

# **Springs Coast Steering Committee Proposed FY2020 Springs Funding Application Timeline and Process**

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# Proposed Process

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## Springs Coast Steering, Management and Technical Committees

There are more than 200 documented springs throughout the District. However, most individual springs cluster around 16 groups of springs, five of which are classified as first-magnitude groups based on the amount of water they discharge.

While recognizing the need to manage all springs, the District places a priority on the five first-magnitude spring groups: Rainbow, Crystal River/Kings Bay, Homosassa, Chassahowitzka, and Weeki Wachee. These spring groups, located in or discharging to an area known as the Springs Coast, collectively discharge more than one billion gallons per day.

Each spring system in the Springs Coast region is a unique, complex system with different sets of challenges, so each one will require different management techniques. To address these issues, the District invited local, regional and state agencies to form the Springs Coast Steering Committee (SCSC). The first goal of the SCSC is to develop management plans tailored for each spring system to identify issues, solutions, costs and responsibilities.

To assist in the effort, the SCSC has created the Springs Coast Management Committee (SCMC) to review technical data and make recommendations to the SCSC. The SCMC is composed of representatives from the founding organizations of the SCSC, along with other involved stakeholder groups. (See list below.)

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### Springs Coast Steering Committee Members

Agency	Representative Title
City of Crystal River	Robert Holmes City Council Member
Citrus County	Scott Carnahan County Commissioner
Hernando County	John Mitten County Commissioner
Marion County	Kathy Bryant County Commissioner



#### Springs Dashboards

View at-a-glance data on the first magnitude springs:

- Chassahowitzka Springs
- Homosassa Springs
- Kings Bay Springs
- Rainbow Springs
- Weeki Wachee Springs

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**FY2020 Springs Funding Application**

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Download application from link that will be placed on the SWFWMD SCSC Website





# Proposed Process



This application should be completed and emailed with the appropriate calculations to [danielle.rogers@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:danielle.rogers@swfwmd.state.fl.us) by 5:00PM, October 5, 2018.

## Applicant Information

Entity Name:

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?

Project Manager Name:

Project Manager Address:

Project Manager Phone Number:

Project Manager Email Address:

## Project General Information

Project Name:

Project Type:

Project Benefit (please attach your calculations to the application):

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd): <input type="text"/>	N Reduced (lbs/yr): <input type="text"/>
Land Acquisition (acres): <input type="text"/>	Sediment reduced (lbs/yr): <input type="text"/>

Project Description (Please identify if this is a multiyear funded project. If this is a multiyear funded project, provide a description of the complete project (beginning to end) and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application):

What is the anticipated start date and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

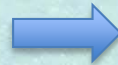
- Email Danielle Rogers (SWFWMD) by 5:00PM October 5, 2018
  - Complete application form
  - benefit calculations
  - location map

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**FY2020 FDEP Springs Funding Application**  
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**Applicant Information**  
Entity Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community? ☐  
Project Manager Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Project Manager Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Project Manager Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Project Manager Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Project General Information**  
Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Project Type: **Make Selection**   
Project Benefit: **Make Selection**   
Water Quantity (mgd): \_\_\_\_\_  
Water Quality (lbs/year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Acquisition (acres): \_\_\_\_\_  
Is this a multiyear project? ☐ No ☐ Yes  
If so, what phases of the project is the request expected to cover? \_\_\_\_\_  
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What is the anticipated start date and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request? \_\_\_\_\_  
If this is a multiyear request, provide the start and end date for each phase of the complete project. \_\_\_\_\_



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Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment Multi-Year Contract: No

**Description:** The project is for the design, permitting, and construction of a regional wastewater collection system necessary for connection of existing residential homes in the Old Homosassa area of the Homosassa watershed. If constructed, a minimum of 95 existing septic systems will convert to County sanitary sewer.

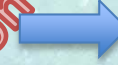
**Costs:** Total project cost: \$6,000,000 (design, permitting, and construction)  
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District share: \$1,500,000  
FDEP share: \$3,000,000

**Project Benefit:** The project is located within the Homosassa River watershed, an Outstanding Florida Spring watershed. The Homosassa River is a headwater tributary to the Gulf of Mexico. The project is anticipated to improve water quality and reduce the risk of contamination to the Gulf of Mexico. The project is also anticipated to improve the aesthetic quality of the Homosassa River and the surrounding area.

**Project Status:** This project has completed conceptual design and is anticipated to begin construction in 12/2019.

**Recommendation:** Recommended for funding consideration subject to Legislative Appropriation.

Funding Source	FY2020	Future	Total
Citrus County	\$0	\$1,500,000	\$1,500,000
District	\$0	\$1,500,000	\$1,500,000
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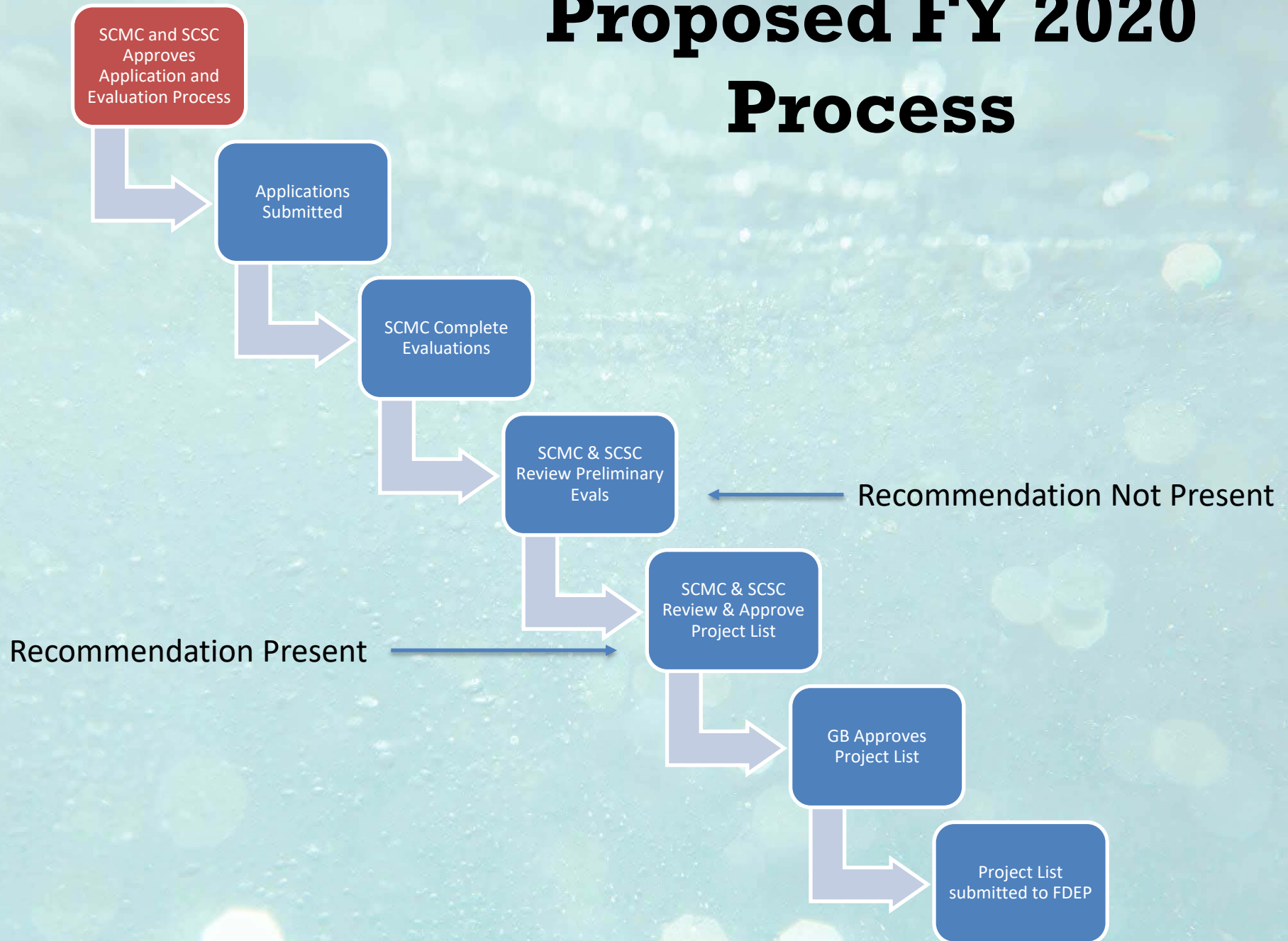
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**RECOMMENDED  
PROJECTS ONLY**

Funds in Specific Appropriation 1606 may be used for land acquisition to protect springs and for capital projects that protect the quality and quantity of water that flow from springs.																	
I. Contact Information				II. Spring Information				III. Project Information						IV. Water Quality			
County	Lead Water Management District Name	Local Government	WMD Project Manager Name, Phone and Email	Spring Name	Does the Spring have an Impairment? If so, does it have a BMAP?	Does the Spring have an MFL, and, if so, is it in recovery or prevention?	Project Name	County	Project Location - Latitude of project	Project Location - Longitude of project	Project Type	Description	Is the Project Listed in a BMAP (or Annual Update)?	Is the Project Listed in a Recovery/Prevention Strategy or Identified in a Regional Water Supply Plan as Benefiting an MFL?	Does this Project Have Water Quality Benefits?	N Reduced (lbs/yr)	See Reduced (lbs/yr)
37	Southwest	Citrus County	Josh Madden, 352-796-7211 x 4197, Josh.Madden@wfwmfd.state.fl.us	Chassahowitzka and Homosassa	BMAP or RAP	MFL - Meeting	Springs - Citrus County Old Homosassa West Septic to Sewer Project	Citrus	28.78266	-82.61637	Wastewater collection and treatment	The project is for the design, permitting, and construction of a regional wastewater collection system necessary for connection of existing residential homes in the Old Homosassa area of the Homosassa watershed. If constructed, a minimum of 95 existing septic systems will convert to County sanitary sewer.	Yes	No	Yes	907	

# Proposed FY 2020 Process



# Proposed Detailed FY2020 Timeline

	JUL '18	AUG '18	SEP '18	OCT '18	NOV '18	DEC '18	JAN '19
Important Dates				(5)CFI and Springs Funding \$ Due			
SCMC	(11) Workshop Chass QO	(15) Approve Funding Process & Eval Sheet, WW QO		(31) Raw Applications Presented		(12) Preliminary Evals Review #1 Homo QO	(9) Preliminary Evals Review #2
SCSC		(29) Chass QO Approve Mtg Dates Approve Funding Process & Eval Sheet,			Email Raw Applications		(30) Preliminary Evaluations Homo QO
	FEB '19	MAR 19'	APR '19	MAY '19	JUNE '19	JUL '19	AUG-SEP '19
Important Dates	Preliminary Regional Committee Mtg		Final Regional Committee Mtg GB Approves Final Evals	(3?) FDEP receives final application list			FDEP Announces Funded Projects (AUG) GB Approves Budget (SEP)
SCMC	(27) Final Evals Reviewed & Approved KB QO			(15) Rainbow QO Springs \$ Lessons Learned			(21) FY21 Kickoff and Lessons Learned
SCSC		(27) Final Evals Approved KB QO					(28) Rainbow QO Springs \$ Lessons Learned Meeting Dates



# ACTION ITEM

- Approve the FY2020 Springs Funding Application and Evaluation Process

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