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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers holds public workshop on DECOMP Project

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. – The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Jacksonville District, will hold a public workshop on the Water Conservation Area 3 Decompartmentalization and Sheetflow Enhancement Project or "DECOMP", Wednesday, May 16, 6:30 p.m. at the Southwest Regional Library, 16835 Sheridan Street, Pembroke Pines, Fla.

The DECOMP project is considered to be the heart of Everglades restoration. The purpose of the project is to remove barriers to sheetflow in Water Conservation Area 3. At the meeting, information will be presented on the adaptive management physical model, a large-scale, on-site, ecological field test in the Everglades that will guide the complex DECOMP restoration design.

There will be an open house at 6:30 p.m. with key members of the project delivery team from the Corps of Engineers and the South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) on hand to answer questions. Presentations by Corps and SFWMD staff will begin at 7:00 p.m. followed by public comments.

Individuals attending the meeting who require assistance with special needs, please contact Erica Robbins at 561-472-8893 or erica.a.robbsins@saj02.usace.army.mil.

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