

**STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVI-
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DISCRETIONARY NOTICE OF
ISSUANCE**

The Department of Environmental Protection gives notice of its issuance of a permit (File No. 61-0309661-001) to construct a shoreline restoration/stabilization project involving the filling of approximately 3,212 square feet of wetland and surface waters along 150 feet of shoreline of a spring which flows into the Withlacoochee River, a Class III Special Outstanding Florida Waterbody. The project for the restoration and stabilization of 150 linear feet of shoreline is located at 5927 County Road 251 West, Lake Panasoffkee, Section 15, Township 17 South, Range 21 East, in Sumter County. In addition, the permit authorizes the construction of an exempt 450-square foot single-family dock.

A person whose substantial interests are affected by the Department's proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative proceeding (hearing) in accordance with Section 120.57, Florida Statutes. The petition must contain the information set forth below and must be filed (received) in the Office of General Counsel of the Department at 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station 35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, within 14 days of publication of this notice. Petitioner shall mail a copy of the petition to the applicant at the address indicated above at the time of filing. Failure to file a petition within this time period shall constitute a waiver of any right such person may have to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Section 120.57, Florida Statutes.

The petition shall contain the following information: