

APPENDIX S

SWFWMD and SFWMD Interagency Agreement & Service Boundaries Map

**INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE SOUTHWEST FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
AND THE SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
FOR THE DESIGNATION OF REGULATORY RESPONSIBILITY FOR AN
ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE PERMIT FOR THE
SR 70 PROJECT IN HIGHLANDS COUNTY**

THIS INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT (Agreement) is made and entered into by and between the SOUTHWEST FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT (SWFWMD) and the SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT (SFWMD).

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is seeking an environmental resource permit for construction of road improvements and associated stormwater facilities along an approximately 7-mile portion of SR 70, from east of Jefferson Avenue to CR 29, in Highlands County, Florida. (SR 70 Project); and

WHEREAS, the beginning of the SR 70 Project falls under the jurisdiction of SFWMD, and then the project continues along the geographical boundary between SFWMD and SWFWMD until it again falls under SWFWMD's jurisdiction, and then ends in SFWMD's jurisdiction. See project map attached as "Exhibit A."

WHEREAS, the geographic area of the SR 70 Project includes portions of Highlands County that are located within the jurisdictional boundaries of SWFWMD and SFWMD; and

WHEREAS, Subsection 373.046(6), Fla. Stat., authorizes a water management district to designate, via an interagency agreement, regulatory responsibility to another water management district when the geographic area of a project or local government crosses water management district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the SWFWMD as the water management district with Part IV, Chapter 373, Fla. Stat., regulatory responsibility for the SR 70 Project would allow for more efficient processing of permit applications under that part; and

WHEREAS, the SWFWMD and the SFWMD desire to designate the SWFWMD as the water management district with Part IV, Chapter 373, Fla. Stat., regulatory responsibility for the SR 70 Project, pursuant to Part IV, Chapter 373, Fla. Stat.;

NOW THEREFORE, the SWFWMD and the SFWMD, under the authority of Subsection 373.046(6), Fla. Stat., hereby agree as follows:

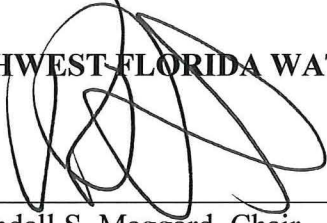
1. The SFWMD hereby designates to SWFWMD all regulatory responsibilities under Part IV of Chapter 373, Fla. Stat., for those activities associated with the SR 70 Project that lie within the jurisdictional boundaries of SFWMD. Such regulatory responsibilities shall include receiving, processing, and taking final agency action

on all environmental resource permit applications, or modifications thereof, and taking any compliance and enforcement action with regard to such permit.

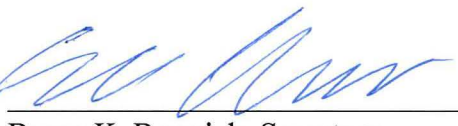
2. This Agreement will commence upon execution by all parties and will remain in effect until either party terminates such agreement for its convenience upon ninety (90) days written notice to the other party.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each party, or its lawful representative, has executed this Agreement on the date set forth next to their signature below.

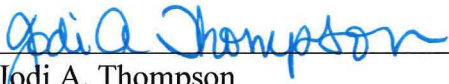
SOUTHWEST FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

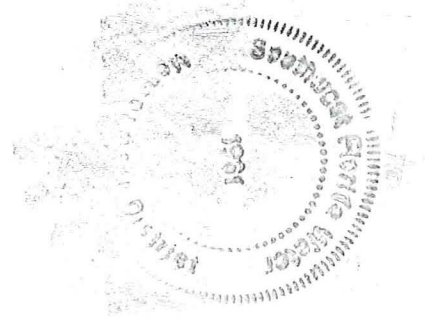
By: 
Randall S. Maggard, Chair

Date: March, 27, 2018

Attest: 
Bryan K. Beswick, Secretary
Ed Armstrong, Treasurer
(Seal)

Legal Form Approved:


Jodi A. Thompson
Staff Attorney



SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

By: 
Jill S. Creech, P.E.
Director, Regulation Division

Date: 03/16/18, 2018

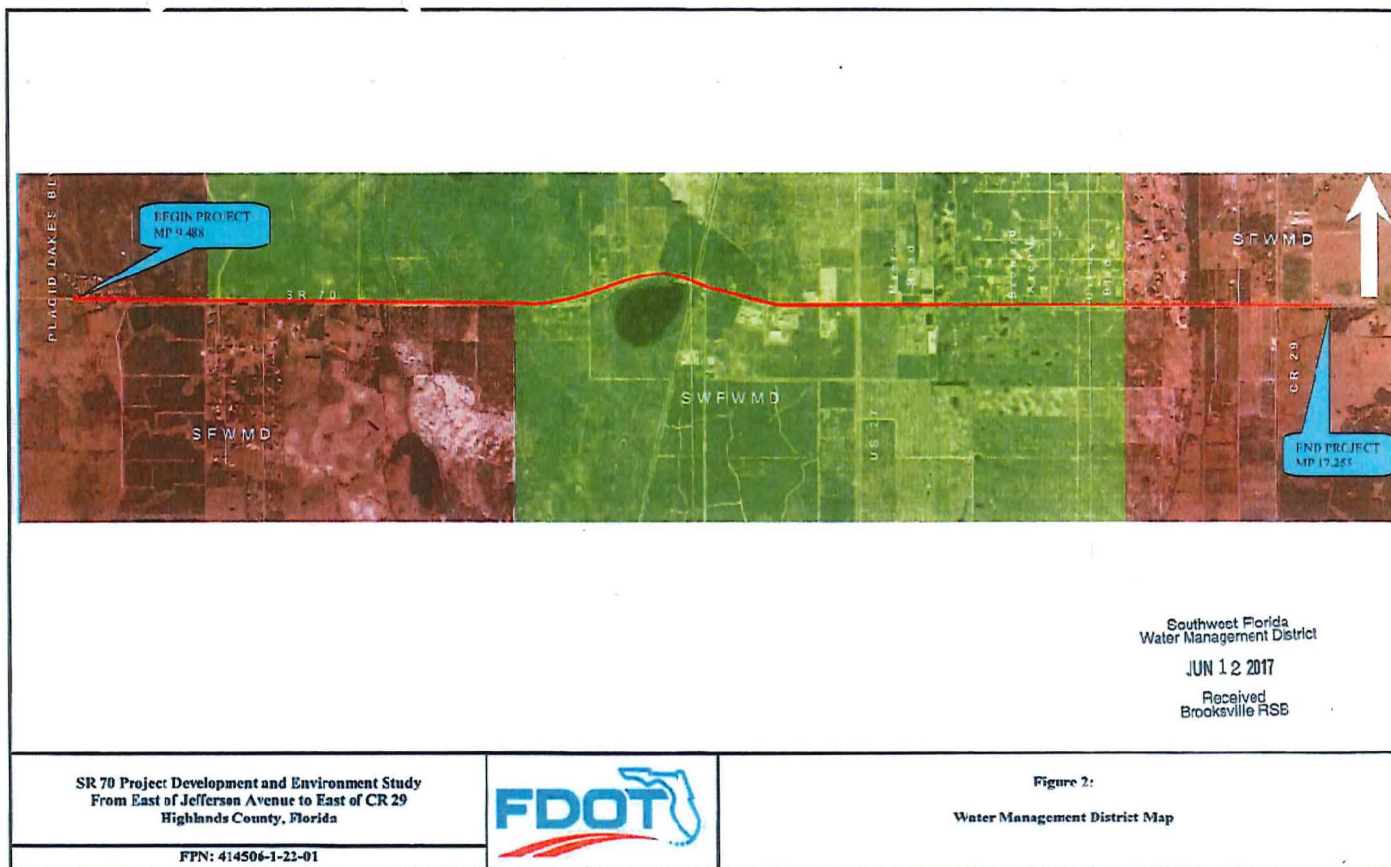
Attest: 
District Clerk/Secretary

(Seal)

Legal Form Approved:


Jennifer D. Brown
Senior Attorney



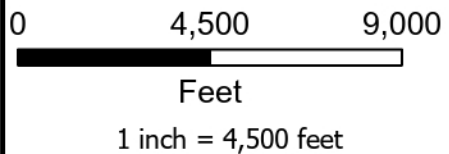
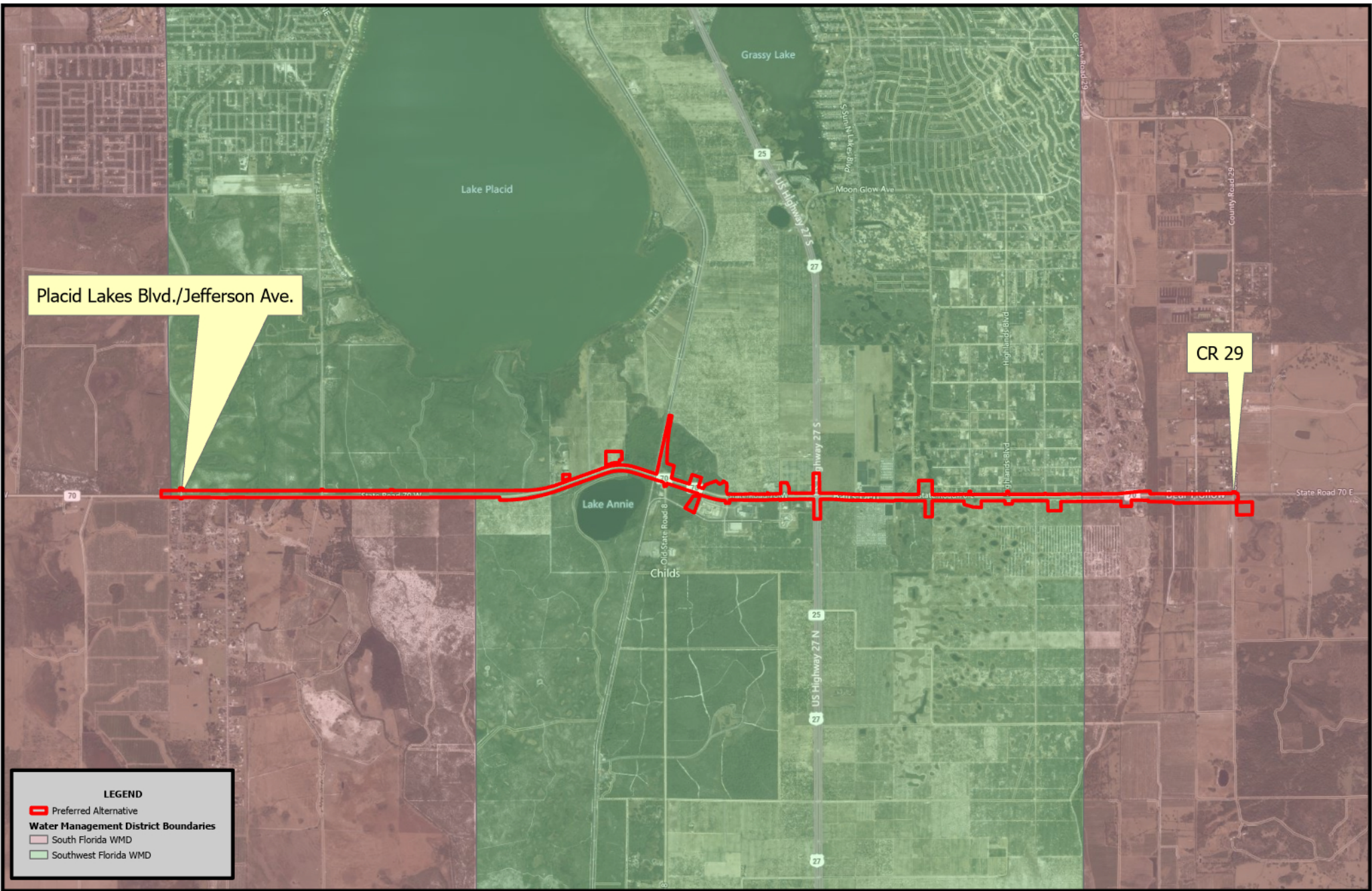


SR 70 Project Development and Environment Study
From East of Jefferson Avenue to East of CR 29
Highlands County, Florida

FPN: 414506-1-22-01



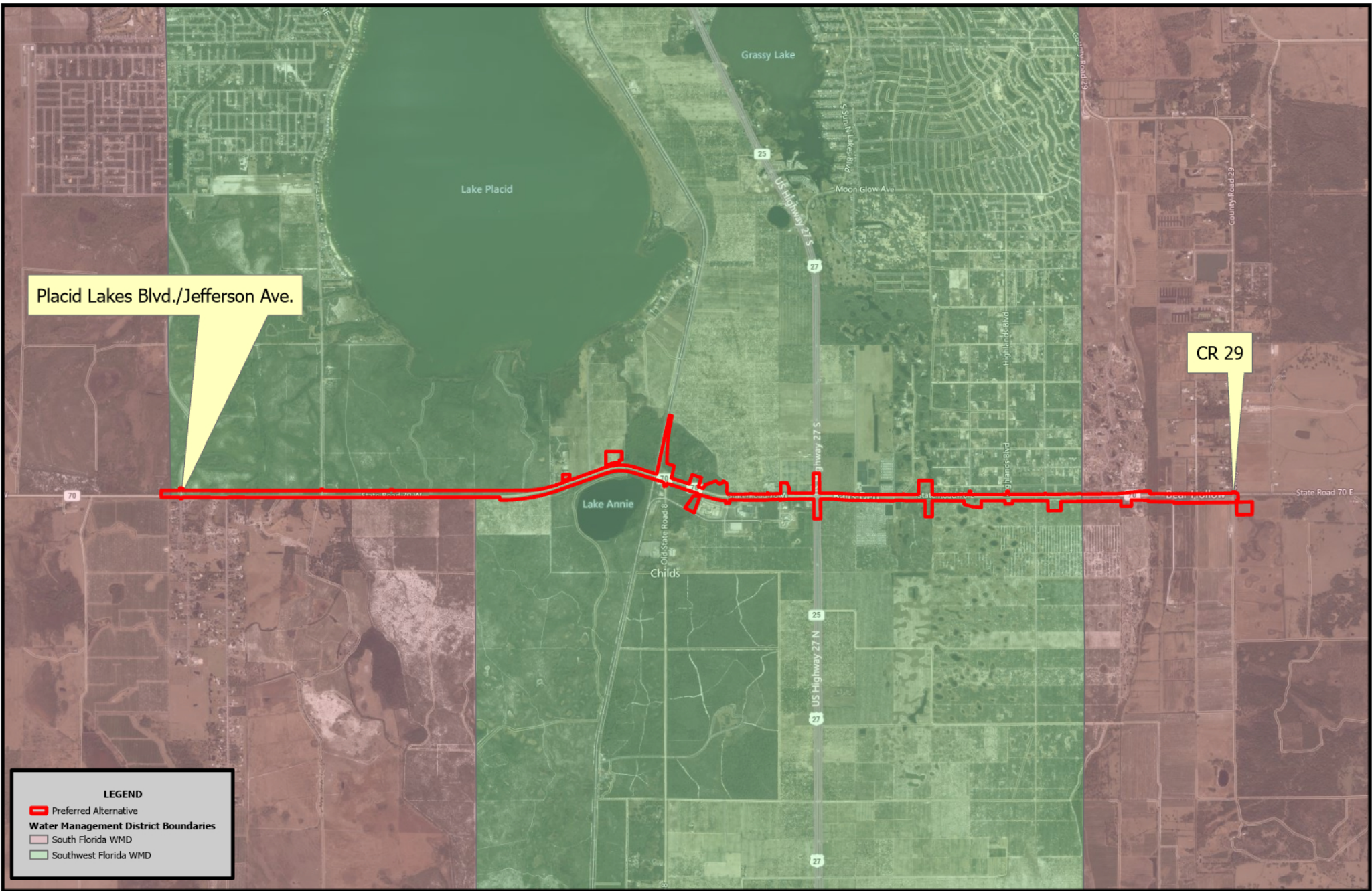
Figure 2:
Water Management District Map



SWFWMD & SFWMD Boundary Map

SR 70 from Jefferson Ave to CR 29
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Highlands County, Florida





LEGEND

- Preferred Alternative
- Water Management District Boundaries**
- South Florida WMD
- Southwest Florida WMD

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