

ANNUAL EVALUATION REPORT 2022

The matrix below shows when new projects are planned for development (“D”) and implementation (“I”). Existing projects are to be evaluated and revised (“E/R”).

Strategy/Action Item	2021	Action Item Status	2022	Action Item Status	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
1. Educate the public so people will take conservation and recovery actions									
1.1. Develop and implement a communication campaign			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	E/R	I	I
1.2. Distribute educational brochures and fact sheets			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	I	I	I
1.3. Post messages on signs at various locations			D	Implemented - Manatee caution signs posted at various marinas and boat launches. More signs to be erected in 2023	I	I	I	I	I
1.4. Issue news and status information updates			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	I	I	I
1.5. Provide map information on sensitive areas	D	In development for 2022 implementation	I	Implemented Critical habitat maps added to website	I	I	I	I	I
1.6. Provide more detailed references	D	In development for 2022 implementation	I	Implemented FWS & NOAA Species Profiles added to website	I	I	I	I	I
1.7. Develop an educational curriculum for students and the public			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	E/R	I	I
2. Support the conservation and recovery of terrestrial habitat									
2.1. Regulate adverse development practices			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	E/R	I	I	I
2.2. Inventory open areas to prioritize them for preservation			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	I	E/R	I
2.3. Reduce disturbance from humans and pets			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	I	I	I
2.4. Manage vegetation			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	I	E/R	I
3. Support the conservation and recovery of aquatic habitat									
3.1. Develop a regulatory and/or incentive framework					D	I	I	I	I
3.2. Restore and enhance essential habitats			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	E/R	I	I
3.3. Protect, identify, evaluate, and monitor manatee habitat			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	I	I	I
3.4. Minimize causes of manatee disturbance, harassment, injury, and mortality			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	E/R	I	I
4. Improve stormwater runoff									
4.1. Incorporate water quantity and low impact development techniques into stormwater facility design					E/R	I	I	I	I
4.2. Develop a watershed master plan	D	In development for 2022 implementation	I	Implemented Watershed Management Plan adopted on August 25, 2021	I	I	I	I	I
4.3. Identify and eliminate harmful contaminants			D	In development for 2023 implementation	I	I	I	I	I
Seek CRS credit for this Floodplain Species Plan	I	Implemented Received credit for 2021 CRS Cycle Visit	I	Implemented Received credit for 2021 CRS Cycle Visit	I	I	I	I	I