

Valdosta Wastewater

- ❑ Withlacoochee Plant peak capacity 22,500,000 gallons per day
- ❑ Withlacoochee Plant normal capacity 13,500,00 gallons per day
- ❑ Withlacoochee Plant average flow 3,500,000 gallons per day
- ❑ Withlacoochee Plant flow on 12/2/18 - 32,000,000 gallons



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City Press Release

- ❑ "The City continues its ongoing efforts to improve the infrastructure of the sewer system to eliminate these issues in the future."
- ❑ "Improving our sewer system has and will continue to be a main priority."



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River Task Force

- ❑ Madison County Board of County Commissioners requests North Central Florida Regional Planning Council to convene impacted counties - 8/22/18
- ❑ Representatives from impacted counties request Council establish Middle and Lower Suwannee River and Withlacoochee River Task Force - 9/19/18
- ❑ Council appoints county commissioners from 12 counties in north central Florida region to River Task Force - 10/25/18



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River Task Force

Task Force Members

Ken Cornell, Alachua County
Daniel Riddick, Bradford County
Ronald Williams, Columbia County
Gene Higginbotham, Dixie County
Kenrick Thomas, Gilchrist County
Beth Burnam, Hamilton County, Vice-Chair
Anthony Adams, Lafayette County
John Meeks, Levy County
Rick Davis, Madison County, Chair
Don Hale, Suwannee County
Thomas Demps, Taylor County
James Tallman, Union County



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River Task Force

- ❑ Identify negative impacts from spills
- ❑ Identify strategies to address impacts
- ❑ Identify local, state & federal partners/organizations to assist in implementing strategies



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Summary

- ❑ History of spills
- ❑ Consent Order
- ❑ Ongoing spills
- ❑ River Task Force
- ❑ Strategic Action Plan



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