#### SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT



# SFWMD Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Preliminary Budget Summary

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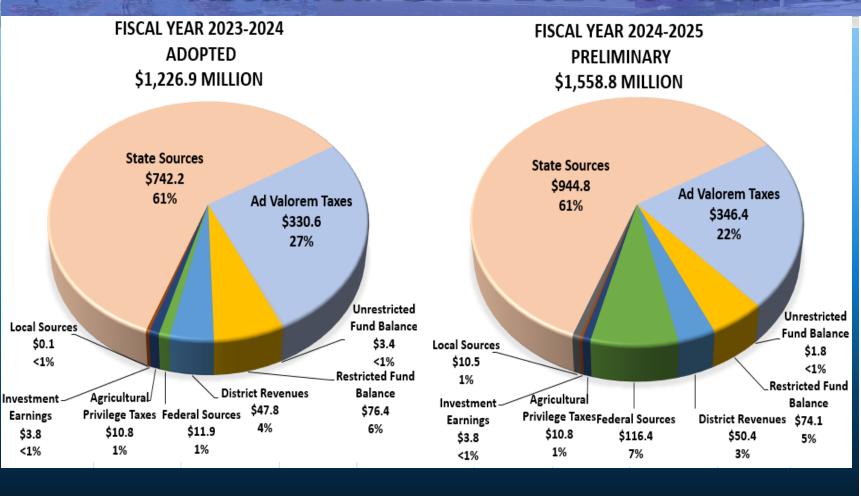


### **Budget In Brief**

- Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Preliminary Budget = \$1,558,820,848
  - \$332M Increase over the FY2023-2024 Adopted Budget of \$1,226,876,797
    - Details on following slides
- >\$944.8M or 61% Estimated Revenues from State Sources
  - Includes Governor's \$740M Everglades Restoration Budget
- >\$346.4M or 22% Estimated Revenues from Ad Valorem
- >\$872.2M or 56% Estimated Expense for Restoration
- >\$563.9M or 36% Estimated Expense for Operation and Maintenance of Lands and Works



## Comparison of Revenues Fiscal Year 2023-2024 to Fiscal Year 2024-2025



#### \$15.8M Increase Ad Valorem

- \$6M Everglades Restoration New Operations
- ✓ \$5.4M Insurances & FRS
- \$2.2M for 22 New FTE's to support Operations
- ✓ \$1.9M for Capital (BCB & C&SF & STA)
- ✓ \$0.3M to cover Loss in Lease Revenue

#### √ \$203M Increase State Sources

 CERP, Resiliency Potential Grant Awards, Potential Water Quality Grants

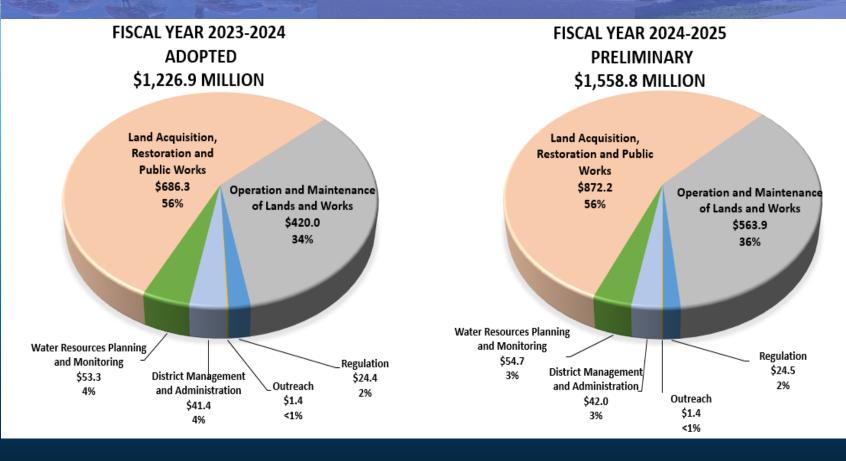
#### √ \$105M Increase Federal Sources

- ✓ \$100M FEMA BRIC Grant S-27 & S-29 (Awarded)
- ✓ \$1M FWC Endangered Species Grant
- √ \$1M USFWS Invasive Plant Management Grant
- ✓ \$500K Land Stewardship Grant

- (\$3.9M) Fund Balance Funds used for Projects. Once audit completed if funds are available this may change
- **♦ \$2.6M District Revenues** Health and Self Insurance Programs
- ✓ \$10.4M Local Sources Collier County MOU BCB Gordon River Structure Replacement and BCB Palm River Structure Replacement



## Comparison of Expenses Fiscal Year 2023-2024 to Fiscal Year 2024-2025



- \$186M Land Acquisition, Restoration and Public Works
  - Everglades Restoration CERP
- √ \$144M Operation and Maintenance of Lands and Works
  - Resiliency Projects
    - ✓ FEMA BRIC Grant Award (S-27 & S-29)
    - State Potential Grant Awards (S-169W Structure Replacement and Trash Rake and C-8 Basin Resiliency
  - ✓ Operations & Maintenance for New Works
  - Collier County MOU BCB Gordon River
     Structure Replacement and BCB Palm River
     Structure Replacement
- \$108K Regulation (Benefits − FICA & FRS)
- **√** \$608K District Management and Administration
  - ✓ (Benefits FICA & FRS), Self-Insurance
- \$1.4M Water Resources Planning and Monitoring
  - ✓ (Benefits FICA & FRS), Potential Water Quality Grants



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### **Upcoming Milestones**

- March 1 Legislative comments, if any, on Preliminary Budget to the Districts due
- March 5 Legislative Session Budget deadline to meet 72 hour cooling off period
- March 8 Legislative Session Ends
- March 15 Districts shall respond in writing to Legislative comments, if any received
- July 1 Taxable Values Received from County Property Appraisers
  - If an extension is granted by DOR the County has 10 extra days to submit
- July 8 Big Cypress Basin Board Meeting to establish Tentative Millage Rate and Budget
- July 11 Governing Board Meeting
  - Provide Governing Board with Tentative FY2024-2025 Budget
  - Request Governing Board approval of proposed millage rates for certification to property appraisers to set Proposed Millage Rates Cap
- ➤ August 1 Submit FY2024-2025 Budget for Governor and Legislative review
- August 4 Certification of Proposed Millage Rates to the County Property Appraisers (Sets the Cap)
- > August 23 Big Cypress Basin Board meeting to approve the Final Millage Rate and Budget
- > September 5 Consideration of Legislative comments on Tentative Budget
- September 12 Governing Board Business Meeting
  - 5:15 PM Governing Board Special Meeting First Budget Public Hearing pursuant to Section 200.065, Florida Statutes
    - consider for adoption, the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Tentative Millage Rates and Budget
    - consider for adoption, the Non Ad Valorem Agricultural Privilege Tax Roll
- > September 17 Governor & Legislative Budget Commission comments due 5 business days before final Public Budget Hearing
- > September 24 5:15 PM Governing Board Special Meeting Second Budget Public Hearing pursuant to Section 200.065, Florida Statutes
  - consider for adoption, the Fiscal Year 2024 -2025 Final Millage Rates and Budget



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## Thank You

