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WG/SCG Meeting

Office of Everglades Restoration Initiatives Update
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WRDA 2020 — The Slither Act

<u>Suppressing Looming Invasive Threats Harming Everglades Restoration Act</u>

- WRDA 2020 directs the South Florida Ecosystem Restoration Task Force to incorporate invasive species into its mission.
- WRDA 2020 amended the original WRDA 1996 to add:
 - Invasive Species Risk Assessment
 - Prioritization
 - Management Language
- No timeline was established.

Discussion