

**Port Everglades IWG Sub-Group Meeting  
Modeling and Mitigation Sub-Groups  
January 30, 2018: 1030 AM to 3:30 PM EST  
Meeting Agenda – DRAFT**

Location: **NEW\*\*\*\***Carr Building Conference Room 153, 3800 Commonwealth Boulevard, Tallahassee, FL 32303 (small building next door to the “Copper Top” Building).

Webinar Info: <https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/7340233362396591363>

Teleconference Info: Participant passcode: 7172023994 then #

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**Overall goals:**

- Scientifically defensible decisions which meet project and regulatory agency requirements.
- No formal Requests for Additional Information (RAI) once permit application and Biological Assessments are submitted
- No-daylight between IWG members on how decisions were reached.

**Meeting Goals:**

Specific list of activities and team members required to move forward on evaluation of the project by regulatory agencies including modeling and mitigation activities and a timeline for their accomplishment:

- Decision on what modeling will be done for the project and expected model outputs.
- Understanding of inputs and outputs of Particle Tracking Model
- Decision on level of detail needed to evaluate project impacts.
- Corps response to questions/comments sent in by IWG members in answer to past Corps requests on modeling.
- How to evaluate and mitigate for direct impacts, anticipated indirect impacts and unanticipated indirect impacts.
- Decision on go or no go on the Deep Water Disposal Placement Site
- Complete Modified Walker Map as environmental base map for the project.

- A. Introduction of Meeting & Attendee Introductions: All
- B. Review Agenda / Set Meeting Expectations – Marie
- C. Deep Water Disposal Site - Jason
- D. Review Interviews on modeling and mitigation pre-meeting questions. – Marie/Janet
- E. Introduce current Corps Modeling Scenarios – Drew
  - a. Current model
  - b. Potential Options
  - c. Scale of model products
- F. Lunch (either continue modeling discussion or go on to mitigation)
- G. Project Mitigation: Includes next steps for each i.e. acreage, methods, taskers, timeline etc.
  - a. Seagrass Mitigation – Status – Erik/Terri
  - b. Mangrove Mitigation – Status – Erik/Terri
  - c. Hardbottom – Coral Communities Mitigation
    - i. Review of Feasibility Study Mitigation - Jason
- H. Summary of Taskers
- I. Close