –open for public use



SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT  
Welcome to the  
**S65-D LOCK BOAT RAMP**



US Army Corps  
of Engineers





## Shelter request on NW Shore of Lake Kissimmee:

- Volunteer project.
- Engineered design approved by District is needed.
- All permitting required and oversight by licensed contractor.
- Subject to budgetary constraints, currently not funded .
- District to continue to review project and location.



# Stormwater Treatment Area Update

Recap of STA Hunting Opportunities for 2013-14:

	<b>STA1W North</b>	<b>STA 1W South</b>	<b>STA 2</b>	<b>STA 3/4 East</b>	<b>STA 3/4 West</b>	<b>STA 5</b>
<b>Waterfowl Permits per Weekend</b>	80	80	50	80	80	80
<b>Alligator Annual Permits</b>	100	50	30	50	50	50

## STA Birding Tours for 2013-14:

- STA 5, 1E, and Lakeside Ranch STA.
- Schedule and more information available on District's website.



# Hunting Areas Update

Recap of additional hunting and public access opportunities in partnership with FWC for 2013-14:

- C23-C24 Small Game Hunting Area Reopened -1169 Acres.
- Rocky Glades Small Game Hunting Area - 4892 Acres.
- Rolling Meadows open for this interim season – 1800 acres.



## Public Use Rule 40E-7:

- Thank you for review and input.
- September 2013 – GB Authorization for  
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

THANK YOU

Questions?