## Freshwater Stewardship

We're working to achieve healthy and sustainable waters across the Sunshine State.



**Support water recycling:** Encourage "potable reuse" to reduce the 830 million gallons per day of precious water that are currently wasted.

**Reduce impacts of development:** Inspire low-impact development, including use of nature and green stormwater infrastructure, use of best management practices for water, and irrigation-free landscaping.





**Encourage transition from septic to sewer:** Reduce discharges from septic tanks into our groundwater.

**Guide integrated water planning for cities, using nature based solutions:** Influence stormwater solutions, public water supply, comprehensive municipal water planning.





**Partner with farmers:** Share best management practices for fertilizer and water use to increase crop yields and benefit water conservation. Implement the 4Rs: Right fertilizer, right rate, right time, right place.

**Implement wetland conservation:** Reinvigorate natural systems and water flow.





**Safeguard the Everglades and Lake Okeechobee:** Support efforts that protect the liquid heart of the state—which needs healthy waters in just the right amounts—to benefit this iconic natural system.

**Strengthen the health of springs:** Financially support impactful projects.





**Advocate for federal and state legislation:** Support funding of water initiatives.

**Keep freshwater habitats healthy:** Protect our watersheds, estuaries, rivers, lakes, and wetlands.

