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Subject: Updated Information on Hurricane Recovery - Environmental Coordination and Consultation P Recovery Efforts

As a follow-up to the memorandum sent previously to the Districts from Assistant Secretary Thibault dated May 19, 2005 and my follow-up e-mails providing additional guidance since that time, I am distributing updated procedural information that the FDOT Central Environmental Management Office (CEMO) has recently received from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP), the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (FWS), and the Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC).

Below is the link to the FDEP Amended Emergency Final Order for Hurricane Dennis (as amended on 07/11/05) in case it pertains to any of FDOT's hurricane recovery/repair work. The "Emergency Area" currently includes Monroe, Wakulla, Franklin, Santa Rosa, Okaloosa, Bay, Escambia, Walton and Gulf County.

<http://www.dep.state.fl.us/mainpage/em/2005/dennis/dennis.htm>

Hurricane Dennis emergency recovery notification letters from the FWC and FWS are attached below for your review. The attached BMPs currently apply only to District 3. These BMPs and Standardized Conditions may be of use in your District pertaining to road repair and construction, debris removal, structural repair, fill material, sand fencing, and other recovery-related activities if we have any future hurricanes that impact such species and/or habitats. However, the final decisions and approvals of BMP procedures and emergency permit conditions would need to come from the FWS, FWC, US Army Corps of Engineers (ACOE), US Coast Guard, and/or other regulatory agencies, as applicable.

This information will also be posted next week on the CEMO Internet website at: <http://www.dot.state.fl.us/emo/>

NOTE: Due to the limited ability to include all attachments with this e-mail, I will be sending a separate e-mail later today with attachments of the revised FDOT Hurricane Recovery - Environmental Coordination and Consultation Contact list and updated procedural information that we recently received from the ACOE in response to Hurricane Dennis.



FWC Hurricane Dennis Recovery Letter 07-13-05.pdf



FWC Hurricane Dennis Recovery BMPs.pdf



FWS Hurricane Dennis Recovery Correction Letter 07-22-05.pdf

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