

South Florida Water Management District & USACE

Kissimmee River Pool D Hydrologic Restoration

Location

Okeechobee and
Highlands
Counties, Florida



ESA Scheda scientists assisted in gathering environmental data, developing the design, and permitting this hydrologic restoration project. The South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) worked together to restore the river floodplain by re-establishing water levels to their historic 100-year floodplain elevations and the physical form and ecological functions similar to the historic river. This project involved the design and general construction solicitation services to modify three project areas totaling 150 acres to mitigate for impacts associated with increased flood stages in Pool D due to the Kissimmee River Restoration Project.