# Community Outreach Update

October 24, 2014







#### **Central Florida Water Initiative**

#### **Overview**

- Three Workshops
  - October 16<sup>th</sup> Workshop
  - October 29<sup>th</sup> Workshop
  - November 21<sup>st</sup> Central Florida Regional Leadership Forum



## October 16th Workshop Review

- Details
  - Date: Thursday, October 16<sup>th</sup>
  - Place: Oakland, FL
- Targeted local elected officials and their staff
- 60 individuals in attendance
- Covered by the Florida Channel





## October 16th Workshop Review

#### What We Heard

- "Encouraging to see this level of government cooperation."
- "Great workshop-good info. Let's start moving forward on all the plans and solutions."
- "We need to create a sense of regional urgency."
- "Need greater awareness of importance of regional water supply issues for public; quality, quantity, environmental impacts. Need communications plan and campaign."
- "...simple database analysis with existing water use; future water needs; and estimated cost to provide future water supplies."
- "More focus on recapture and reuse."
- Landscape irrigation demands were a major concern.
- Several cities would like separate presentations scheduled to help increase awareness.



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## October 29th Workshop

- Details
  - Date: Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup>
  - Time: 2:00 pm 4:00 pm
  - Place: First Presbyterian Church, Haines City
- Targeting local elected officials and their staff



## Central Florida Regional Leadership Forum

- Working Together to Advance a Regional Water Strategy
  - Date: Friday, November 21st
  - Time: 8:00 am 11:30 am
  - Place: Hyatt Regency Orlando International Airport
  - Present a broader community conversation based off of feedback and information from the previous workshops

