

FYI... FACT SHEET

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This fact sheet is offered as a courtesy to assist in supporting greater understanding of water-related issues in the Southwest Florida Water Management District.

Water Control Structure in Marion County

The Southwest Florida Water Management District maintains and operates 84 water control structures throughout the District's 16-county region. These structures help provide flood protection, manage lake water levels and prevent salt water from flowing up freshwater streams and creeks. One of these structures is located in Marion County.



1. Fairfield Sink Drainage Structure

The Fairfield Sink structure is located west of Reddick, just south of CR 316, between CR 329 and CR 225. The structure provides for the improved drainage capabilities of the sink, allowing for the drainage of approximately 1,300 acres through culverts under SR 316. The structure's culverts require no operation.