

August 2012 Kissimmee Basin Environmental and Restoration Features



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Looking north at the Phase I restoration area after Tropical Storm (TS) Isaac



Same view one week before TS Isaac



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Phase I restoration area after TS Isaac



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Same view from mid-July before TS Isaac



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S65 C after TS Isaac



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Looking east at Mico Bluff Road from Kissimmee River floodplain. Looking up oak creek flooding after TS Isaac



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Same view of Oak Creek one week before TS Isaac



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Looking west across Micco Bluff Road down Oak Creek into the Kissimmee River floodplain after TS Isaac.



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Same view one week before TS Isaac



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Looking west down Oak Creek towards Micco Bluff Road and the Kissimmee River floodplain after TS Isaac.



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Florida Gar (*Lepisosteus platyrhincus*) swimming on a flooded road along the Oak Creek watershed



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Kissimmee River Phase I restoration area before TS Isaac



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Feral hogs in the Phase I restoration area floodplain



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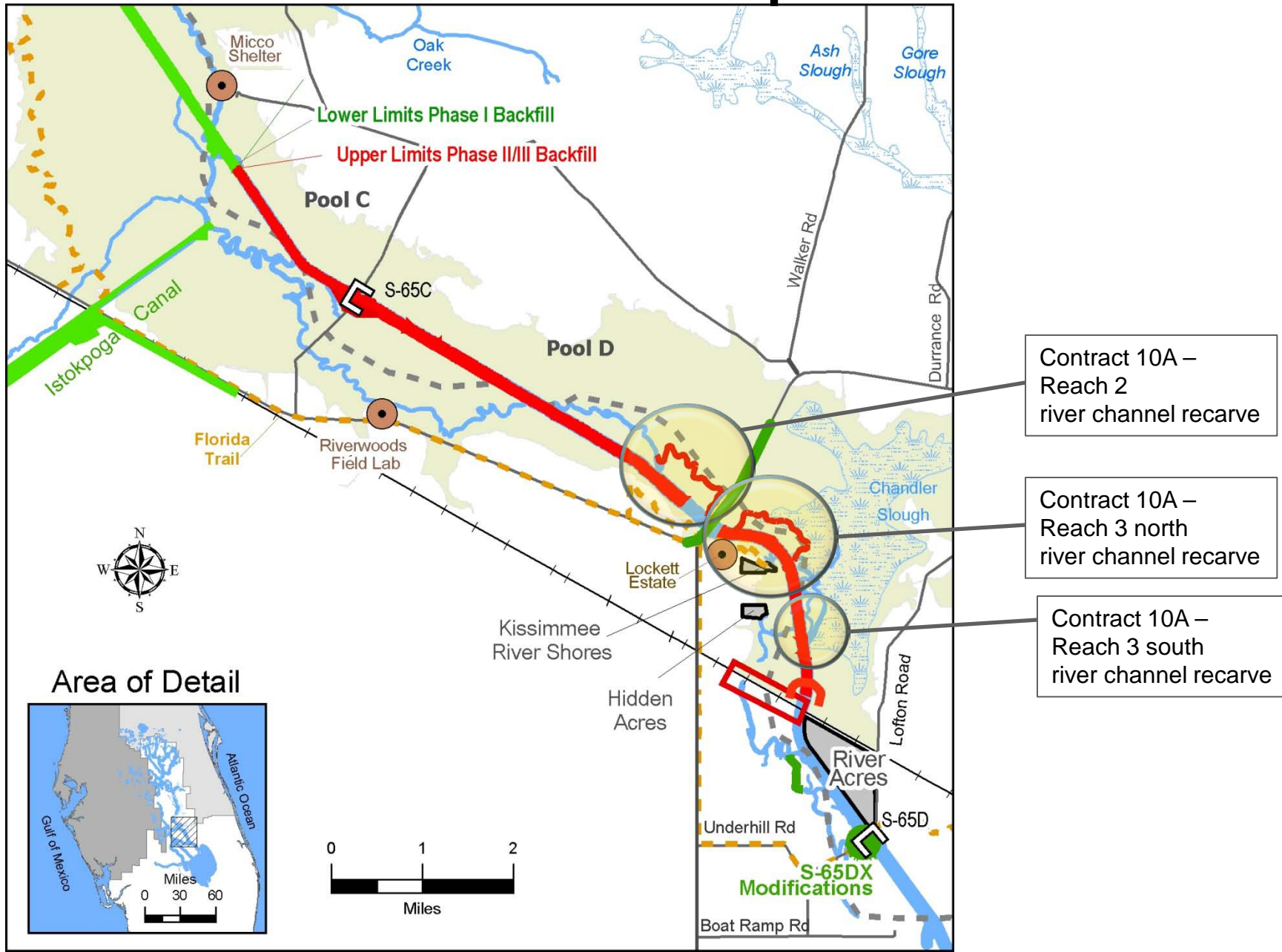
Kissimmee River Phase IVA restoration area before TS Isaac



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Emergent cabbage palms in the Phase IVA restoration area have been slowly cut away from the bank and displaced in the river channel.

Construction Update





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Looking southeast at Phase II/III (Contract 10A, Reach II and Reach III) restoration area recarved river channels.



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CSX Railroad bridge construction



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